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American Global University Fast Track Degree Granting Policy

Many of the inquiries that we receive at American Global University (AGU) are made by working individuals who have not been able to acquire a more traditional higher education because of their employment and/or other daily routine, geographical inconvenience, or cost of tuition, and have found distance learning as a viable alternative means for the achievement of their educational goals. In the final analysis, “know-how” is the ultimate goal of education, and we at AGU fully believe that work experience is know-how. Indeed, we thus consider an in-depth portfolio* to be a major part of our Fast Track Degree Program (FTDP) and equivalent to a traditional degree program. As a result, students who qualify, may elect to undertake the development and submission of a comprehensive portfolio as an alternative to more traditional coursework leading to a degree. Therefore, the FTDP enables the student to earn his or her degree in a shorter period of time.

In order to take advantage of this great opportunity, to start the process, please provide us with your application, application fee**, and resume. Subsequently, we will send you information regarding the completion of your portfolio and tuition***, including a portfolio evaluation fee. After you have submitted your portfolio for evaluation, we will send you the results of the evaluation and final steps necessary for the completion of your degree program.

Wishing you success in the achievement of your educational goals.

Dr. Glenn Balch Jr., Ph.D., Dean of the University
American Global University

*A portfolio is an in-depth work of one’s life and work experiences centered upon one’s area of interest that may be submitted in lieu of regular coursework toward a degree. A committee of highly qualified professors knowledgeable in the student’s field will evaluate the portfolio. A critical component of how successful an applicant is in receiving learning credit is dependent upon the quality and thoroughness with which the portfolio has been compiled, assembled, and organized.

**The application fee is \$150.00 if submitted via cashier's check or money order (no personal checks or charge/credit cards accepted). Due to the relatively slow progress of regular mail/post, this method of payment is recommended as practicable only for anyone residing in the United States or Canada. The application fee is \$180.00 if submitted via wire transfer (U.S. banks charge for receiving and processing wire transfers). This method of payment is much more expeditious, reliable, and is recommended especially for anyone applying from outside the United States. All application fees must be paid in U.S. currency.

***FTDP tuition: BA/BS \$6,000.00, MA/MS \$7,000.00, Doctorate \$8,000.00. FTDP is applicable to the “Doctor of (Discipline)” but not to the Ph.D. Traditional coursework and a dissertation are required for the Ph.D. (see AGU’s Prospectus for further details). All tuitions must be paid in U.S. currency.

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