

UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO DENVER | Executive MBA Program Academic Calendar

Cohort 45: August 2025 – February 2027 | EMBA CLASS OF 2027

Orientation | August 6 (Wed), 8:00A-5:00P (reception 5:30P-7:30P) in-person, campus
August 7 (Thur), 8:00A-5:00P, in-person, off site

TERM 1: August 8 – September 27, 2025
Leadership | Jung Park (Founder, Sherpath Coaching)
Accounting | Mary Malina (Professor, CU Denver)

Aug 8, 9 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Aug 10 – 22	Asynchronous
Aug 23 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Aug 24 – Sept 4	Asynchronous (Labor Day – Sept 1)
Sept 5, 6 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Sept 7 – 19	Asynchronous
Sept 20 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Sept 21 – 27	Asynchronous

TERM 2: October 17 – December 13, 2025
Analytical Decision Making | Thomas Eppel (Lecturer, UC Irvine)
Leading Individuals and Teams | Michelle Marks (Professor + former Chancellor, CU Denver)

Oct 17, 18 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Oct 19 – 31	Asynchronous
Nov 1 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Nov 2 – 13	Asynchronous (Veterans Day – Nov 11)
Nov 14, 15 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Nov 16 – Dec 5	Asynchronous (Bye-week, Thanksgiving – Nov 27)
Dec 6 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Dec 7 – 13	Asynchronous

TERM 3: January 9 – February 28, 2026
Economics | Kate Watkins (CO State Demographer)
Operations | Steve Lawrence (Associate Professor, Emeritus, CU Boulder)

Jan 9, 10 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Jan 11 – 23	Asynchronous
Jan 24 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Jan 25 – Feb 5	Asynchronous (MLK, Jr. Day – Jan 19)
Feb 6, 7 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Feb 8 – 20	Asynchronous
Feb 21 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Feb 22 – 28	Asynchronous (Washington's Birthday – Feb 16)

EMBA Intensive: March 20-21 (Fri, Sat), 8:30A-4:30P both days, in-person, campus
AI and Ethics | David Hildebrand

TERM 4: March 27 – May 16, 2026
Communication | Adriana Medina (CEO, Pangea Training)
Negotiation | Kelly See (Associate Professor, CU Denver)

Mar 27, 28 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Mar 29 – Apr 10	Asynchronous (Cesar Chavez Day – Mar 31)
Apr 11 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Apr 12 – 23	Asynchronous
Apr 24, 25 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Apr 26 – May 8	Asynchronous
May 9 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
May 10 – 16	Asynchronous

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TERM 5: May 29 – July 25, 2026 Finance John Shaw (Adjunct Professor, UNC Chapel Hill) + Jeff Brooks (Former Divisional CFO, P&G) Marketing TBD	
May 29, 30 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
May 31 – June 12	Asynchronous
June 13 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
June 14 – 25	Asynchronous
June 26, 27 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
June 28 – July 17	Asynchronous week (Bye-week, Independence Day – July 4)
July 18 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
July 19 – 25	Asynchronous
TERM 6: August 7 – September 26, 2026 International Business Jill Lohmiller (Director, Reynolds Program for Global Business) + David Chandler (Professor, CU Denver)	
Aug 7, 8 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Course abroad launch, in-person, campus + offsite
Aug 9-21	Asynchronous, virtual consulting work
Aug 22 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Pre-trip intensive, synchronous, online
Aug 23-27	Asynchronous, virtual consulting work
Aug 28-29 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus (tentative)
Aug 30 – Sept 12	Asynchronous, virtual consulting work (Bye-week, Labor Day – Sept 7)
Sept 13-26	International trip travel dates (tentative)
TERM 7: October 16 – December 12, 2026 Managing in Dynamic Environments Michael Leiblein (Professor, Ohio State University) Strategy Jeff Reuer (Professor, Purdue)	
Oct 16, 17 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Oct 18 – 30	Asynchronous
Oct 31 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Nov 1 – 12	Asynchronous (Veterans Day – Nov 11)
Nov 13 – 14 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Nov 15 – Dec 4	Asynchronous (Bye-week, Thanksgiving – Nov 26)
Dec 5 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Dec 6 – 12	Asynchronous
TERM 8: January 8 – February 27, 2027 Business Model Innovation Gideon Markman (Professor, Colorado State University) Capstone Jeff Brooks (Former Divisional CFO, P&G)	
Jan 8, 9 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Jan 10 – 22	Asynchronous (MLK, Jr. Day – Jan 18)
Jan 23 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Jan 24 – Feb 4	Asynchronous
Feb 5, 6 (Fri, Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	In-person, campus
Feb 7 – 19	Asynchronous (Washington's Birthday – Feb 15)
Feb 20 (Sat) 8:30A-4:30P	Synchronous, online
Feb 21 – 27	Asynchronous
Graduation March 6, 2027 (Sat) AM, in-person, campus	

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August 6-7, 2025: **Orientation**
 September 2026: *International Trip (tentative dates)*
 March 6, 2027: **Graduation**
 T_x = First day of term

v. 10/7/2025

In person / Campus / Trip

Synchronous / Online

Last day of term

Holiday / Break

2025 Colorado Public Holidays:

<i>Labor Day</i>	<i>Mon, Sep 1</i>
<i>Cabrini Day</i>	<i>Mon, Oct 6</i>
<i>Veterans Day</i>	<i>Fri, Nov 11</i>
<i>Thanksgiving</i>	<i>Thu, Nov 27</i>
<i>Christmas Day</i>	<i>Mon, Dec 25</i>

2026 Colorado Public Holidays:

New Year's Day	Mon, Jan 1
MLK, Jr. Day	Mon, Jan 19
Washington's Birthday	Mon, Feb 16
Cesar Chavez Day	Sun, Mar 31
Memorial Day	Mon, May 25
Independence Day	Thu, Jul 4
Labor Day	Mon, Sep 7
Cabrini Day	Mon, Oct 5
Veterans Day	Mon, Nov 11
Thanksgiving	Thu, Nov 26
Christmas Day	Wed, Dec 25

2027 Colorado Public Holidays:

New Year's Day	Wed, Jan 1
MLK Jr. Day	Mon, Jan 18
Washington's Birthday	Mon, Feb 15