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UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS, PRAGUE
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS – CENTRAL EUROPEAN BUSINESS REALITIES
Master's Program

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UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS, PRAGUE

- **Public** university established in 1953
- **Leading** Czech university in the field of Management and Economics:
  - approx. 16 000 students,
  - approx. 700 members of academic staff
- **VŠE graduates** occupy many **important positions** both in the private and the public sector
RAJSKÁ BUILDING (MAIN CAMPUS)
6 FACULTIES OF VŠE

- Faculty of Finance and Accounting
- Faculty of International Relations
- Faculty of Business Administration
- Faculty of Informatics and Statistics
- Faculty of Economics
- Faculty of Management
3 INTERNATIONAL BACHELOR PROGRAMMES IN ENGLISH

- exchange period included (study or internship)
- degree from VŠE
- each programme has its own coordinator

- IBB – Bachelor of International Business
- BBA - Bachelor of Business Administration
- ECON - Bachelor of Economics
7 INTERNATIONAL MASTER PROGRAMMES IN ENGLISH

- exchange period included (study or internship)
- degree from VŠE/partner university/group of universities
- each programme has its own coordinator

- IB - International Business – Central European Business Realities
- MIFA – Master in Finance and Accounting
- IDS - International and Diplomatic Studies
- EGEI – Economics of Globalisation and European Integration
- CEMS MIM - International Management
- MIMG –Management
- ISM - Information Systems Management
- QEA- Quantitative Economic Analysis
- MOS – Official Statistics
Student Activities & Clubs

- **Buddy System** – support for international students
- International organizations – **AIESEC Praha, AEGEE Praha, Model United Nations** and others
- **Musica Oeconomica Pragensis** – student choir, chamber orchestra
- **Gaudeamus** – folklore group
- Sport Clubs
- Film Club
Partnership with **240+** universities and business schools from all over the world:

- Europe
- North America
- Latin America
- Australia & New Zealand
- Asia
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS II

• **1 000** international students from 50-60 countries in Degree programs and Exchange program
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Master's Program

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• Opens it’s 16th academic year
• Teachers in IB program are from all faculties of VŠE Praha
• EPAS accredited – International accreditation of EFMD
• Welcome new admitted students
• Welcome double degree students from partner universities in Austria, France and Germany this year!
• 350 graduates
• Anual Alumni meeting at the university

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SYSTEM OF YOUR STUDY

ECTS credits

• 144 ECTS for 2 years of study
  => (120 + 24 reserved)

Master's study = 120 ECTS

=> 61 ECTS: compulsory courses
  => major IB

=> 9 ECTS: optional courses
  => major IB

=> 24 ECTS: „Business Practices“-compulsory
  => minor IB

=> 6 ECTS: „Business Practices“-optional
  => minor IB

=> 6 ECTS: state exam major specialization

=> 6 ECTS: state exam minor specialization

=> 8 ECTS: defense of the master’s thesis

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STUDY PLAN - EXAMPLE

1st Semester
Compulsory courses → 29 ECTS

2nd Semester
Compulsory courses → 24 ECTS
Optional courses → 6 ECTS

3rd Semester
Business practices (BPR) → 30 ECTS
Diploma Thesis Seminar → 2 ECTS
State exam BPR → 6 ECTS

4th Semester
Compulsory courses → 6 ECTS
Optional Course → 3 ECTS
State exam - IB major → 6 ECTS
Defense of Master Thesis → 8 ECTS

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COURSES REGISTRATION / ENROLLMENT

• **1st semester**
  - Major courses registered by IB office

• **2nd, 3rd, 4th semesters**
  - Registration by students
  - Procedure described on the IB website

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# VSE Grading Scale

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STUDY RULES

- Decision on the Tuition fee payment
  3600EUR / academic year

- Statute of the University of Economics, Prague

- Study and Examination Rules of the University of Economics, Prague

- The Higher Education Act

- Scholarship regulations

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STUDY GRANT

• **Accommodation scholarship** - apply via InSIS/Student portal

• **Ability scholarship** - in the second academic year, depends on the study performance in the first academic year

• **! IMPORTANT condition to get paid financial benefit!** you have to open a bank account in the Czech Republic for any payment arrangement done by the University of Economics, Prague, bank account must be inserted in InSIS.

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Where to borrow books?

VSE library

**Location:** Old Building mezanin


Library visit – Tuesday morning
Registration at the reception desk (20 CZK/year)
Information lecture; offers & services of the library will be organised in a special meeting
Other information & help = your Buddy or IB assistant Alena

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**IB LIBRARY**

**Location:** International Business Office (RB 524)

• During office hours of Ms. Alena Lajpoldová: announced in InSIS or at the IB website

• Come to the IB office, choose a book, fill in the Borrowing List (date, name and signature) and take the book with you.

• Books can be lent from the **first week of your semester** (as you have to form groups before borrowings some titles)

• Your **group must be created before you come to borrow the book!**

• **All members of the group are responsible for the book!**

• Return of the books after the exams, before the end of exam period!

ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/2019

Winter semester:
- **Courses:**
  September 17 - December 14, 2018
- **Examination period:**
  December 17 - 21 & 27 - 28, 2018
  January 2 - February 1, 2019

Summer semester:
- **Courses:**
  February 11 - May 10, 2019
- **Examination Period:**
  May 13 - June 21, 2019

Holiday – July + August 2019

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PUBLIC HOLIDAY

- **Winter semester:**
  Thursday – September 27 – Dean´s day
  Friday - September 28
  Sunday – October 28
  Saturday - November 17

- **Summer semester:**
  Thursday – April 18 – Dean´s day
  Friday - April 19
  Monday - April 22
  Wednesday - May 1
  Wednesday - May 8

Public holiday = no school, the university is closed
Dean´s day = classes, office hours cancelled

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Second year of your studies...

- **Stay in Prague**

  or

- **Study abroad**

  1. **Double Degree (two semesters)**
     - Only for IB students
     - Study results + motivation interview
  2. **Exchange program (one semester)**
     - For all programs at VŠE
     - Study results + other requirements

More info -> information meeting on November 23, 2018

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STUDY ABROAD - Double Degree

» IAE Lyon, France
» HS Mainz, Germany
» MCI Innsbruck, Austria
» IUN Geneva, Switzerland
» SGH Warsaw, Poland
» Linnaeus University, Sweden
» University of Vaasa, Finland
» University of Lapeenranta, Finland

Procedure info at a special meeting - 23rd November 2018
Applications in February 2019 / Selection and final decision in March 2019
Double Degree

- IAE LYON, FRANCE:
  Max # of places: 5
- HS MAINZ, GERMANY:
  Max # of places: 5
- MCI INNSBRUCK, AUSTRIA:
  Max # of places: 8
- IUG GENEVA, SWITZERLAND:
  Max # of places: 1
- LINNAEUS UNIVERSITY, SWEDEN:
  Max # of places: 2
- SGH WARSAW, POLAND:
  Max # of places: 2
- UNIVERSITY OF VAASA, FINLAND:
  Max # of places: 2
- LAPPEENRATA UNIVERSITY, FINLAND
  Max # of places: 2

**Info and conditions:**
- Selection process is based on Grade Point Average - Study Results
- Must complete 59 ECTS in the 1st academic year
- Must pass all compulsory courses of the 1st academic year

**Time schedule:**
- November 23, 2018: Information meeting
- February 2019: Applications
- March 2019: Selection and final decision
STUDY ABROAD - Exchange program

- Winter semester 2019/2020 abroad
- More than 240 partner universities worldwide

=> Erasmus+ program for eligible countries
=> Other countries - overseas

Applications and Selection February- March 2019

Procedure info at a special meeting –
23rd November
and at http://ozs.vse.cz
NEXT PRESENTATIONS

- Administration
- How to use InSIS