The Telfer Executive MBA Program focuses on experiential learning. This requires your active involvement in the hands-on discussions and interactions which occur throughout this rigorous professional development experience — in the Telfer Executive MBA environment where it is ‘live’. Situated in a central location within the downtown core of the city, the Centre for Executive Leadership creates the optimal destination for classes and meetings throughout the Program.

Classes take place on alternate Fridays and Saturdays, resulting in approximately two days off of work each month. A seven-day trip takes place at the end of the first academic year (May) and a nine-day trip is scheduled at the end of the second academic year (April-May). Trip dates are scheduled long in advance and communicated to you at

**A Telfer Executive MBA Class Day**

07:30 – 08:00: Candidates ease into the class day with the option of a nutritious continental breakfast served at the Centre for Executive Leadership.

08:00 – 10:15: With textbooks, laptop and coffee mug in hand, candidates make their way into the classroom for their class session. In term one, this session might be spent exploring a consulting framework with Professor Dana Hyde in Management Consulting.

10:15 – 10:30: Between morning classes, candidates enjoy a fifteen minute break – time to grab a snack provided by the Program and recap on the week’s events with fellow classmates and professors.

10:30 – 12:45: Candidates return to the classroom for their second class session. For a second year candidate in the first term, this class might take the form of Corporate Governance and Ethics with Professor Dalna Mazutis.

12:45 – 13:45: A buffet-style lunch is available at the Rideau Club. The Program actively encourages candidates to take the hour to relax and socialize with other candidates. On occasion, candidates may decide to use the hour to finish any last minute changes to projects or meet as a group.

13:45 – 16:00: Following lunch, candidates move into the classroom for the afternoon block of classes. In term two, first year candidates may spend the afternoon discussing marketing strategy and the Business Consulting Project with Professor Michael Mulvey as a part of the Strategic Marketing course.

16:00 – 16:15: Candidates enjoy another fifteen minute break between afternoon classes to re-energize before their final class of the day.

16:15 – 18:30: In the final class session, second year candidates might engage in a fascinating debate focused around the area of change management or spend the afternoon listening to the diverse perspectives of leading business leaders during the Leadership Lecture Series.

18:30: The class day is complete. For many Telfer Executive MBA candidates this is an opportunity to unwind over dinner with fellow classmates at one of the great restaurants located in the heart of downtown.

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