



# “Global Public Management Program” at Professional Business School

International Management Course (IMC) is a global standard MBA program of the Business School at the Institute of Business and Accounting(IBA), KGU(Kwansei Gakuin University). It was established in 2005 as the first English-language program MBA in the Kansai region. IMC holds the Global Public Management Program(GPMP) which aims to provide sound theoretical bases and practical skills to students who aspire to professional careers in leadership roles at global public service institutions, such as the United Nations, diplomatic institutions, as well as international NGOs.



**Practical curriculum**  
e.g. Internship at United Nations, International organizations, NGOs and diplomatic institutions



## Highly distinguished GPM faculty members

Former UN Under Secretary Generals, former diplomats



## Diversity of students

from about 20 different countries and regions

## Message from current GPM program student

**Jonczyk Carolin Ariane (Germany)**



As I used to be an exchange student at KGU, I really got to love this school and decided to come back to proceed my education with an MBA. The classes are discussion-based and highly interactive. KGU is internationally oriented, therefore students are coming from all over the world

which leads to conducive discussions with diverse viewpoints.

My future career goal is to hold an executive position at an international organization. GPMP prepares me to reach this goal academically and practically by doing an internship. Due to its interdisciplinary structure between business and classes specified on the UN and Foreign Affairs, this degree program serves as an interface between the public and private sector.

## Internship experience in the United Nations

**Vuong Linh Thuy (Vietnam)**

- Internship institution: UNICEF Vietnam
- Duration: 30 July 2018 - 21 September 2018

I have taken my internship after one year studying in GPMP. Courses helped me a lot during my internship, not only the knowledge but also giving me different perspectives to approach and solve problems more efficient and effective.

During internship, I deeply concerned about the current situation of children in Vietnam through the work and research in Integrated Early Childhood Development field. I really wanted to contribute in the development of Early Childhood Education. In the future, consistent with my mission of my life, I would like to bring a better life for children, especially Vietnamese children, including children with disabilities, children of ethnic minority groups.



Above both 2 students are receiving Japanese Government (MEXT) Scholarship.

KGU has several scholarship programs available.

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