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Villanova University Named “Endorsed Education Provider” by the International Institute of Business Analysis

Online Certificates Meet IIBA's Rigorous Education Standards
for Business Analysis Professionals

TAMPA, FL (September 28, 2007) – In a move that acknowledges the excellence of Villanova University's [online business analysis program](#), the International Institute of Business Analysis (IIBA™) has awarded the university with “Endorsed Education Provider” status.

The industry's premier professional association, the IIBA evaluated and endorsed [Essentials of Business Analysis](#) and [Mastering Business Analysis](#), two courses that form the foundation for Villanova's Master Certificate in Business Analysis.

“We are proud to be recognized for superior content that's aligned with the IIBA Business Analysis Body of Knowledge™,” said Wayne Brantley, Senior Director of Professional Education for Villanova University Online.

Villanova's online [Master Certificate in Business Analysis](#) program prepares professionals for IIBA Certified Business Analysis Professional (CBAP™) designation, which demonstrates mastery of the skills necessary to be an effective business analyst. Ideal for anyone responsible for aligning business with IT projects, the master certificate program helps professionals identify and design processes to improve the overall flow of information within an organization.

“This recognition by the IIBA is further evidence of how we're transforming professional education with academic excellence and online convenience,” Brantley noted.

About Villanova University

Founded in 1842, [Villanova University](#) is the worldwide leader in professional education online. A traditional, accredited university located in Villanova, Pennsylvania, it has more than 82,000 alumni, NCAA Division I athletic teams, unparalleled academic and technical support and an outstanding faculty. *U.S. News & World Report* has named Villanova University #1 in the “Best Universities – Master's, North Region” category for more than a decade.

About University Alliance Online

[University Alliance Online](#), with more than 300,000 enrollments to date, is America's largest exclusive provider of online certificate and degree programs from the nation's

leading universities including [Villanova University](#), the [University of Notre Dame](#), [Tulane University](#), [Thunderbird School of Global Management](#), [Saint Leo University](#), [Regis University](#), [Jacksonville University](#), [The University of Scranton](#), the [University of South Florida](#) and [Florida Institute of Technology](#). Program offerings include a broad range of professional certificates, as well as associate's, bachelor's and master's degrees.

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