



During this unprecedented time of COVID-19 our International Admissions Department is still accepting and progressing with applications for the September 2020 intake, remaining positive and we are available to answer any queries you may have. We hope to welcome you to our campus soon.

Should you have any immediate questions please do not hesitate to contact a member of the International Admissions Team at international@dbs.ie

If you are yet to submit an application, but wish to do so, you may do so [here](#)

Courses available in the September 2020 intake, are be found [here](#)

Frequently Asked Questions for incoming Non-EU students for September 2020

Is DBS still accepting applications from all non-EU countries?

Yes, the DBS Admissions Office, and indeed all College Departments, remain open and operational. Applications are being processed as per usual and we endeavour to respond to all applicants in 48 working hours.

Can I still apply if currently there are travel restriction in my country?

Yes, while restrictions are commonplace in many countries we are still accepting applications. The global situation is ever-changing and we would suggest that you apply, as you normally would, with a view to continuing your studies abroad when it is safe and advisable to do so.

How will the Covid-19 affect my application?

Your application will not be affected in anyway whatsoever. We welcome all applications and normal admissions processes and procedures apply.

Is there flexibility around deposit payments?

If you have received a Confirmed Letter of Offer, you will have been invited to make a deposit payment that in many cases secures a scholarship. DBS will consider requests for a payment extension on a case-by-case basis and where there is a genuine case for an extension, an extension may be granted.

What is the DBS refund policy for courses commencing in September given Covid-19?

Should a student not be in a position to travel to Ireland, to commence studies, due to reasons associated with Covid-19 a full refund will be applied should the request be received prior to course commencement.

My current school/university is closed and I cannot complete my studies and exams?

We recommend that you still commence the application process and furnish what supporting documents that you can at present. DBS will continue to monitor the situation globally and react accordingly. Any accommodations that may be given would be done so in accordance with our quality assurance policies.

I cannot currently register for a recognised English language test, what are my options?

IELTS/TOEFL/iBT are English language tests required by DBS. Currently there is disruption in registering for these tests.

Therefore, it will now be possible to take the [Duolingo English Test](#). This is an online test that can be taken anywhere, anytime and results will be issued in 2 days.

Is it possible to defer my application?

We are accepting and assessing all applications as normal and look forward to welcoming new students to Dublin in September. However, if you feel that it is not realistic for you please do contact our International Admissions Team who can help in advising you of your options.

Can I apply for a student visa at present?

Presently Irish Visa Offices are not taking applications. Until they re-open, we advise that you continue your preparations for a visa application submission including gathering of all required supporting documentation. DBS is liaising with the Department of Justice in this regard and we will publish any updates, as soon such information is available.

Will courses commence in September 2020 at Dublin Business School?

As things stand, we are in full planning mode for courses to commence in September. Of course, the situation is fluid and evolving. Should it not be possible for courses to commence in September we will advise all students and may explore alternate delivery methods and/or start dates.

If I contract the Covid-19 Virus can/should I travel to Ireland?

No, in such cases you should not travel and follow local health advisories and seek medical assistance.