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## **WIA Members Receive Major Discount on International Space University's Executive MBA (EMBA) Program!**

WIA members are committed to their own professional development and that of women in the aerospace industry. If you're ready to pursue career advancement through education, WIA membership will save you one-third on the next [Executive MBA \(EMBA\)](#) class offered by the International Space University (ISU) set to start in March, 2011.

Intended to provide in depth understanding of business in the context of the special challenges of the space sector and similar fields, this MBA attracts students from a broad cross-section of the specialties on which successful space missions and activities depend. Thus, although the first module will provide material on specific business topics, it is also designed to provide technical knowledge to allow participants with non-technical backgrounds (e.g., law, economics, social sciences) to follow the entire program successfully.

For the next class, WIA members can apply for a one-time ISU EMBA scholarship worth 11,000 Euros for the degree program. There are a limited number of scholarships available, so please [apply](#) early!

ISU was named WIA's first Education Partner in March 2009. WIA Board Member and past Chair Debra Facktor Lepore and WIA president Daryle Lademan are ISU alumnae, as is Claudia Kessler, Board Chair of the recently-founded sister organization, WIA-Europe. As noted by Dr. Michael Simpson, President of ISU, "fully one-quarter of ISU's global alumni network are women, one-third of its US alumni are women, and in the class of 2008, U.S. women enrollees outnumbered U.S. men."

Women in Aerospace (WIA) is dedicated to expanding women's opportunities for leadership and increasing their visibility in the aerospace community. Our membership — women and men — shares an interest in a broad spectrum of aerospace issues, including human space flight, aviation, remote sensing, satellite communications, robotic space exploration, and the policy issues surrounding these fields. To learn more, visit us at: [www.womeninaerospace.org](http://www.womeninaerospace.org)