



Valar EMBA

Class of February 2027

Cohort Schedule

Welcome to Valar! Here's the course syllabus for your program. It's strongly recommended that you follow this schedule to complete your required lessons per week. In order to graduate and earn your degree, you must meet the course requirements as seen [here](#).



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IMPORTANT DATES

Starting Date	• January 12, 2026
Capstone Kickoff	• Jul 27 2026 - Aug 2 2026
Capstone Check-In	• October 19-25, 2026
Winter Break	• Dec 21 2026 - Jan 3 2027
Capstone Project Presentation Due Date	• January 10, 2027 by 11:59 p.m. PDT / UTC-7 hours
Capstone Project Written Portion Due Date	• January 10, 2027 by 11:59 p.m. PDT / UTC-7 hours
Anticipated Graduation Date	• February 16, 2027

Individual concentration exam and case study due dates can be found in their respective sections below.

January 12, 2026 - February 22, 2026: Leadership Foundations

Week 1: January 12, 2026	Getting Oriented to the Valar EMBA
	Modern Theories of Leadership
Week 2: January 19, 2026	Cultural Intelligence
	Developing a Corporate Philosophy
	Talent Management
Week 3: January 26, 2026	Business Ethics and Social Responsibility
	Positive Leadership
Week 4: February 2, 2026	Leadership Foundations Exam
	Last day to begin exam: February 8, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 5: February 9, 2026	Leadership Foundations Project
Week 6: February 16, 2026	Leadership Foundations Project Due
	Due by February 22, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours



February 23, 2026 - April 5, 2026: Organizational Behavior

Week 7: February 23, 2026	Power and Influence Networks and Social Capital for Managers
Week 8: March 2, 2026	Organizational Behavior: Working in Groups and Teams Organizational Structure and Culture
Week 9: March 9, 2026	Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
Week 10: March 16, 2026	Organizational Behavior Exam Last day to begin exam: March 22, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 11: March 23, 2026	Organizational Behavior Project
Week 12: March 30, 2026	Organizational Behavior Project Due Due by April 5, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

April 6, 2026 - May 10, 2026: Strategy and Global Economics

Week 13: April 6, 2026	Strategy I: Business-Level Strategy Strategy II: Corporate-Level Strategy
Week 14: April 13, 2026	Microeconomics I: Supply and Demand Microeconomics II: Shape Your Economic Worldview
Week 15: April 20, 2026	Macroeconomics: International Trade Macroeconomics: Economic Fluctuations
Week 16: April 27, 2026	Strategy and Global Economics Exam Last day to begin exam: May 3, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 17: May 4, 2026	Strategy & Global Economics Presentation Due by May 10, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

May 11, 2026 - June 14, 2026: Marketing and Pricing

Week 18: May 11, 2026	Marketing Fundamentals
Week 19: May 18, 2026	Brand Development and Management
Week 20: May 25, 2026	Digital Marketing Fundamentals
Week 21: June 1, 2026	Pricing I: Fundamentals
Week 22: June 8, 2026	Marketing and Pricing Exam Last day to begin exam: June 14, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours



June 15, 2026 - August 2, 2026: Business Communications

Week 23: June 15, 2026	Effective Business Writing
Week 24: June 22, 2026	Break Week
Week 25: June 29, 2026	Business Storytelling The Art of Negotiation
Week 26: July 6, 2026	The Art of Presentation Developing a Business Plan
Week 27: July 13, 2026	Business Communications Exam Last day to begin exam: July 19, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 28: July 20, 2026	Business Communications Presentation Due by July 26, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 29: July 27, 2026	Capstone Kickoff

August 3, 2026 - September 6, 2026: Data and Decisions

Week 30: August 3, 2026	One-Variable Statistics Probability Fundamentals
Week 31: August 10, 2026	Two-Variable Statistics Regression Analysis
Week 32: August 17, 2026	Data Collection A/B Testing
Week 33: August 24, 2026	Data and Decisions Exam Last day to begin exam: August 30, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours
Week 34: August 31, 2026	Break Week

September 7, 2026 - October 25, 2026: Strategic Leadership

Week 35: September 7, 2026	Strategic Leadership Strategic Frameworks
Week 36: September 14, 2026	Strategic Decision-Making Balanced Scorecard
Week 37: September 21, 2026	Change Leadership Implementing Strategy



Week 38: September 28, 2026 Strategic Leadership Exam

Last day to begin exam: October 4, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

Week 39: October 5, 2026 Strategic Leadership Project

Week 40: October 12, 2026 Strategic Leadership Project Due

Due by October 18, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

Week 41: October 19, 2026 Capstone Check-in

October 26, 2026 - November 22, 2026: Advanced Corporate Strategy

Week 42: October 26, 2026 M&A I: Theory and Practice

Vertical Integration

Week 43: November 2, 2026 Diversification

Cooperative Strategy and Strategic Alliances

Week 44: November 9, 2026 Corporate Governance

Strategy III: International Strategy

Week 45: November 16, 2026 Advanced Corporate Strategy Exam

Last day to begin exam: November 22, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

November 23, 2026 - January 3, 2027: Finance and Accounting

Week 46: November 23, 2026 Finance I: Time Value of Money

Cost of Capital I: Capital Structure

Value Creation

Week 47: November 30, 2026 Capital Budgeting

Introduction to Accounting

Week 48: December 7, 2026 Managerial Accounting

Week 49: December 14, 2026 Finance and Accounting Exam

Last day to begin exam: December 20, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours

Week 50: December 21, 2026 Winter Break

Week 51: December 28, 2026 Winter Break



January 4, 2027 - January 10, 2027: Capstone Project

Week 52: January 4, 2027

Capstone Project Due

Due by January 10, 11:59 p.m. PT / UTC-7 hours