Tippie College of Business

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Undergraduate major: B.B.A.
Undergraduate minors: business administration; economics
Undergraduate certificates: entrepreneurial management; international business; risk management and insurance
Professional degree: M.B.A.
Professional certificates: business fundamentals; finance; leadership; marketing
Graduate degrees: M.A.; M.Ac.; M.S.; Ph.D.
Graduate certificate: business analytics
Website: https://tippie.uiowa.edu/

The Tippie College of Business is composed of six academic departments: accounting, business analytics, economics, finance, management and entrepreneurship, and marketing.

The college’s undergraduate and graduate programs are accredited by AACSB International—the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business.

Research, executive development, and education activities are supported by these centers and institutes: America’s Small Business Development Center, Emmett J. Vaughan Institute of Risk Management and Insurance, Frank Business Communication Center, Hawkinson Institute of Business Finance, Institute for International Business, Iowa Electronic Markets Institute, John Pappajohn Entrepreneurial Center, Marketing Institute, Pomerantz Career Center, RSM Institute of Accounting Education and Research, and the Tippie Analytics Cooperative.

Integrity and honesty are essential to success in all facets of life. The purpose of the undergraduate Tippie Honor Code and the M.B.A. and Master’s Honor Code is to promote honorable and ethical behavior. Students admitted to the college or enrolled in courses offered by the college are required to uphold the honor code.

Facilities and Resources

The Tippie College of Business is located in the John Pappajohn Business Building, at the heart of the campus. The Pappajohn Business Building contains seminar and conference rooms, a computer laboratory, two auditoriums, two computer classrooms, a behavioral laboratory, a restaurant (Pat’s Diner), a café and study space called Biz Hub, the Marvin A. Pomerantz Business Library, and a variety of classroom facilities.

The computer laboratory in the John Pappajohn Business Building serves the instructional programs of the college, and the staff maintains a current library of computational programs to accommodate users’ needs. Business students also have access to the full range of services offered by the University’s Information Technology Services and the extensive research materials and other resources of the University of Iowa Libraries.

Alumni Relations

The Tippie College of Business alumni network numbers more than 50,000 graduates worldwide. Alumni have access to the college’s wide array of resources, including the in-house Office of Alumni Relations. The college’s director of alumni relations, the staff in the Undergraduate Program Office, the specialized master’s degree programs, and the Master of Business Administration Program maintain relationships with alumni. The alumni office also hosts individual visits, receptions, speakers, and other events on campus and in cities nationwide and around the world.

By providing an up-to-date email address, alumni will receive e-invites to Tippie College of Business events and virtual programs. If alumni have updated their home mailing address with the college within the past two years, they will receive copies of the biannual alumni publication, Tippie Magazine. Members of the Business Student Ambassadors Organization (BSAO) often serve as hosts and guides for alumni who visit the college, and the Young Alumni Board works to strengthen ties between the college and more recent graduates.

To learn more about staying in touch, see About Tippie Alumni on the college’s website.