Graduate Certificate in Technological Entrepreneurship

Become an Entrepreneur

This program is designed for professionals with college degrees or current graduate students interested in starting their own venture or creating an internal corporate venture. In this program, you will:

• Work on projects in multidisciplinary teams to apply emerging technology to solve customer problems, and from this, create new businesses.
• Learn specific skills in entrepreneurial marketing, business modeling, and business planning.
• Learn the different ways to finance new businesses and manage startup operations.

IDEA – Northeastern University’s Venture Accelerator

Technological Entrepreneurship students have the opportunity to get involved with Northeastern’s venture accelerator, IDEA. IDEA embodies the entrepreneurial spirit and ambition of Northeastern and its student body. Through the variety of roles students can have in IDEA, they will work to support real-world startups.

Certificate Requirements

The Graduate Certificate in Technological Entrepreneurship consists of four required 3-credit courses and one optional elective. The certificate can be completed in one calendar year and must be completed within a three year period. To earn the certificate, a student must attain a final minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.00.

Required Courses:

Disruptive and Emerging Technologies (Fall)
Entrepreneurial Marketing and Selling (Fall)
Lean Design and Development (Spring)
Business Planning for New Ventures (Fall or Spring)

Admissions Criteria

Applicants must have a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university with a minimum 3.0 grade-point average, preferably in a science, computing, engineering, health science, business or social science major or be enrolled in a graduate program at Northeastern University.

You may upload most or all of your documents to your online application; however, if you choose to submit anything via mail please use the following address:

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