

QS GLOBAL FULL-TIME MBA RANKINGS

IIMA and IIMB among top 50

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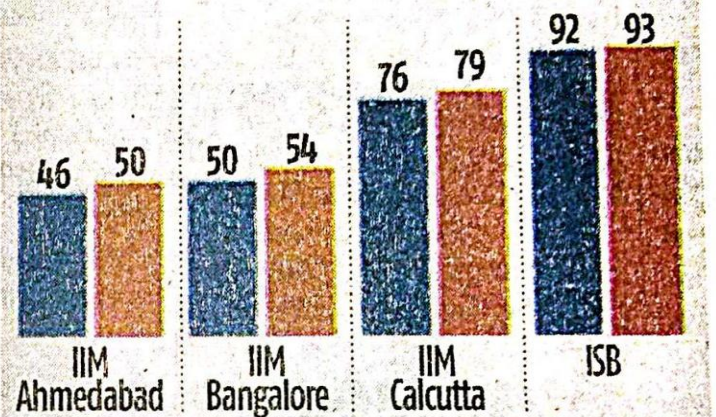
The Indian Institute of Management (IIM) Bangalore has joined IIM Ahmedabad in the top 50 list of the latest QS Global Full-Time MBA Rankings. QS, or Quacquarelli Symonds, is a leading global business school analyst and the rankings take into account the world's 286 strongest MBA offerings.

Besides IIMA and IIMB, IIM Calcutta and Indian School of Business (ISB) also improved their performances over last year. While both IIMA and IIMB moved up four places to be ranked 46 and 50, respectively, IIM Calcutta improved three places to rank 76. ISB, meanwhile, moved up one rank, to 92. IIM Indore and SPJIMR found themselves in the 151-200 band and IIM Lucknow in the 201-250 band.

QS also released a series of specialised high-demand business masters rankings, including Masters in Business Analytics, Masters in Marketing, and Masters in Finance. In Masters in Management, IIM Ahmedabad, Bangalore and Calcutta's two-year flagship programmes were ranked 31, 35 and 51, respectively. With employability as a central metric by which the programmes are judged, the results are designed to provide insights to those wishing to undertake a career-enhancing course for qualifica-

INDIAN B-SCHOOLS IN QS GLOBAL FULL-TIME MBA RANKINGS

■ 2021 Global Rank ■ 2020 Global Rank



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tions that are in high demand.

Globally, Stanford Graduate School of Business was named the world's number-one MBA programme for the second consecutive year. The upper echelons of the Global Full-Time MBA tablet remained dominated by American programmes, with Harvard Business School rising from fourth to joint-second, shared with The Wharton School.

At rank four, HEC Paris was Continental Europe's best, while the United Kingdom's number one provider was London Business School at rank six.