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## Lake Forest Graduate School of Management MBA Program Returns to Grayslake

*Location at Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital's Grayslake Campus is the perfect prescription for busy working professionals looking to earn their MBA close to home.*

LAKE FOREST, ILL (Aug. 4, 2010) – [Lake Forest Graduate School of Management](#) (LFGSM) is pleased to announce that a Lake Forest MBA can again be earned in Grayslake. In February 2011, LFGSM will be offering its MBA program on Saturday mornings in a state-of-the-art classroom at [Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital's Grayslake Campus](#) (NLFH-Grayslake Campus).

“Today’s business professionals often feel too busy with career, family and life obligations to invest in their professional development. Yet, they still want to advance their careers by gaining the skills and knowledge a strong reputable MBA program provides,” said LFGSM’s President & CEO John Popoli. “LFGSM specializes in making career advancement possible for busy professionals — manageable, convenient, and truly relevant. Because of our previous success with NLFH, and now that almost 300 of our current students and alumni live in the Grayslake area, offering our MBA program in Grayslake again just makes good sense.” Popoli continued, “Now Grayslake-area residents entering our program can pursue their Lake Forest MBA close to home on Saturdays, and still be home in time for lunch with their families.”



LFGSM’s Grayslake facility is located on Belvidere Road (Route 120) just west of Route 45, within the Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital Grayslake facility. LFGSM first offered its MBA at the Grayslake facility in 2006.

“This is a beautiful campus offering high-quality outpatient and emergency services to central Lake County and a convenient site for working professionals pursuing their MBA,” said Dawn Frank, 2009 LFGSM alum and Director of NLFH-Grayslake Campus.

Just like their peers at [LFGSM's Lake Forest, Chicago and Schaumburg campuses](#), students earning their Lake Forest MBA in Grayslake will broaden their knowledge through LFGSM’s 100% practitioner faculty. [LFGSM instructors are successful business leaders](#), ranging from positions as key executives in Fortune 500 companies to innovative entrepreneurs.

“I can literally say that without my Lake Forest MBA, I wouldn’t be where I am today,” said Harley Haney, a Principal Compliance Engineer & Business Development Associate at [Mitsubishi Electric Corporation](#) and

2010 LFGSM alum. "I initially chose LFGSM because of the convenience of the Grayslake location." Haney continued, "But what I learned at LFGSM catapulted my career at Mitsubishi." During his studies, Haney was promoted within Mitsubishi, something he directly credits to his ability to immediately apply what he learned at LFGSM to issues on the job.

The Lake Forest MBA is based on a practical business education model that combines solid business theory with real-world application. Students benefit from personal access to the experience and expertise of the industry leaders who teach the classes, as well as their fellow students who are business professionals with an average of 14 years of professional experience.

Classes for the four-year MBA program in Grayslake will be held on Saturday mornings from 8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. starting February 5, 2011. Lake Forest Graduate School of Management is now accepting applications for a limited enrollment to the Grayslake program.

For more information about the Lake Forest MBA at NFLH-Grayslake Campus, visit [www.LFGSM.edu/Grayslake](http://www.LFGSM.edu/Grayslake) or contact Marty Parker, Senior Admissions Manager, at 312.884.7958 or [mparker@lfgsm.edu](mailto:mparker@lfgsm.edu).



News of LFGSM's return to Grayslake comes just weeks after the [announcement that the School's Schaumburg campus will be relocating](#) and expanding into a state-of-the-art campus at 1300 E. Woodfield Road, scheduled to open in November 2010. Both expansions are part of an overall growth initiative for LFGSM, which has been serving the area's business professionals for 64 years and which endeavors to make its MBA program and corporate education programs increasingly more convenient, relevant and responsive to the needs of the Chicagoland business community.

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Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital is a wholly owned entity of Northwestern Memorial HealthCare. The hospital has 600 physicians board-certified in 68 medical specialties, conveniently located in offices throughout Lake County. Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital has been named the Consumer Choice Hospital for Lake and Kenosha counties according to a survey by National Research Corporation for five years in a row for having the best doctors, best nurses, best image and reputation, and best overall quality.