Real Estate Asset Program Center for Real Estate, Marquette University

Summer 2021



Executive Summary

WHAT

Marquette is starting a real-world studentfocused investment program in real estate

HOW

Students (led by an experience program Director) would pair with a group of investors to acquire commercial real estate properties and provide ongoing investment management

WHY

Applied-learning is the future of education in real estate, and Marquette would be the first program in the nation offering this at the undergraduate level

NEED

Marquette is seeking both (1) experienced candidates for the

Director role and

(2) partners interested in sharing deals for student evaluation and possible investment by the REAP investment committee



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REAP Overview

Select group of students

Asset management of real properties



Special series of classes

Investing in actual real estate deals



National Comparison Programs

	UNC-Chapel Hill	UNC-Charlotte	Michigan	Villanova	UW-Madison	Marquette
Started	2008	2016	2016	2017	2020	2021
Students	17	10	30-40	15	20-25	8-10
Format	Graduate*	Graduate	Graduate*	Undergraduate	Graduate	Undergraduate
Educational	Outside class	Formal class	Outside class	Outside class	Formal class	Formal class
Setup					12 credits	6 credits
Fund Size	\$12 million	\$500,000	\$300,000	\$650,000	\$3 million	\$1 million
Fund	Separate PE	PE fund	Funds held	Fund held inside	Separate PE	Deal-by-deal
Structure	funds, currently	structure, held	inside UM	VU endowment	fund structure	fundraising from
	on Fund IV, held	by UNCC	endowment,	but earmarked		pledged
	by UNC	Foundation	part of series of	for this program		investors/IC
	Foundation, for-		student-led			members
	profit		funds			

^{*}Some undergraduate assistance in "analyst" roles

Marquette would be the <u>first undergraduate program in the nation</u> with a classroom-based student-run real estate investment program



REAP Investment Structure

Overview

- Approx. 7 10 active investments over time
- \$100,000 to \$250,000 equity investment per project
- Goal of \$1 million \$2.5 million equity invested portfolio-wide



Partnership Structure

- Deal structure type:
 - Limited Partner (LP)
- Distinct Entity (i.e. MU REAP Manager LLC)
 - Separate LLC for each investment
 - Controlled by Investment Committee (IC)
 - Managed by IC Chair
- REAP Director helps students evaluate ("pitch") investments & manage existing investments with sponsors



Assets

- Targeted Asset Types
 - Residential (multifamily / apartments)
 - Industrial
 - Office
 - Retail
- Target Investment Types
 - Acquisition
 - Rehab/Redevelopment
 - Ground-up Development



Investment Committee



IC Member Overview:

- 5-7 voting members
- ~\$1 million committed in Investment Funding
- \$35k/year committed to Operations Funding (\$5k/year/member)
- Assist in:
 - Sourcing deals
 - Overseeing the overall investment process
- Commit capital to all approved deals
- Final vote: deal approval or denial
- Meet at least 4 6 times/year



REAP Operations Funding Continued

- \$ 35,000 Michelle and Don Panovich
- \$ 30,000 Christopher Hughes, Bus Ad '88
- \$ 15,000 Walt Rebenson, Bus Ad '81
- \$105,000* 7 Investment Committee Members
- \$ 15,000* WiSLiM Foundation (Hughes)
- \$ 25,000* Michael Klein Family
- \$ 15,000* Robert Kuesel

Goal (first 3 years of operating funds): \$240,000

Total raised to-date: \$240,000+

Long-term operations funding sources include: IC member annual commitments, sponsorships, alumni gifts, fees and investment promote structures



^{*} Pledged over the first three years

REAP Director

Teaching and student support/mentoring

Deal-making and investor relations

RESPONSIBILITIES

Legal oversight and coordination

Asset and portfolio management

The REAP Director will be a seasoned professional, providing oversight to all investment activities and continuity with investors and sponsors



Next Steps: Milestones

- Fundraising commitments secured for years 1 − 3 operating budget needs
- Obtain university approval for REAP and hiring the Director
- Hire Director (summer 2021)
- Select students (fall 2021)
- Begin classes and making investments (spring 2022)

Target Start for First Cohort of Students: January 2022



Management Team

Contacts for questions about REAP



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ADDENDUM

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Addendum 1: Why Marquette is perfect for REAP?

Top ranked program | Ethical, self-aware students | Midwest work ethic

IN-DEMAND GRADS

100%

2012 - Present

Job placement within 6 months of graduation

TOP RANKED PROGRAM

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2016 2017 2018

2019 2020

Best Undergraduate Real Estate Programs in the U.S.

TALENT VS OTHER PROGRAMS



Championships - Regional case competition 1st place finishes since 2009; 5 since 2016

GREAT PROGRAM SIZE

159

Undergraduate Real Estate Majors



Addendum 2: Why REAP?

National Leadership

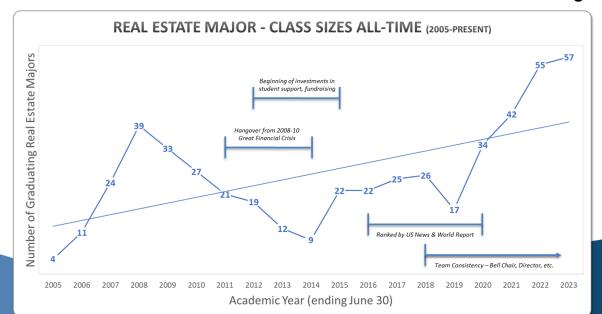
Would be the 1st
 undergraduate offering
 like it in the nation

Program Growth

39.5% Y-o-Y growth2018-2023

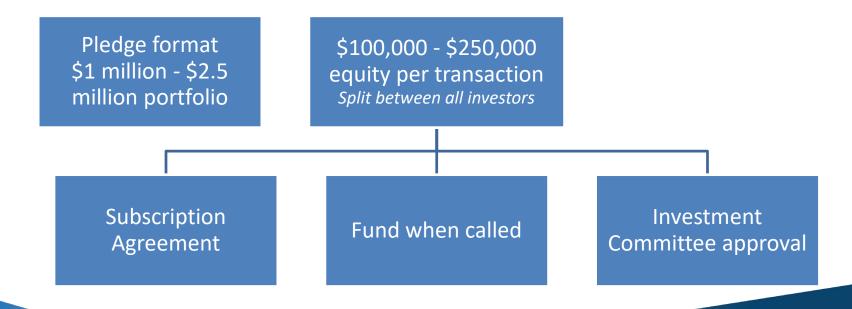
Applied Learning

Compliment to AIM Program,
 Commercial Banking
 Program, Sales Program





Addendum 3: Raising Investment Capital





Addendum 4: Team Bios



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Addendum 5: REAP Funding Structure

Donations

Monetary donations

Sponsorships

In-kind donations

Fees

1.5% REAP Management fee

Other fees

Promote

Earned through successful exits of investments

Deal by deal



Addendum 6: Academic Overview

Typical Path	REAP Path		
Real 3001 – Introduction to Real Estate	Real 3001 – Introduction to Real Estate		
REAL 4002 – Commercial Real Estate Finance	REAL 4002 – Commercial Real Estate Finance		
REAL 4061 – Real Estate Modeling	REAL 4100 – Real Estate Development		
REAL 4100 – Real Estate Development	REAL 4120 – Real Estate Cases		
REAL 4120 – Real Estate Cases	REAP Class 1 – Applied Real Estate Asset		
REAL Elective (Internship for Credit, Case Competition, Construction Management,	Management and Modeling Junior Year - 3 credits		
Topics in Real Estate)	REAP Class 2 – Intermediate Real Estate Investing Senior Year – 2 credits		
	REAP Class 3 – Advanced Real Estate Investing		

Senior Year - 1 credit

Addendum 7: REAP Investment Process

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