



Martin J. Whitman School of Management

School of Information Studies

2020 Orange Opportunity Scholarship

Announcement

During these difficult times, we do not want to forget to stop and enjoy your successes and congratulate you on your accomplishments at Syracuse University. We look forward to gathering to celebrate you in the future and we are dedicated to continue to support your educational and career goals. We understand that the need to stay in place is impacting your job prospects and mobility so the Whitman School and the iSchool have joined together to offer our Master's graduates a unique and valuable opportunity to continue their education and enhance their marketability for the future. The **2020 Orange Opportunity Scholarship** will offer you the opportunity to complete a second master's degree or certificate of advanced study (CAS) in either school with a 50% tuition scholarship. This tuition scholarship will only be available for graduating master's degree students of either school who return for a second degree in the iSchool or Whitman, starting in the Summer 2020 or Fall 2020 semesters.

Eligibility

- Must have graduated from a Whitman or iSchool MS main campus program in Fall 2019 - Summer 2020
- Must be admitted to one of the Whitman or iSchool programs listed below and start in Summer 2020 or Fall 2020.
- Deadline for application for admission is June 15, 2020.
- This scholarship is not available for the quarter-based online programs.

Orange Opportunity Scholarship Eligible Graduate Programs:

iSchool

[MS in Applied Data Science \(36CH\)](#)

[MS in Information Management \(42 CH\)](#)

[MS in Library & Information Science \(36 CH\)](#)

[CAS in Data Science \(15 CH\)](#)

[CAS in Information Security Management \(15CH\)](#)

[CAS in Information Technology Management \(15CH\)](#)

Whitman

[MS in Professional Accounting \(30 CH\)](#)

[MS in Business Analytics \(36 CH\)](#)

[MS in Entrepreneurship & Emerging Enterprises \(30 CH\)](#)

[MS in Finance \(30 CH\)](#)

[MS in Marketing \(30 CH\)](#)

[MS in Supply Chain Management \(30 CH\)](#)

[MBA \(54 CH\)](#)

Process:

- Student submits the following to their home (current) school: (See Contacts)
 - [INTERNAL APPLICATION](#)
 - Current resume
 - If you previously took the GMAT or GRE then please share scores but these are not required.
 - 300 - 500 word essay describing why you want to pursue this graduate degree and how your past personal, educational and professional experiences have prepared you for it.
- The home school confirms the graduation date and signs internal application and shares with admitting school.
- Admitting School:
 - Renders decision on admission
 - Provides advising to see if there will be credit reductions.
 - If admitted, send award letter.
- International students also need to work with the Office of International Services and complete an [I-20 Request Form](#).
- All International students are strongly encouraged to meet with the Office of International Services to understand the impact a second degree will have on their visa status and their OPT eligibility. international@syr.edu
- To accept the offer of admission, please return the scholarship offer letter and this will confirm both matriculation and acceptance of scholarship. No deposit is required.

Key Contacts:

iSchool

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Whitman

Christopher Wszalek (cwszalek@syr.edu) - Executive Director of Graduate Admissions & Recruiting

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