



Press release

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ESMT Berlin, HHL, and WHU collaborate on joint international career event

ESMT Berlin, HHL Leipzig Graduate School of Management, and WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management are hosting a joint MBA Talent Forum on November 28 at the ESMT campus in Berlin. This exclusive recruiting and networking event offers international companies a unique opportunity to connect in a single location with top MBA professionals from Germany’s leading business schools.

The companies attending the first ever **MBA Talent Forum** represent a diverse range of industries – from e-commerce and technology to manufacturing and finance – offering MBA candidates and alumni a broad spectrum of employment opportunities. The event is designed to help today’s companies widen their recruitment pool and benefit from the joint commitment of ESMT Berlin, HHL, and WHU, whose common goal is to strengthen the global business community.

Already confirmed to appear at this event are several prominent organizations, including **Altermind, Emerson, Emma, Henkel, Metals Hub, Mister Spex, Trade Republic, and Zalando**. And they, along with several others, will connect with top MBA students directly, discuss their corporate goals and promising career opportunities, and conduct interviews with pre-selected candidates for precise talent matching.

Companies interested in attending the MBA Talent Forum can learn more about the event [here](#). Applications are accepted until September 23.

About ESMT Berlin

ESMT Berlin is a leading global business school with its campus in the heart of Berlin. Founded by 25 global companies, ESMT offers master, MBA, and PhD programs, as well as executive education on its campus in Berlin, in locations around the world, online, and in online blended format. Focusing on leadership, innovation, and analytics, its diverse faculty publishes outstanding research in top academic journals. Additionally, the international business school provides an interdisciplinary platform for discourse between politics, business, and academia. ESMT is a non-profit private institution of higher education with the right to grant PhDs and is accredited by AACSB, AMBA, EQUIS, and ZEvA. It is committed to diversity, equity, and inclusion across all its activities and communities. esmt.berlin

About HHL Leipzig Graduate School of Management

HHL is a university authorized to confer doctoral and post-doctoral degrees. According to the Financial Times ranking, it is one of the leading international business schools and achieves top global rankings in the areas of career counseling, alumni network and salary after graduation. The primary goal of Germany’s oldest business school is to educate entrepreneurial, responsible and effective business leaders. HHL is distinguished by its excellent teaching, clear research orientation, practical transfer and exceptional student services. In 2022, the Donors' Association for the Promotion of Sciences and Humanities in Germany (Stifterverband für die Deutsche Wissenschaft) ranked HHL as Germany’s leading university for startups for the sixth consecutive time. Over the past 30 years, over 530 startups have emerged from HHL, employing more than 30,000 people. HHL was the first German private business school to receive accreditation from the internationally renowned

AACSB and has consistently maintained this high-quality status for four consecutive terms. [More data on HHL.](#)

About WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management

WHU – Otto Beisheim School of Management is an internationally oriented, privately financed business school with university status located in Vallendar and Düsseldorf. At WHU, more than 50 faculty members research and teach in the fields of management, finance and accounting, economics, entrepreneurship and innovation, marketing and sales, and supply chain management. WHU's high level of research competence is the result of a focus on three fundamental research principles: quality, internationality, and relevance for teaching and practice.

WHU's strategy is based on four core values: excellence, entrepreneurship, strong cohesion, and a cosmopolitan culture. An atmosphere characterized by openness, curiosity, diversity, and equal opportunities is of utmost importance to WHU. Further information is available at <https://www.whu.edu/>.

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