

# NTU, NUS among top 20 in FT's exec MBA rankings

**NTU debuts at No 13, NUS up nine places to No 17 spot**

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THE executive MBA (EMBA) programmes at Singapore's National Technological University (NTU) and National University of Singapore (NUS) ranked among the top 20 of the *Financial Times'* world's top 100 EMBA programmes.

NTU's EMBA pro-

gramme offered by Nanyang Business School debuted at number 13. It ranked second among programmes conducted solely by Asian universities, and was top among those offered solely by Singapore universities.

Strong salary increases, rich international experience and a culturally diverse class were key factors for Nanyang Business School achieving good results in its first year of participating in FT's EMBA league table.

The average annual salary of Nanyang EMBA alumni three years after graduation is US\$206,660, after adjusting for purchasing power parity. Their salaries were the third highest rising among holders of the top 20 EMBA degrees.

International students from about 15 countries

across Asia, Europe, South America and Africa make up about 80 per cent of the 60 to 70 participants that the Nanyang EMBA accepts each year.

Over at NUS, where its Asia Pacific Executive (Apex) MBA climbed nine places to 17th spot, the average annual salary of an alumnus is US\$235,567, the highest among graduates of single-degree EMBA programmes in Singapore.

The Apex MBA, which is also targeted at senior executives, has teaching segments in various countries, such as India, Indonesia, China, South Korea, Japan, Australia and Vietnam.

NUS's double degree programme with the University of California, Los Angeles retained its fifth position.

FT's 2013 EMBA rankings are based on a survey of the Class of 2010.