

Department of Economics

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Mission

The degree programmes of the Department of Economics of Ca' Foscari University of Venice - founded as a **Business school** in **1868**, the second ever established in Europe after Antwerp - are planned and updated on a yearly basis to prepare its 3500 students to evolve in a **changing economic scenario** round the world in the private and public sector as well as in institutions, international organizations and NGOs.

The Department offers, among other courses, Bachelor, Master and PhD courses taught entirely in English. Internships abroad, more than 40 Erasmus+ destinations, partnerships, Double and Joint degrees with some of the most important international universities in and outside Europe contribute to the international dimension that has always characterized Ca' Foscari.

The Department of Economics covers the whole spectrum of **economic and financial**, **statistic and mathematic fields**, and many aspects of **legal**, **international**, **social**, **touristic**, **environmental and climatic fields**.

"With our courses, which offer very high employability to our graduates, we are trying to respond to new global challenges by training experts in Big Data, Al and green finance. The Department is an international environment in which people meet and study together, to develop cutting-edge research".

Giacomo Pasini

Director Department of Economics

Location San Giobbe Economics Campus, Cannaregio 873, 30121 Venice **Web Site** www.unive.it/dep.economics

Why study with us?

DIVE into the heart of Venice, a place like no other

GET AHEAD with industry-focused teaching and specialist advice

EXPERIENCE an enriching and stimulating university life, full of cultural events and sport initiatives

RECEIVE all the help and support you need for your experience in Italy and your university life at our Welcome Unit

EXPLORE innovative learning experiences through our Bloomberg Finance Lab and VERA Centre

BUILD your career in an inclusive and multicultural environment and develop interpersonal skills with your future colleagues through workshops and seminars



Ca' Foscari University of Venice in numbers

- over 22,000 students
- + 7,500 new enrollments every year more than 600 professors and researchers
- more than 700 professors and researchers
- more than 700 Technical Administrative Staff and Foreign Language Assistant
- 20 Bachelor's Degree Programmes (First Cycle Degree Programmes)
- 40 Master's Degree Programmes (Second Cycle Degree Programmes)
- 16 PhD Degrees's programmes
- 22 Professional Master's Programmes (1st level)
- 12 Professional Master's Programmes (2nd level)

The Department of Economics:

- more than 3,500 students
- + 1,200 new enrollments every year
- 120 professors and researchers
- 35 Technical Administrative Staff
- 2 Bachelor's Degree Programmes
- 6 Master's Degree Programmes
- 5 First Level Professional Master's Programmes
- 5 Second Level Professional Master's Programmes
- 2 PhD Programmes

San Giobbe Economics Campus







In 2021 Ca' Foscari completed the expansion of the Economics Campus at San Giobbe, marking the end of an important phase in the project to develop new buildings and facilities for students, teachers and researchers at Ca' Foscari. Thanks to the project of expansion accommodation facilities, academic staff wor-

krooms and administrative offices of the Departments of Economics, as well as the Economics and Management Library (BEC), are all in a single location, providing more space and efficient resources for our students, researchers and teachers. Our cutting edge 23,000m2 Campus offers over 230 accommodation places, individual and group study spaces with wi-fi across the whole area, a brand new cafeteria, a 2,000m2 green area for socializing in between lectures, and easy access to help and support at the dedicated front-office. The Economics and Management Library (BEC) on the San Giobbe Economics Campus gives access to a wide range of resources across all subject areas with over 250,000 volumes and 3,300 periodicals, as well as electronic databases, e-journals, and e-books.

The Bloomberg Finance Lab

At the ground floor of the Economics and Management Library (BEC), is located the Bloomberg Finance Lab: a structure equipped with 11 of the latest Bloomberg Terminals, which provides real-time data on each market, latest news, in-depth research, powerful analysis tools, communication tools and world-class execution features in a single fully-integrated solution. Students can use the same platform used by the world's leading banks, corporations and government agencies to enhance their academic studies across a wide range of disciplines. The lab also offers a unique and innovative learning experience, as well as the opportunity to earn the **Bloomberg Market Concepts** (BMC) certificate free of charge.



Our rankings







bachelor's degree programme



master's degree programme

QS World Top Universities Rankings by Subject 2024



Economics & Econometrics TOP 200 5° in Italy



Geography
TOP 200
3° in Italy



Accounting & Finance
TOP 250



Hospitality & Leisure Management TOP 100 1° in Italy

THE World University Rankings 2024

Ca' Foscari University of Venice has been ranked in the top 2% higher education institutions in the world, with Business and Economics ranked in the top 251-300.



Shanghai Ranking Global Ranking of Academic Subjects 2023 (GRAS)

Ca' Foscari University of Venice is in the Top 201 - 300 for Economics





Economics: a department of excellence

The Department of Economics has for the second consecutive year been declared one of the 180 Italian Departments of Excellence. As a result, it will receive funding of seven million euros over the next 5 years from the Ministry of University and Research

VIVA (Venice Initiative on Vulnerability Analysis) is the new project for the department of excellence, the aim of which is to study how to deal with the issues related to social economic systems in transition, with special focus on vulnerable situations which might be exacerbated by exposure to exogenous shocks, thereby increasing inequality in diverse settings (economic, environmental, demographic, health etc). The distinguishing feature of VIVA will be a shared scientific approach both in experimental fields, such as field experiments and randomized studies, and in evidence-based policy and multidiscipliniarity. The integration of research, teaching, and instruction will be reinforced by a broad activity of knowledge transfer between stakeholders, researchers and students

The specific aims of the project:

- 1) Reinforce a multidisciplinary approach and the department's mission as a reference point for the study, design, implementation, and evaluation of public policies to meet new vulnerabilities
- 2) Boost research by carrying out field experiments and randomized studies, especially in the field of public policy
- 3) Increase the Department's ability to attract international staff
- 4) Start up and structure constant interaction with stakeholders and the region for a proactive sharing of requirements and responses.

Over the next five years, thanks to the funding received, the Department of Economics will create an interdisciplinary research group around the VIVA themes, consolidate the department's infrastructure by making available considerable resources for the setting up of field experiments and the alignment of computing resources, and will deliver high quality teaching. All this while continuing and reinforcing the results and achievements reached in the previous five-year period of excellence.



Our research



The research activities at the Department of Economics are based on a solid tradition in economic studies dating back to the origin of Ca' Foscari University of Venice, which was founded in 1868 as the first Royal School of Commerce in Italy. The Department focuses on a wide range of research areas, such as:



Behavioral and experimental economics

Our research focuses on market design and on the role of cooperation and competition within markets, in the labour environment and when considering social interactions overall, as well as the evolution and transmission of social and moral norms.



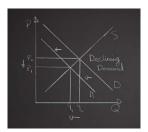
Econometrics, data science and quantitative methods

Our research is interdisciplinary and focuses on mathematical and statistical methods for economic, financial and econometric modelling, and their application to the different areas of economic and financial analysis in support of risk management, decision-making, and of the regulation of markets and institutions.



Economic geography, regional science and tourism economics

This research area analyses the nature, size, causes, consequences and which economic policy interventions may affect disparities in terms of economic prosperity at the geographical level both at the sub-national level (regional, urban or local) and in the international arena.



Economic theory

This research area focuses on the theoretical analysis of microeconomic and macroeconomic phenomena with attention to the study of financial and credit markets, contracts and auctions, networks, optimal taxation, economic growth and inequality, interaction between politics and economics, and market regulation.



Empirical economics and policy evaluation: labor, health, ageing and development

This research area focuses on issues such as pensions, immigration, wage distribution, labour supply, informal employment and unemployment, long-term care. This research area in also interested in investigating participation in welfare programs, saving choices, fertility and health choices as well as human capital investments, both when considering children and young adults, in developed and developing countries.



Environmental, resource and climate economics

This research area aims to develop and implement theoretical and empirical tools for the economic analysis of natural resource management, climate change and ESG risks, externalities, and associated policies and measures, both within the public and private domain.



Finance and Macroeconomics

This research area focuses on the functioning of financial markets, on the role of financial and insurance institutions and of sovereign debt and debt securities, on issues such as portfolio theory and asset pricing, fintech, catastrophic risks, longevity, insurance and insurance risks and the risk and structure of interest rates. The role that finance can play in contributing to ecological transition and sustainability is also investigated.



Human geography and Sociology

The themes and questions addressed in this area of research focus on the analysis and critical interpretation of the relationships between human groups, spaces and terrestrial environments. Places and territories are considered, in a geo-historical as well as contemporary key, in the light of environmental and cultural evolutionary processes.



Law

Research in the legal area focuses on the most topical and urgent issues of the law of obligations and contracts; the law of persons and family; fundamental rights, privacy and protection of personal data; public law; local authority law, administrative law; competition and market law; consumer law; intellectual property law; insurance law; business and company law, corporate crisis and insolvency law, accounting law; bank, finance and market law and regulation; international arbitration law; European Union law, national and international labour law, trade union law and welfare law; public, private and international trade law; tourism law; gender and law.



Mathematics and Statistics for Economics, Finance and Law

This research area develops theories, models and tools for the modelling of economic financial, social and legal phenomena and problems, both empirically, in which statistical analysis is used to test the validity of models, and methodologically, where theoretical analyses suggest interpretations and support decisions in complex environments.



Public economics and political economy

The themes developed in this area of research focus on the analysis of redistributive policies, of the public intervention in the fields of social security, health, education, and on the design and analysis of environmental and industrial policies.

Bachelor's Degree Programmes

Economics and Business

Economics and Business [ITA]
Economics, Markets and Finance [ENG]

International Trade and Tourism

International Trade [ITA]
Economics of Tourism [ITA]



Introducing your degree

Our Economics and Business degree provides all the basic economic, legal, business and mathematical-statistical knowledge necessary to critically analyze complex economic phenomena and address them in the context of private companies or public bodies. By choosing to carry out the entire course in English, you will prepare for a career abroad or in an international context.

The internship and final exam, as well as the extra-curricular activities organized by the University will complete your training, allowing you to put your newly acquired set of skills into practice in a real work environment.

You can specialize by choosing between two curricula:

- Economics and Business: Italian taught programme Giuliano Zanchi - giuliano.zanchi@unive.it
- Economics, Markets and Finance: English taught programme Valeria Maggian valeria.maggian@unive.it

Language	English, Italian	Admission	Limited
Website	www.unive.it/degree/et4	N. places	420
Length	3 years (180 credits)	Admission test	TOLC-E CISIA www.cisiaonline.it
Location	San Giobbe Economics Campus, Venice	Test topics	logic, mathematics and reading comprehension
Teaching Committee Coordinator	Luca Di Corato luca.dicorato@unive.it	Test sessions	Spring, Summer

Professional profiles

Employment opportunities in the industrial, service, finance or public administration sectors.

Continuation of studies studies in Master's degree courses in the Department of Economics and more generally in all courses that are included in the Economics or Business Economics classes, in Italy and abroad.



NADIA ERISIMO student

I chose this Degree Programme because I wanted an interdisciplinary education that would meet my varied interests. In particular, I chose the "Economics, Markets and Finance" curriculum, which is taught in English, because I wished to have a significant perspective on economics and to be prepared to face an international career. Having reached the programme's end, I can say I made the right choice. I widened my knowledge in Economics. Business, Law and Statistics, and I appreciated the possibility of "customising" my path. Students can choose some of the courses they attend, and this allowed me to explore different areas of these subjects. The heterogeneous environment at the University, the professors' competence and dedication, and the relationship with many international students made these years amazingly educational. Now, I would like to attend a Master's Degree Programme abroad, focusing on applying economic principles to the management and assessment of natural and environmental resources. I met this specific branch of economics thanks to one of the courses I decided to add to my study plan, and I liked it so much that it became the central topic of my Degree Thesis.



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Introducing your degree

The International Trade and Tourism degree allows you to work internationally with economic, business, legal, and quantitative skills. You can specialize by choosing between two curricula, International Trade and Economics of Tourism, oriented toward the analysis of production processes on an international scale and the complexity of the tourism industry, respectively.

You can specialize by choosing between two curricula:

- International Trade: Italian taught programme Diana Barro - d.barro@unive.it
- Economics of Tourism: Italian taught programme Nicola Camatti - nicola.camatti@unive.it

Language	Italian	Admission	Limited
Website	www.unive.it/degree/et30	N. places	340
Length	3 years (180 credits)	Admission test	TOLC-E CISIA www.cisiaonline.it
Location	Campus Treviso	Test topics	logic, mathematics and reading comprehension
Teaching Committee Coordinator	Diana Barro d.barro@unive.it	Test sessions	Spring, Summer

Professional profiles

The graduate in International Trade track qualifies for various position in companies' foreign trade offices and will be able to work as an expert in international business relations, and as export-manager. The graduate in Economics of Tourism track develops a career in management of the private and public tourism sector and will be able to work in the management of organizations, hotels and touristic destinations. Master's degree courses that are included in the Economics or Business Economics classes, in Italy and abroad.



ARIANNA ABATE student

I am Arianna, a student in the Bachelor's Degree Programme in International Trade and Tourism. I chose this programme because I knew the University is very well-ranked and offers many international opportunities. Furthermore, the specific knowledge in the field of International Trade is completed by foreign language exams. The study plan is extremely captivating and engaging, and the courses are well structured, with a special focus not only on theoretical concepts but on practical activities, too. At the moment, I am in Spain thanks to the ECOTOPIA programme, which is a 3-year Bachelor integrated programme in English on topics such as economics, management, international business and sustainability. I am very grateful to Ca' Foscari University for giving me this amazing opportunity, which is enriching my knowledge and skills. If you ask me about my future, I would like to work within an international context, possibly in an NGO or an institution related to the European Union, where I could use what I learned during my academic path. I know that Ca' Foscari University will help me reach my goals, giving me the knowledge, skills and opportunities to succeed in an international environment that is growing increasingly complex.





Postgraduate programmes

Master's Degree

Data Analytics for Business and Society
Economics and Finance
Economics, Finance and Sustainability
Global Development and Entrepreneurship
Governance of Public Organizations
Intercultural Development of Tourism Systems

Phd Degrees

Law, Market and Person Economics Science and Management of Climate Change

Master's Degree Programme in DATA ANALYTICS FOR BUSINESS AND SOCIETY



Course overview

This course is primarily aimed at students with an economics and business studies background who have a keen interest in quantitative methods and the mass use of data to maintain and increase companies' competitive advantage, emphasising the aggregate economic impact. The course aims to study the computational, mathematical and statistical aspects relating to the processing of digital data, which is nowadays produced by many different human, commercial and industrial activities, and their implications in the economic and business environment, Students on the "DABS - DATA ANALYTICS FOR BUSINESS AND SOCIETY" course will acquire data processing skills to interpret and analyse complex phenomena in the fields of economics, strategy, marketing, human resources, finance, accounting and social sciences in general. Furthermore, the course will provide advanced skills on machine learning techniques to extract patterns and predictive models from digital data. The programme is divided into two study paths, "Business Application" and "Fintech and Bigtech", which share the same quantitative training, with a strong basis of information technologies and the learning methods that are typical of artificial intelligence, statistical learning methods and mathematical optimisation methods to support decision-making and risk analysis.

Language	English	Teaching Committee Coordinator	Agar Brugiavini brugiavi@unive.it
Website	unive.it/degree/em14	Admission	Limited
Length	2 years (120 credits)	N. places	65
Location	San Giobbe Economics Campus, Venice		

Professional profiles

Data Analysis Specialist:

- public and private entities operating in the tertiary sector, in particular dealing with the development and management of innovative data-based services;
- regulatory authorities, intervention agencies at various levels such as ministries, local authorities and international organisations working with large databases;
- finance companies: banks and insurance companies, consultancy firms;
- public or private research and development centres and study centres in general, operating in the fields of science/economics, finance, technology, biology and healthcare, which use data analysis extensively.

Business Data Analysis Specialist:

- companies operating in the industrial sector and all sizes of manufacturing companies that analyse and use data as a source of information within the production process;
- entities and organisations dealing with the development and management of innovative data-based services;
- finance companies: banks and insurance companies, consultancy firms, rating agencies; professional organisations providing consultancy and analysis services.

Social Data Analysis Specialist:

- public and/or tertiary sector entities, in particular dealing with the development and management of innovative data-based services;
- finance companies: banks and insurance companies, consulting firms, rating agencies, investment funds, hedge funds;
- public or private companies operating in the healthcare sector: management of regional health authorities, healthcare consultancy agencies, pharmaceutical
- companies, marketing and development agencies;
- public or private, national and international research and development centres and study centres in general, working in the fields of science/ economics, finance, technology, biology and healthcare, which use data analysis extensively.



CLAUDIA CRIVELLEN
student

My name is Claudia Crivellenti. After my bachelor's degree in Business Administration and Management I felt the need to give a more practical and quantitative cut to my education, so I enrolled in Joata Analytics for Business and Society. During my Master degree had the chance to develop a data-driven mindset for problem olving, thanks to teachers from three different departments, the estimonies of companies and the International Summer School organized by the Department. After studying I would like to find a job is a Data Analyst to fix strategic problems and innovate business processes with the help of data. Thanks to the university's Mentoring ervice I was guided by a manager in tracing my career path, a significant taped that underlying the processes.

Master's Degree Programme in **ECONOMICS AND FINANCE**







Course overview

The Master's degree programme trains experts to master the main issues in the economic and financial field with a solid theoretical-quantitative and legal background. It aims to train students with expertise in financial markets, the main areas of financial intermediary management (credit, finance, treasury, securities, organisation, planning and control), financial investment management and the measurement and management of financial risks, financial consultancy and insurance, supplementary pensions and pension fund management, the organisation of internal processes and the administrative management of banks and financial intermediaries in general.

Students can participate in exchange programmes for 'double degrees', the Bloomberg Lab and associated Bloomberg courses and certifications as well as acquire CFA and AIAF certification.

The course of study is divided into two academic years: in the first year, the fundamental knowledge related to all the subject areas of the course of study is provided; in the second year, the specific training is completed, also with the free-choice subjects. The second semester of the second year is mainly devoted to the preparation and writing of the dissertation and to the compulsory curricular internship. The internship may be carried out in companies, public bodies and supranational organisations.

San Giobbe Economics Italian Location Language Campus, Venice Teaching Stefano Colonnello Website www.unive.it/degree/em20 Committee stefano.colonnello@unive.it Coordinator Length 2 years (120 credits) Admission Open

Professional profiles

Graduates with a Master's degree in Economics and Finance are able to hold all those professional positions that require the mastery of interpretative tools in the economic and financial field with a solid theoretical-quantitative and legal background; in particular, they will be able to find employment at:

- commercial banks, investment banks, insurance companies, or other financial institutions:
- mutual funds, pension funds, insurance portfolios, hedge funds; proprietary asset management, treasury of non-financial corporations, debt collection companies;
- supervisory authorities, independent administrative authorities in general and management companies of organised markets;
- consulting companies.

Graduates are also able to carry out freelance activities as financial advisors after having obtained the qualification, if required by the regulations in force. He will also have the qualifications to enter doctorates in Economics, Finance, Economics and Management and in the disciplines of Economic Law, in Italy and abroad.



ANGELO COSTABILE student

When I finished school, I already had a clear mind about which path to follow, as I did when I completed my Bachelor's – I knew I wanted to explore the financial and banking fields. That's why I chose the Economics and Finance programme, considering it offers both a legislative framework and a financial perspective. The programme gives a complete set of knowledge and skills in the banking field in terms of functioning, internal organisation and regulations; at the same time, it also gives a business perspective. During the second year, the focus shifts to the functioning of financial markets and their products: students can get in touch with a world which is still unknown to many but will become more and more important over the years.

Ca' Foscari University of Venice offers many services to support students during their educational path, such as "Career Day", which is dedicated to direct meetings with companies to help students become more familiar with the business world.

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Master's Degree Programme in **ECONOMICS, FINANCE AND SUSTAINABILITY**







Course overview

The Master's degree programme trains experts who possess:

- a high command of mathematical-statistical tools and a solid theoretical-quantitativebackground;
- a high knowledge of economic and financial analysis also in a policy perspective;
- · strong legal and market regulation skills;
- a solid methodological-theoretical and modelling skills in the field of economics, both in research as well as professional contexts, to analyse the complexities of contemporary society and offer solutions to economic and social problems, in a dynamic perspective with a focus on innovations in the economic and financial spheres, as well as adaptation to climate change.

During the internship and thesis work, students have the opportunity to get closer to the research world by collaborating with teachers of the department, also financed with dedicated grants.

It consists of three curricula, completely taught in English:

- **Economics-QEM**: it trains economists with a solid background in economics; this curriculum is part of the Erasmus Mundus QEM programme and allows the participation in the Erasmus Mundus (QEM) program in collaboration with Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (France); Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (Spain); Université Catholique de Louvain (Belgium); Warsaw School of Economics (Poland). The curriculum also welcomes many foreign students
- Quantitative Finance and Risk Management: it provides financial expertise
 in line with international standards in terms of content and level of preparation. Particular attention is paid to the tools of mathematical and statistical
 analysis applied to financial markets and institutions and to the study of complex financial instruments;
- Sustainable Finance: this new curriculum is the first in Italy and provides training in finance in line with international standards to integrate sustainability dimensions and seize opportunities arising from the increasing attention in finance on the impacts of climate change and the achievement of sustainable development goals.

Language	English	Location	San Giobbe Economics Campus, Venice
Website	www.unive.it/degree/em15	Teaching Committee Coordinator	Monica Billio billio@unive.it
Length	2 years (120 credits)	Admission	Open

Professional profiles

Master's graduates will be able to take on responsible professional roles in: international organisations, public and private research institutes including universities; commercial banks, investment banks, insurance companies, or other financial institutions; competition and market regulators and protection authorities; large organisations and public and private companies with a relevant impact of sustainability dimensions for the definition of financing/investment strategies and management of related risks; non-profit organisations, public administrations, supervisory and regulatory bodies; economic press.



UMBERTO DE AMBRO

I have always had a strong attraction to the world of finance, but recently, thanks to the initiatives proposed by the University, I became passionate about Sustainability in Finance. I chose this path after earning my Bachelor's Degree in Economics. This extremely stimulating and comprehensive curriculum promotes courses dedicated to portfolio management, corporate finance, and derivative financial instruments. All the courses approach sustainability as a fil rouge; the challenge today and in the coming years will be integrating it into the day-to-day operations of all companies. The academic environment is very dynamic, fueled by the initiatives of the University and its associations, which promote an exchange of ideas and inspiring discussions between students and professors. This interaction constitutes one of the main drivers that pushes students to approach study subjects with passion, avoiding the perception of the University focusing only on teaching theory. This is achieved thanks to all the resources available, such as the BEC library and labs like the Bloomberg Financial Lab, that enable students to develop more practical skills.



ARA AL KHATIB

am a Lebanese student who finished my Bachelor's studies at Aix Marseille School of Economics in Marseille, France. I am currently a double degree student at Ca' Foscari University for my first year in Economics, Finance and Sustainability. The master's offers varied and relevant courses such as microeconomics, macroeconomics and econometrics to reach the level of skills that I wish to acquire, excel in the economic field and pursue an international career as an economist, working on projects that have a positive impact on society and contribute to the resolution of economic problems. The prospect of working alongside Italian professors in this fascinating setting excites me greatly. Immersing myself in this opportunity to apply presents a unique chance to learn new skills. I found Italy unique. Ca' Foscari University of Venice has great professors and an environment that made me emerge easily.

Master's Degree Programme in

GLOBAL DEVELOPMENT AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP



Course overview

This Master's Degree programme offers an interdisciplinary course, aimed at deepening the peculiarities of Global Development processes by integrating economic, finance and business knowledges with legal, quantitative, geopolitical and cultural competences, necessary to interact with international markets, with particular attention to emerging ones. The teaching programmes aim at training experts in the analysis of international markets and global value chains, as well as professional figures capable of supporting the international growth processes of companies and development cooperation projects with emerging economies. Teaching activities are complemented by workshops, seminars and meetings with entrepreneurs and managers from Italian and foreign companies, with the aim of promoting the development of the excellence present in the production systems of an area with a high international vocation. The programme provides scholarships for entry into the labour market thanks to the Luciano Iglesias Foundation (only for EU citizens).

You can specialize by choosing between two curricula:

- Entrepreneurship
- Global Markets

Language	English	Location	Campus Treviso
Website	www.unive.it/degree/em12	Teaching Committee Coordinator	Marcella Lucchetta lucchett@unive.it
Length	2 years (120 credits)	Admission	Open

Professional profiles

Master's graduates can find employment as export and import managers; administration, finance and control managers in globally operating companies; venture capital firms; entrepreneurs with a strong orientation towards foreign markets; NGO managers and international cooperation project leaders; consultants for the internationalization of companies, global trade networks and supply chains.



GIANMARCO BITTANTE

I am Gianmarco, a first-year Global Development and Entrepreneurship Programme student at Ca' Foscari University of Venice. I opted for the GDE course after completing my Bachelor's Degree in International Trade and Tourism to expand my understanding of international markets. The entire course is in English, and the many international students add to the enriching experience. The curriculum equips students with concepts and tools for analysing market growth, development, and international trading operations. Students can customise their courses by selecting one of two curricula, Global Markets or Entrepreneurship, and choosing elective exams. I have chosen the Global Markets curriculum, focusing on market analysis, while Entrepreneurship provides managerial tools.

Additionally, I have chosen courses in statistical analysis, market behaviour, and international regulation to enhance my analytical skills. Ca' Foscari University offers various activities and laboratories. In my final year of my Bachelor's Degree, I participated in the Active Learning Lab - Export Manager, gaining insights into the role and collaborating with local companies. This engaging experience influenced my career choices. The ALL-Export Manager and the other activities at Ca' Foscari prove invaluable in understanding one's abilities, strengths, and areas for improvement. I am enthusiastic about pursuing a career in export management that aligns with my educational background and aims to assist local companies in better engaging with the international market.





Course overview

The Master's Degree course aims to develop the theoretical and technical expertise required to operate in the management of public administrations (local, regional, national and international) and non-profit and profit organisations that operate in areas of public interest, encouraging the innovation and modernisation necessary to respond to the social and economic changes in society today. Through a wealth of knowledge and expertise in economics and business, statistics and IT, law, organisation and sociology and a range of transferable skills, acquired through highly innovative teaching featuring the engagement and interaction of different external bodies, Master's graduates will be able to tackle the main innovative challenges (de-bureaucratization, digitisation, sustainability) that public organisations face now and will face in the near future.

Language	Italian	Location	San Giobbe Economics Campus, Venice
Website	www.unive.it/degree/em11	Teaching Committee Coordinator	Vania Brino vania@unive.it
Length	2 years (120 credits)	Admission	Open

Professional profiles

Thanks to the high level of interdisciplinarity of the course, Master's graduates are able to conduct independently tasks and professional activities that enable them to work within all the institutions of public administration in its broadest sense, supervisory and control bodies and all public and private enterprises that work for public administrations. Graduates will be able to interact with both the managers and technicians of the various areas of these entities (legal, quantitative, managerial), as well as with strategic figures and policy makers. They can undertake tasks of coordination and can also take on professional roles in senior management, such as manager and executive, of such organisations.

While not involving any particular specialisation, the course content is flexible, allowing students to adopt different pathways, choosing more in-depth study in each of the four areas of the course (quantitative studies, economics/business, law and sociology/organisation).



FEDERICO FELTRIN

I chose this course because it offers a cross, up-to-date educational programme; the interaction with the world of work is fostered by many initiatives with managers and directors from the Public Administration, the voluntary sector and international businesses and agencies. These activities and the study plan allow one to acquire knowledge and skills useful in private and public working environments. At Ca' Foscari University, you can "live" the university itself: you can meet many people studying different subjects, which is a great competitive advantage for students. In terms of my future, I would like to work with organisations that implement sustainable policies.



SARA ZACCARIA student

I've always been fascinated by the world of Public Administration in all its forms. I was and am sure that this Master's Programme could give me a sound basis to work in this field, which I think is one of the main actors in our modern society. The educational programme is very balanced and gives students a wide range of paths from which to choose. Even though the course is unknown to many, its interdisciplinary nature allowed me to study abroad with the Erasmus programme. Ca' Foscari University allows its students to meet experts, attend seminars and use specialised laboratories to help them understand what they really want to do in the future.

Master's Degree Programme in INTERCULTURAL DEVELOPMENT OF TOURISM SYSTEMS







Course overview

This Master's Degree Programme aims to provide students with any interdisciplinary knowledge and tools needed to meet tourism market needs. The aim is to produce experts in development and intercultural promotion of tourism systems and markets, that are also equipped with a multidisciplinary education which enables them to support the growth and competitiveness of tourism destinations.

Occupational profiles

Master's graduates can seek employment as international tourism experts; sales managers; destination managers; operators and managers in agencies for both incoming and outgoing tourism, with particular awareness of the importance of cultural and language differences between among market segments of tourist demand; tourist web marketing manager; tourist entrepreneurs with a strong inclination towards intercultural and international markets; consultants in the field of tourist development for businesses, business networks and tourist industries.

Language	Italian	Location	San Giobbe Economics Campus, Venice
Website	www.unive.it/degree/em9	Teaching Committee Coordinator	Stefano Soriani soriani@unive.it
Length	years (120 credits)	Admission	Open



ALESSIA SOCCOL student

I chose this Master's Programme after experiencing the world of tourism and enjoying it for its stimulating and interesting nature. I'm extremely satisfied with my choice: it's been a surprising experience, as I didn't expect to find such a varied, rich environment. The educational programme is very well organised, offering different perspectives on tourism systems (economic, legal and historical). All courses are intriguing and have made me explore many ideas and concepts I didn't know about. Ca' Foscari University has competent, trustworthy, enthusiastic professors; moreover, there are many possibilities to study abroad, which further enrich one's path. In terms of my future, I would like to combine two worlds I love and have been with over the last five years at university: the East and tourism. Thanks to the initiatives organised by Ca' Foscari University, I have grown more aware of the businesses surrounding me. My transition from academics to the working world will surely be much easier.



PhD in LAW, MARKET AND PERSON

This PhD programme is focused on understanding the mechanisms involved in the formation of contemporary law, as determined by the interaction between European law and national rights, with a particular focus on: the institutional dimension and government profiles; the organisation of transnational markets; the contents and methodologies in regulating exchanges; the legal dimension of the individual and the exercise of fundamental rights and freedoms in the context of a global society.

Language	Ital
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Location

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Teaching Committee Coordinator

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Length 3 years

Call for application

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SARA DAL MONICO

This is Sara Dal Monico, outgoing PhD student enrolled in the double degree Doctoral Program in Law, Market and Person, 36th cycle, with a scholarship in International Law. The doctoral program I have undertaken spreads over 3 years and offers doctoral students the opportunity to deepen their knowledge of legal sciences with a strong focus on interdisciplinarity, in order to stimulate curiosity, research and legal debate. During my PhD, I was strongly encouraged to participate both as an auditor and as a speaker at national and international conferences, to conduct research abroad, and to build a strong networking base, including with colleagues from other legal disciplines. Personally, I spent a 2-month research period at the Peace Palace Library of the International Court of Justice and at the Academy of International Law in The Hague and then a second 5-month mobility period abroad at the University of Luxembourg, which allowed me to come into contact with other/young researchers and receive many incentives to further my research. The experience of my PhD program at Ca' Foscari was overall extremely stimulating, both from a personal and academic point of view, challenging and yet rewarding

PhD in **ECONOMICS**



The PhD programme offers advanced training in the areas of economic and financial sciences, with a particular specialisation in quantitative and qualitative analysis of the numerous aspects and issues within financial-economic systems, at both a microeconomic level (how markets, economic organisations and businesses function, and predictions on their trends and prospects) and a macroeconomic level (issues regarding economic cycles and unemployment, and the impact of specific social and economic factors). The programme is taught entirely in English.

English

4 years

Location

Website

Length

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Call for applications



GIULIA ROMAN

My PhD experience in Economics at Ca' Foscari was a significant period of growth for me. It allowed me to focus on and develop my research interests in a welcoming environment guided by a knowledgeable and supportive faculty. I felt supported throughout the various stages of the PhD: from the first-year exams, choosing a supervisor, undertaking a visiting period, to the final thesis writing. This support undoubtedly came from my supervisors, as well as from the rest of the faculty and administrative staff, who were accessible and present throughout the PhD journey. Last but certainly not least, from my colleagues and the positive, collaborative atmosphere in the PhD room. And then, there is veried and the privilege of living for at least a few years in one of the most heautiful cities in the world

Double and Joint Degrees



Data Analytics for Business and Society



Double Degree with City, University of London

This Double Master's Degree programme is organised by City, University of London and Ca' Foscari University of Venice. It allows selected students to attend courses in both universities and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Data Analytics for Business and Society a Master's programme among the following:

- MSc in Business Economics
- MSc in International Business Economics
- MSc in Economic Evaluation in Healthcare



Double Degree with Henley Business School, University of Reading (UK)

This Double Master's degree programme allows selected students to attend the second year at Henley Business School and get a degree in Data Analytics for Business and Society and a Master among the following:

- Finance and Financial Technology (FinTech) reserved to students attending the Fintech/BigTech recommended path;
- Information Management & Digital Business Big Data in Business - reserved to students attending the Business Application recommended path



Double Degree with Université Aix-Marseille (France)

The new Double Degree programmes with Aix-Marseille University allow selected students to attend their second year at AMU and obtain a double degree in Data Analytics for Business and Society and a Master's degree in Econometrics Statistics (curricula: Econometrics Data Science or Research in Econometrics).

Economics and Finance



Double Degree with City, University of London

This Double Master's Degree programme is organised by City, University of London, and Ca' Foscari University of Venice. It allows selected students to attend their second year at City, University of London and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics and Finance and Msc in Financial Economics.



Double Degree with Henley Business School, University of Reading (UK)

This Double Degree Programme allows selected students to attend their second-year courses at Henley Business School and get a double degree in Economics and Finance and one of the following Master Programmes: Finance, Investment Management, Financial Risk Management, Corporate Finance, Climate Change, Sustainable Business and Green Finance.



Double Degree with Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken. USA

This Double Master's Degree Programme, organised by the Departments of Economics and Management of Ca' Foscari University of Venice and by the Stevens Institute of Technology (USA), allows selected students to attend their second year at the Stevens Institute of Technology and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics and Finance and Master of Science in Financial Technology and Analytics.



New Double Degree programmes with Aix-Marseille University (Marseilles and Aix-en-Provence, France)

The new Double Degree programmes with Aix-Marseille University allow selected students to attend their second year at AMU and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics and Finance and Master in Finance (curricula: Financial Modelling, Financial Risk and Sustainable Finance or Research in Finance), or Master in Economics (curricula: Data, Analysis, Decision and Economic Evaluation or Research in Economics).



Double Degree with Université Paris-Dauphine (Paris, France)

The Double Master's Degree in Economics and Finance, jointly organised by Ca' Foscari University of Venice and Université Paris-Dauphine, allows selected students to attend the second year courses at Université Paris-Dauphine and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics and Finance and Master Economie et Ingénierie Financière.

Economics, Finance and Sustainability



Double Degree with City, University of London

This Double Master's Degree programme, organised by the Department of Economics and City, University of London, allows selected students to attend their second year at City, University of London and obtain a double degree in Economics, Finance and Sustainability and one of the following Master's programmes:

- MSc in Development Economics
- MSc in Financial Economics
- MSc in Health Economics
- MSc in Economic Evaluation in Healthcare



Joint Degree Erasmus Mundus QEM Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree (EMJMD)

Ca' Foscari University offers the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master Degree (EMJMD) QEM - Models and Methods of Quantitative Economics, a joint degree program of excellence with Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne (Paris, France), Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (Barcelona, Spain) and Université Catholique de Luovain (Louvain la Neuve, Belgium) and Warsaw School of Economics (Warsaw, Poland). The EMJMD Programme QEM is a two-year graduate degree program in quantitative economics, taught in English, and approved by The Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (EACEA) under the Erasmus+: Erasmus Mundus Master Courses (EMMCs) brand. The joint programme is open only to students selected through the QEM procedure. Students may spend at least a semester in Ca' Foscari University.



Double Degree with Henley Business School, University of Reading (UK)

This Double Master's Degree programme, organised by the Departments of Economics and Management of Ca' Foscari University of Venice and Henley Business School, allows selected students to attend their second year at Henley Business School and earn a double degree in Economics, Finance and Sustainability and one of the following Master's programmes:

- Finance
- Corporate Finance
- Financial Risk Management
- Investment Management
- Climate Change, Sustainable Business and Green Finance



Double Degree Stevens Institute of Technology (Hoboken, USA)

This Double Master's Degree programme, organised by the Departments of Economics and Management of Ca' Foscari University of Venice and by Stevens Institute of Technology (USA), allows selected students to attend their second year at Stevens Institute of Technology and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics, Master of Science in Financial Technology and Analytics.



New Double Degree programmes with Aix-Marseille University (Marseilles and Aix-en-Provence, France)

Jointly designed by the Department of Economics and Université Aix-Marseille (AMU), the new double degree programmes allow selected students to attend their second year at AMU and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics, Finance and Sustainability, and

- Master in Finance (curricula: Financial Modelling, Financial Risk and Sustainable Finance or Research in Finance), or
- Master in Economics (curricula: Data, Analysis, Decision and Economic Evaluation or Research in Economics).

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Double Degree Université Paris-Dauphine (Paris, France)

The Double Master's Degree in Economics and Finance, jointly organised by Ca' Foscari University of Venice and Université Paris-Dauphine, allows selected students to attend the second-year courses at Université Paris-Dauphine and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Economics, Finance and Sustainability and Master Economie et Ingénierie Financière.

Global Development and Entrepreneurship



Double Degree EM Strasbourg Business School (Strasbourg, France)

The Double Master's Degree programme in Global Development and Entrepreneurship, jointly designed by Ca' Foscari University of Venice and Université de Strasbourg/École de Management Strasbourg Business School (EM Strasbourg Business School), allows selected students to attend their second-year courses at EM Strasbourg Business School and obtain a double degree: Master's Degree in Global Development and Entrepreneurship and Master Grande École.





EM Strasbourg Business School



Henley Business School, University of Reading (UK)



Stevens Institute of Technology



Université Paris-Dauphine



Université Aix-Marseille



City, University of London

ECOTOPIA

Ecotopia is an international educational program developed within EUTOPIA, an alliance of 7 European universities that have a common vision and join forces to build the university of the future. Ecotopia is a three-year integrated course on economics, management, finance, business and sustainability, entirely in English. The program is offered to students enrolled in the Bachelor's Degree in Economics and Business and in International Trade and Tourism, and aims to integrate the educational path of selected students with a range of extracurricular activities in English:

- online courses on sustainability and European challenges
- a mobility, at the second year, of 10 months, at one of the partner universities
- 2 Summer School (Ljubljana, Rabat), the first compulsory, the second optional, on topics addressed during the program.

Certification and mobility

Certification

The program allows students to obtain the European Ecotopia certification, recognized by all partners, in addition to the Bachelor's Degree.

Mobility

The mobility planned for the second year will take place in one of the partner universities:



Cergy Paris University (France)



ESSEC Business School (France)



ESCI-UPF Pompeu Fabra University (Spain)





University of Ljubljana (Slovenia)



University Babes-Bolyai (Romania)

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Further international opportunities

Specialist and educational tutorship

is an educational service offering supplementary tutorial activities to support specific disciplinary areas, and the choice and writing of the final thesis. Some tutoring activities are held in english, to support english-taught courses.

Erasmus+ study programme

provides students with the opportunity to study abroad for 3 to 12 months at a partner university in one of the participating countries that has signed an inter-institutional agreement with Ca' Foscari.

Internship abroad

Ca' Foscari promotes and organizes internships all over the world. Over the years the University has consolidated important relationships with embassies and diplomatic corps as well as with cultural centres, NGOs, Chambers of Commerce and with a large number of companies, in order to offer you the opportunity to participate in an internship in line with your aspirations.

Ca' Foscari International College

Ca' Foscari International College prepares graduates of excellence providing them personalized cultural programmes, specific courses, application laboratories and additional cultural activities. Students attend Ca' Foscari degree programmes and are offered free accommodation on the Venetian island of San Servolo.

Ca' Foscari School for International Education

Ca' Foscari School for International Education provides courses in English for exchange students, graduate seminar programmes, as well as a bridge term and a foundation year for prospective students, joint Summer Schools with prestigious international universities and intensive courses in Italian language.

Venice International University

At Venice International University you can attend courses of the Globalization Program taught in English in an international and multidisciplinary environment in the island of San Servolo, in Venice. The courses offered by Venice International University (VIU) are credit granting and international mobility scholarships are available for Master's Degree programmes students who wish to write their final thesis at a foreign host institution.

Professional Master's Programmes

1st level Professional Master

Environmental and Land Law
Global Economics and Social Affairs
International Business, Arbitration and Tax Law
Labour and Social Security Law
Quantum Machine Learning

2nd level Professional Master

International Master in Economics and Finance
Master of Research in Science and Management
of Climate Change
Public Administration
Strategic Studies and International Security
Geopolitics and Economic Affairs

1st level Professional Master in

ENVIRONMENTAL AND LAND LAW



1st level Professional Master in LABOUR AND SOCIAL SECURITY LAW



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Location	School (Parco VEGA), Marghera Venice	Admission	Online Application

1st level Professional Master in

GLOBAL ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL AFFAIRS



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	School (Parco VEGA), Marghera Venice	Admission	Online Application

1st level Professional Master in **QUANTUM MACHINE LEARNING**



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		N. places	20
		Admission	Online Application

1st level Professional Master in

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS, ARBITRATION AND TAX LAW



Language	Italian	Туре	Executive
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2nd level Professional Master in

INTERNATIONAL MASTER IN ECONOMICS AND FINANCE



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I love economics. Yes, I do.

And do you know why?
Cause from the first moment I saw the world in it.

Economics is wherever there is a choice.

And it's important to make the best one. (Better decisions lead to better life).

Sometimes it is challenging, and we can be wrong.

But this helps us to better understand reality and its complexity.

Some say Economics is about money and business.

I claim it's also about the development of society and wellbeing.

Economics is curious:

it takes you across disciplines, embracing law and social sciences.

Some say it's abstract.

But to me, economics is concrete, it's decision, it's action, it's use of resources to make a difference everyday. For the one and the many. Entrepreneurs, consumers, savers, investors. For the people. With a local view in a global perspective.

Yes, I do love economics, because it can change the world. And I can change with it.

(Learn, research, grow, share, learn again.)

And it all started here, in Venice. Where else?

Here the first bank was founded in the 12th century, and the Banco Giro, the first public bank in 1524. It's here, I sense it. Here is Ca foscari, since 1868, the first business school and economic research center in Italy, the second in Europe, Here.... economics showed me the way, connecting past, present and future, a route across knowledge, experiences and opportunities.

Yes, I do love Economics because it can take you very far away.

Following my passion. Starting from here from ... Ca Foscari Department of Economics.

