**Doctoral Programs**

**A Career in Academia**

As a business professor and researcher at a top university, you will be embarking on a financially rewarding career that is intellectually challenging and personally fulfilling.

Washington University's Olin Business School is one of the nation's leading teaching and research institutions in the field of business. Study in Olin's rigorous and respected PhD program provides invaluable tools to move your career forward.

**Salary Comparison: Business Graduates & Faculty**

*USD annually, average earnings according to AACSB International Salary Survey 2012.
**USD annually, median starting salary for Washington University graduates in 2012.

**Faculty Life: Job Flexibility**

Working as a professor of business on a college campus provides you a great deal of flexibility. Aside from specific class times, meetings with other faculty, and office hours, you are free to create your own schedule and adapt your environment to your work style. This approach, typical in virtually all top academic institutions, allows you to focus on producing high-level research and managing the courses you teach.

**Business School Faculty Member Benefits**

- High job security
- Flexible working environments
- Attractive compensation packages
- Opportunities to help others through research and teaching
- Domestic and international travel

**Income Potential**

As a business school faculty member, your income is not limited to your annual salary. There are many opportunities in academia for you to earn additional income, including:

- Summer teaching
- Consulting
- Additional research
- Executive program instruction
- Textbook writing
- Sponsoring papers and presentations

**Other Career Options for PhDs**

In addition to a career as an academic researcher or professor at a research institution, PhD graduates may follow a profession in primary or secondary education, or in business and government research.
Demand for PhDs

Demand for business faculty members with doctoral degrees is strong, and that demand is expected to continue – just as the numbers of students enrolling in colleges and universities is also rising. As the population increases, more people are pursuing secondary and postsecondary degrees. This, coupled with the anticipated growth in adults returning to school, will increase enrollment even more. As more students begin study and current business school faculty members retire, the need for new faculty will remain strong.

Doctor of Business Administration

Olin’s new Doctorate of Business Administration (DBA) in Finance degree program prepares individuals to conduct applied research in specific disciplines, allowing them to pursue advanced careers in corporations, banks, government agencies, and research-oriented consulting positions.

Olin Has PhD Students and Scholars From All Over the World

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Consider a Career as a PhD

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