Our Graduate Certificate in Business Administration is a short, full-time 8-month program designed to suit the needs of international students. This program may lead to additional opportunities for you to meet your professional goals. If you choose to stay in the US after completing your certificate you are eligible to apply for Optional Practical Training (OPT) to work in the US for 12 months, or you can move into one of many Masters programs at Northeastern University.

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This program is designed to build your skills in financial decision making, managing a global enterprise, the business of entrepreneurship and innovation, creating sustainable marketing strategies and fundamentals of managing different people and relationships throughout an organization. The networking opportunities are endless - you will have the chance to meet Boston alumni, engage with student organizations, leverage Northeastern’s corporate partnerships, and create deep bonds among your peers and professors.

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