Featured School:
American University of Sharjah
School of Business and Management
Sharjah, United Arab Emirates

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AACSB International
Construction began: 18 January 2010
Open for Business: August 2011
Size: 14,000 square meters
Floors: 3
Cost: 90 million UAE dirhams (1 USD = 3.68 dirhams)
Architectural Firm: Godwin Austen Johnson (GAJ)
Construction Firm: Al Mazrouei Bwyer Building LLC (AMBB LLC)

Offices: 96 faculty offices; 6 department head offices with connecting administrative assistant offices; conference room for each department; suite of offices for dean, associate dean, director of graduate studies, advisors—including conference room; 4 offices for Center/Placement Directors; 8 additional offices for administrative support people; space for IT staff.

Classrooms: Two 24 station computer labs, 18 classrooms with 42 seats; one 80 seat classroom; one 120 seat classroom; three EMBA/executive education classrooms; two larger capacity meeting/seminar rooms; 8 breakout/case-study rooms; the two large classrooms and two of the 42 seat classrooms have video capture capability.

Other: Two large lounge areas (approximately 12m X 12m) on the ground floor; several student study areas along corridors on ground and first floors; faculty lounge; lounge area to support executive education programs; three open-air atriums (two--11.85m X 11.85m—with “open” domes—see photo)—and the third, in the center—10.85m X 11.85m—with flat open “ceiling” matching domes in style.