

John M. and Mary Jo Boler School of Business

A Department of Business Administration was established in 1934 in the College of Arts and Sciences to provide professional training for students aspiring to positions of responsibility in the business world. This department was expanded in 1945 into the School of Business. In 1996, the School was named in honor of John M. and Mary Jo Boler.

Programs of concentration are offered in seven professional fields, leading to the degree of bachelor of science in business administration (B.S.B.A.) or bachelor of science in economics (B.S.E.). The Boler School of Business, through the Graduate School, also offers graduate programs leading to the master of business administration (M.B.A.) and master of science in accountancy (M.S.Ac.) degrees. These programs are fully described in the *Graduate School Bulletin*.

Mission and Core Values

The Boler School of Business develops and inspires tomorrow's leaders through educational excellence in the Jesuit tradition.

The Boler School of Business carries out this mission by:

- Striving to foster the ongoing development of the highest standards of personal integrity among all members of its community.
- Promoting the achievement of educational excellence through a challenging course of studies.
- Emphasizing development and implementation of innovative techniques that keep it at the forefront of the dynamic business education environment.
- Nurturing the intellectual, personal, and moral development of each student and inspiring each to become a person for others.
- Committing to incorporate an international dimension into its teaching, research, and service programs.
- Encouraging all of its constituents to develop a sense of belonging and responsibility within the community, to respect and care for one another, and to take actions that they believe promote the common good.
- Believing that faculty scholarship is an essential part of the process that couples lifelong learning with teaching excellence.

More information regarding the Boler School's core values is available from the dean's office or on the Boler School's website at <http://bsob.jcu.edu>.