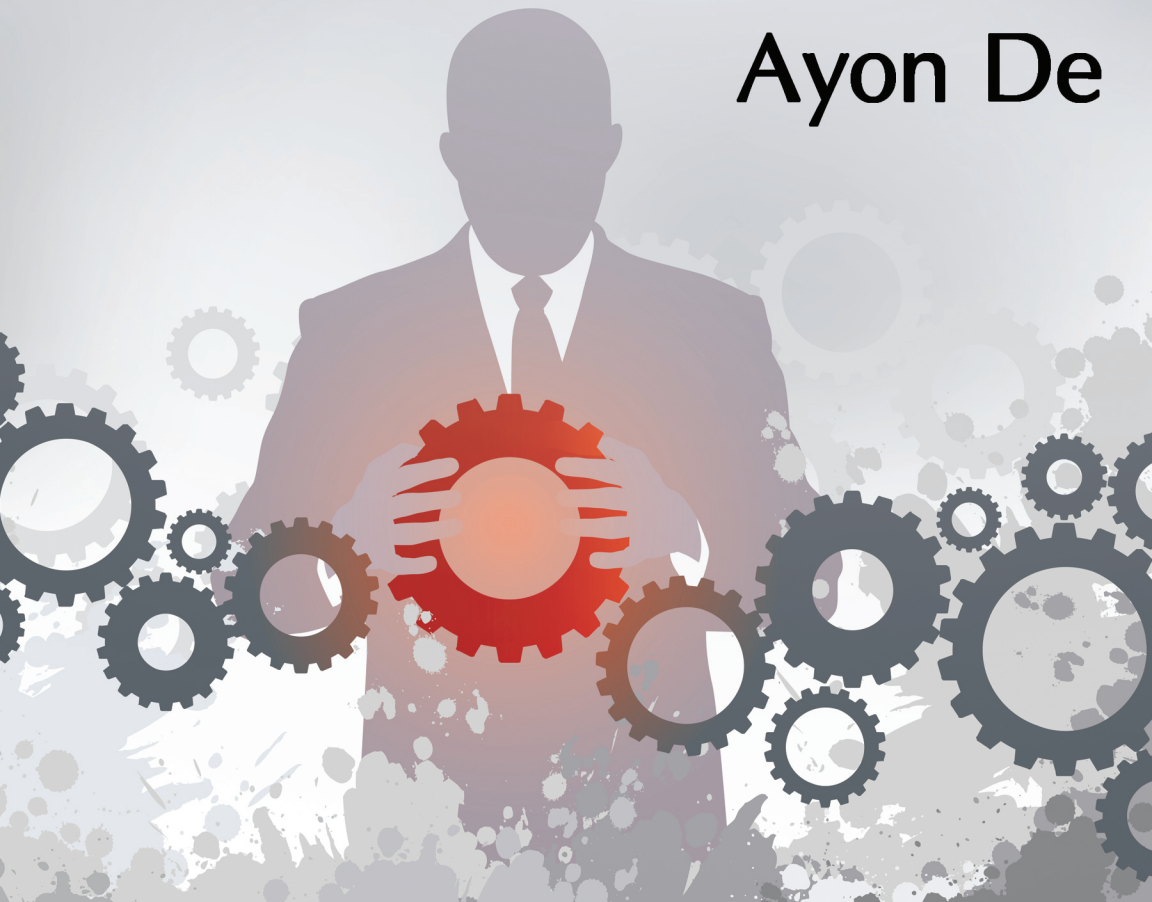




MBA Admissions Essays

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Essay 1: Please describe your short-term and long-term career goals and how your current professional experiences relate to these goals. Explain why you are pursuing an MBA degree at this point in your career. Specifically, how will the Merage MBA help you accomplish these goals?

My undergrad – Engineering – was a highly specialized education that imparted strong analytical skills and technical competence. Initially I found these skills sufficient for my career. However, as my responsibilities grew I was exposed to various business elements of service operations, and the lack of business education meant I was a skill short that limited my career growth opportunities. I require MBA at this time to gain management skills to push my career into higher trajectory. With my life experience, I can now fully immerse and contribute to the learning at Merage.

I work in Telecommunications industry providing technical consultation to global clients for mobile network deployment envisioning operational bottlenecks. Before nose-diving into MBA, I worked as subject matter expert and managed resources while implementing projects. I am certified in Orange belt - Lean 6 Sigma, and further pursuing Green Belt and PMP. The Merage MBA will leverage on my professional experiences to integrate business skill sets and help me visualize the “Big Picture”. Personally, I know that I’ll be a part of the tight-knit family where collaboration prevails and my raised hand in class will not go unnoticed. The Merage MBA will complement my character as it is a personal and professional fit, and transform me into a global business leader to reach my goals.

During my MBA, I aspire to obtain solid grounding in the field of operations & finance. I believe that doing so will assist me to become a