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Executive MBA in Governance, Risk, and Compliance

In today's dynamic world a degree with no specialization can hardly yield well-rounded qualifications and serve as a substantial baggage for climbing the career ladder. Taking control over your own future and leading others toward triumphant fronts requires qualifications of significant value that place you in a superior position amongst others. PECB University, through its higher education opportunities, is committed to preparing you to face the increasing challenges of a given occupation while getting a handle on best field specific and business related practices. In a world of vast uncertainties and complexities, we prepare you how to apply analytical skills in solving real-world problems. We aim to develop you into a competent field expert and a smart business decision maker.

We guide you through expertise by serving competency-based and career-focused education. The core of our interest is to make our programs available to people of all demographics and dismantle the barriers of time and distance by taking advantage of technology.

We offer to help you gain a primed mindset that allows you to confront challenges, adapt to changes, and apply the newfound skills to incite a positive impact in your organization.



KEY FEATURES OF OUR PROGRAMS

- + Career-focused and competency-based programs that promote job-related skills and boost career advancement prospects;
- + Dynamic and convenient virtual environment that fosters abundant learning opportunities through computer-mediated instruction;
- + Unlimited accessibility to education and the opportunity to fit education into your existing lifestyle;
- + Convenient online learning options that fit with your specific learning styles;
- + Classes with individuals from diverse backgrounds, profiles, and locations that prompt increased international encounters and collaborations;
- + Faculty who are specialists in their respective fields and who act as mentors in broadening your perspectives and introducing you to hands-on expertise;

Our Executive MBA Degree Programs provide a combination of business management fundamentals with field specific expertise that prepare you to seek managerial roles, switch careers, or advance in your field of work. The skills acquired from our Executive MBA programs are easily transferable to different roles.

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PROGRAM SNAPSHOT

Credits: 48

Duration: between 12 and 36 months

Work experience: A minimum of 2 years of relevant working experience. Although you are not required to have previous experience in business administration, you are expected to have a background on the field in which you are pursuing the Executive MBA program.

Delivery mode: Online, synchronous and asynchronous classes

Language: English

Audience: Designed for candidates seeking managerial or executive positions in Risk Management

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

The Executive MBA program in Governance, Risk and Compliance introduces you to principles of risk management and the areas of its applicability. You become competent to analyze the entire operations of an organization, from minor to complex ones, and to identify areas more prone to fraud and risk.

You also gain the necessary knowledge and skills to recognize and identify business threats and turn them into business opportunities. Through this program, you learn to create risk management plans and ensure they are effective in strengthening an organization's position in the market.

The courses within this program contribute significantly to the development of your analytical skills that enable you to strategically identify, evaluate, and mitigate risks. You learn to develop and maintain a close and constant communication with all parties involved, to stay alert of potential risks, to avoid any complications at the earliest stages, and to minimize any losses in the profit that might occur as a consequence.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Conduct gap analysis for comparison of various systems and develop risk management plans for an organization.
- Implement relevant strategies and risk detection methods for identifying potential risks on time and develop a mitigation plan.
- Consult previous experiences to detect potential risks and develop a disaster recovery plan.
- Analyze the organizational existing strategies for risk planning and monitoring, and perform the necessary improvements.
- Observe and report on the effectiveness of ongoing risk management efforts.



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

The Executive MBA degree in Governance, Risk, and Compliance may land you empowering jobs including but not limited to the positions below:

- + Business Risk Analyst
- + Risk Data Analyst
- + Risk Control Consultant
- + Risk Management Coordinator
- + Risk Management Advisor
- + Director for Risk Management
- + Risk Identification Analyst
- + Risk Mitigation Manager

There are four pillars in our program structure:

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT COURSES (12 CREDITS):

Business Management courses provide the broad business knowledge necessary for applying field-specific skills in a business setting. These courses are the same for every Executive MBA track.

Course Requirements (12 credits):

- 3 Leadership and Organizational Behavior
- 3 Business Operations, Analytics, and Decisions
- 6 Capstone Project 1: Implementing GRC solutions, controls and plans in Organizations

SPECIALIZATION (12 CREDITS)

Specialization courses provide the necessary expertise in Governance, Risk and Compliance.

Course Requirements (3 credits each):

- 3 Risk Management
- 3 Anti-Bribery Management Systems Implementation
- 3 IT Corporate Governance Management
- 3 Compliance Management Systems Implementation

ELECTIVE (SELECT 2 COURSES)

Elective courses provide additional insights in the area of Information Security that help ample up your field expertise.

Course Requirements (3 credits each):

- 3 Compliance Management Systems Audit
- 3 Data Protection
- 3 Anti-Bribery Management Systems Audit
- 3 Business Continuity Management Systems Implementation
- 3 Business Continuity Management Systems Audit
- 3 Asset Management Systems Implementation
- 3 Asset Management Systems Audit
- 3 Private Security Operations Implementation
- 3 Information Security Risk Management
- 3 Incident Management
- 3 Business Process Improvement
- 3 Supply Chain Security Management Systems Implementation
- 3 Supply Chain Security Management Systems Audit
- 3 Social Responsibility Implementation
- 3 Social Responsibility Audit
- 3 Outsourcing Management
- 3 IT Service Management Systems Implementation
- 3 IT Service Management Systems Audit
- 3 Quality Management Systems Implementation
- 3 Quality Management Systems Audit
- 3 Management Systems Auditing
- 3 Environmental Management Implementation
- 3 Environmental Management Audit
- 3 Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems Implementation
- 3 Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems Audit

STRATEGIC ALIGNMENT COURSES (12 CREDITS):

- 3 Strategic Management
- 3 Corporate Governance, Ethics and Law
- 6 Capstone Project 2: Building compliant and future-proof organizations: aligning GRC in organization's vision



PECB University aims to attract the brightest students who demonstrate academic excellence and motivation to benefit from our educational offerings. The university welcomes applicants of all backgrounds. Admissions selection criteria have been set on the principle of fairness and equal opportunity by assessing applicants solely on personal merits.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution and two years of experience or a professional designation in the relevant field plus at least 6 years of experience;
- Cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 or above, if applicable;
- For candidates with no prior professional experience, in addition to the Bachelor's degree, a GMAT score above 620 is required;
- English proficiency as demonstrated through TOEFL iBT or IELTS scores. The minimum required score for TOEFL iBT is 75, while for IELTS 6.5 (except native speakers and non-native English speakers who have completed previous studies in English, and can evidence that through a written confirmation)

** For full information about the Admission Pathways at PECB University, please visit <https://pecb.university/page/admission-requirements>*

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED

- Completed online application form
- Diploma and official grade transcripts
- 2 Reference letters
- English proficiency test scores
- Resume/Curriculum Vitae
- Personal statement
- Copy of an identification document (passport or similar)
- Application fee

SELECTION CRITERIA

- Academic excellence and potential
- Motivation and suitability for the program of interest
- Previous experience
- Personal qualities and competencies
- Commitment and interest



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