

# WHY AN ESADE MSc?

ESADE's Masters in Science are designed for exceptionally talented young people looking to embark on a successful professional career, creating the basis for great things to come in the future. The combination of the prestige of ESADE, the unparalleled experience on our multicultural campus and in the bustling Mediterranean business city that is Barcelona, makes ESADE the perfect atmosphere to develop your potential.

Amongst the world's best.

Since opening its doors in 1958, ESADE has continued to grow and increase international recognition as a world leader in management education.

- **3**<sup>rd</sup> **Business School** in Europe Financial Times 2013
- 2<sup>nd</sup> in the World, Master in Finance Financial Times 2014
- 5<sup>th</sup> in the World CEMS Master in International Management Financial Times 2014
- 6<sup>th</sup> in the World for Master in Management Programmes Financial Times 2014

Diversity.

51 nationalities represented on our MSc Programmes to create one of the most global experiences you will ever have.

Hands on learning.
Our MSc programmes are a chance for you to test out all that you learn about the business world by doing, thanks to our practically-oriented methodology.

/ Barcelona.

Take full advantage of your MSc experience in this entrepreneurial, cosmopolitan and innovative city.

Career oriented.
91% of our MSc in Finance students were in employment within 3 months of graduation.







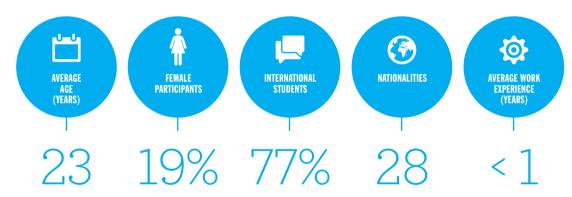




### WANT TO MEET YOUR CLASSMATES?

We pride ourselves on the diversity of our Masters in Management and our student body as a whole; we consistently have some 51 nationalities across our MSc programmes, and a combined 70 nationalities in conjunction with the international BBA and MBA programmes. This diversity is also apparent in academic background, meaning that our teamwork-based programmes are a real 360° learning experience.

#### CLASS OF 2015





SANTIAGO FORTE
ACADEMIC DIRECTOR
MSc in Finance

"Leading recruiters seek out ESADE MSc in Finance graduates because they understand the value of the world-class programme we have worked hard to create. By seizing this opportunity you will equip yourself with everything you need to pursue an outstanding career in International Finance."





"The value of the MSc in Finance at ESADE goes beyond the knowledge and skills I acquired through the different courses and seminars. The diverse, intelligent and ambitious people I have met here have added as much value to my experience at ESADE as the academic curriculum has to my future. Furthermore, the recognition and reputation of the MSc in Finance at ESADE is reflected in its popularity amongst recruiters."



## THE BEST POSSIBLE START IN INTERNATIONAL FINANCE

That means choosing a programme highlighted as number one in the world in aims achieved and international mobility and ranked second best worldwide by the Financial Times in September 2014. By analysing corporate financial decision-making processes and the detailed study of financial statements, you will gain an international perspective of global markets.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

ESADE's Master in Finance programme aims to provide you with:

- Mastery of the fundamental tools and concepts of finance with a broad overview of capital markets and the corporate world.
- An international perspective of the financial competitive environment and a high degree of competence to adapt to changes and confront challenges.
- The capacity of research, analysis and synthesis to make decisions considering the role and interests of different stakeholders.
- $\bullet$  A global vision of organizations, focusing on the interaction between finance and company strategy.

#### **PROGRAMME**

#### SEPTEMBER-DECEMBER 2015

## TERM 1 THE FOUNDATIONS OF FINANCE

- Investments
- · Financial Modelling
- · Corporate Valuation
- Financial Analysis and Reporting

The above four courses are connected through a joint project that will give you the chance to practically apply the concepts covered during the term. It will be part of the final Master Project that must be defended at the end of the programme.

#### JANUARY 2016

#### STUDY TOUR & SKILLS SEMINAR

· Study Tour

Experience a different culture during an intensive week abroad at one of the world's leading universities.

#### **FEBRUARY-APRIL 2016**

#### TERM 2

#### ADVANCED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

- Corporate Restructuring
- Asset pricing
- Advanced Derivatives
- Fixed Income Markets
- · Business in Society

FALL CAREER FORUM (OCTOBER)

WINTER CAREER FORUM (FEBRUARY)

COMPULSORY BASIC SPANISH CLASSES (FOR THOSE WITH LITTLE OR NO PRIOR KNOWLEDGE OF SPANISH)

OPTIONAL FRENCH, GERMAN AND ADVANCED SPANISH (AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS WITH BASIC KNOWLEDGE OF SPANISH)

## ESADE IS ONE OF THE ONLY THREE CFA PROGRAMME PARTNER SCHOOLS IN SPAIN

The Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Institute is a global, not-for-profit organization comprising the world's largest association of investment professionals. The CFA Programme is widely considered the investment profession's most rigorous credentialing programme. The CFA curriculum and examinations are identical worldwide.

#### **RANKED 2ND IN THE WORLD**

Our Master in Finance has been ranked 2nd in the World by the Financial Times. Among the factors valued most highly in the ranking were graduates' international career prospects and students' satisfaction with their learning experience and with their attainment of the programme's goals; ESADE was ranked 1st worldwide in both categories.

#### AFFILIATED WITH BLOOMBERG INSTITUTE

The Bloomberg Aptitude Test is designed by Bloomberg Institute to test the knowledge of students seeking a career in finance. It tests students' core competencies in eight areas, including financial statements analysis,

economics, and investment banking, and helps connect students with potential employers based on mutual interests and students' skills

#### **CEMS MIM**

ESADE is one of the founders and the only Spanish member of this international strategic alliance of 29 of the world's top schools. Extend your studies by a year, including a 10-week internship abroad, and make this an incredible international experience.

#### **DOUBLE DEGREES**

ESADE students enrolled on any of our MSc programmes may opt to spend a whole second year in one of our prestigious partner schools around the world and achieve an official title from both institutions.

#### MANAGEMENT IMMERSION PROGRAMME

If you don't already have a background in management, don't worry! Our Management Immersion Programme will get you up to speed in a short 3 weeks over the summer!

#### **APRIL-JUNE 2016**

## TERM 3 **ELECTIVES**

The wide range of electives offered during this term will allow students to tailor the programme to suit their individual career aspirations. There are a number of electives specifically focused on a variety of Finance topics, and a large variety of 'free' electives for those with clear objectives in a specific area. Check the complete list on our website.

#### JUNE-SEPTEMBER 2016

## SUMMER TERM MASTER PROJECT /INTERNSHIP

You can choose between three different formats:

- Master Thesis aimed at demonstrating your research abilities
- Business Creation Project

   aimed at preparing and
   launching a student new
   venture project.
- In-company Business
   Project based on a
   professional internship or
   company project.

#### OCT.-NOV. 2016

#### MASTER PROJECT DEFENSE & GRADUATION

# CAREER SERVICES

An MSc from ESADE enables you to start your career with the skills and knowledge today's recruiters look for in their future leaders. The integration between your MSc programme and the corporate world is facilitated by the career services team enabling you to perfect your brand. Our team of Corporate Partners and Career Managers have a broad and international experience and are knowledgeable across sectors and functions relevant to your aspirations.

#### We offer:

Advising: individual support to help you pursue your career strategies and achieve your goals. The career management team work with you to develop your career plan and hone your strengths.

**Training:** seminars and workshops ensure you have the skills needed to implement successfully a career search strategy from application to interview preparation to finally negotiating the job offer.

Career Events: a twice yearly Career Forum attracting international recruiters, is an effective way of connecting

with the sector and role you may be considering. Throughout the academic year, corporate presentations, case competitions and sector insights give you the edge when it comes to entering a competitive selection process.

**Resources:** Career Portal, Vault, Wet Feet, Going Global, and Interview Stream are platforms available to you from the day you arrive. Career Portal is used by companies to post their internships and job vacancies to ESADE 's community.

#### PLACEMENT REPORT (GRADUATING CLASS OF 2013)

91%

Students employed 3 months after graduation

#### AVERAGE STARTING SALARY:

Spain: €28,413 International: €46,085

#### **MAXIMUM STARTING SALARY:**

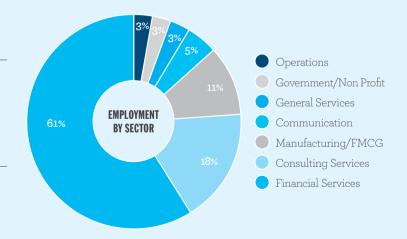
Spain: €37,000 International: €65,000

#### **GEOGRAPHICAL MOBILITY:**

67%

#### International students

75% secured a job offer outside Spain



#### SOME OF THE COMPANIES RECRUITING AT ESADE MSC IN 2013:

Allianz SE / AstraZeneca / Bacardi / Bain & Co / Banco Sabadell / Barclays / BCG / Bearing Point / Bertelsmann / BNP Paribas / Burger King / Capgemini/ Chanel / Christian Dior Couture / Citi / Coca Cola / Coty Astor / Credit Suisse / DANONE / Deloitte / Desigual / Deutsche Bank / Deutsche Telekom / EY / Goldman Sachs / Google / J.P. Morgan / Lancôme / L'Oréal / Mango / Massimo Dutti / McKinsey & Co / Mondelez / Nestlé / Nomura International PLC / Pepsico / Philip Morris / Philips / Procter & Gamble / PwC / Reckitt Benckiser / Red Bull GmbH / Rocket Internet / Samsung / SEAT / Siemens Management Consulting / Société Generale / Sony Music Entertainment Germany / Tommy Hilfiger / UBS / Vodafone / Volkswagen Audi / Wrigley / ZS Associates / Zurich Insurance



## **READY TO TAKE THE FIRST STEP?**

#### FACTS & FIGURES + ADMISSIONS

#### **○ WHERE?**

Campus Barcelona - Sant Cugat

#### **FORMAT**

One year, Full Time.

Option of extending for a further year, either by studying the prestigious CEMS degree or a Double Degree of one of our top global partner schools.

#### LANGUAGES

All our classes are taught through English, with the possibility to study a number of electives in Spanish.

Students with little or no prior knowledge of Spanish will take mandatory language lessons throughout the MSc, and for those with a conversational level, there will be optional language classes available in Spanish, German and French.

#### **TUITION FEES**

MSc: €25,800

MSc + CEMS: €33,800

MSc + Double Degree: €33,800

#### **FINANCIAL AID**

ESADE has many options to help you finance your MSc programme. Depending on your individual needs, there

is a scholarship to suit you, or a loan we can offer you to help manage the cost of study.

#### BASIC REQUIREMENTS & DOCUMENTATION

- · Bachelor's Degree
- University Transcripts & Degree (if available)
- · Proficiency in English
- Certificate of Language Proficiency (taken in the last two years). Level tests accepted with minimum scores TOEFL 100+, IELTS 7.0+, CAE B+, CPE C+, PTE Academic 72+
- GMAT or GRE score
- Other documentation: CV/Résumé, two letters of recommendation, photocopy of passport (not ID).

Apply online at www.esade.edu/onlinemsc

#### DOUBLE DEGREE APPLICATION PROCESS

Apply for the Double Degree during your admissions process for the MSc programme to be guaranteed a place on one of our Double Degree programmes. The school you will attend will be assigned to you during the year depending on your academic results.



### **OUR OTHER MSc PROGRAMMES**

#### **MASTER IN INNOVATION & ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

- Experience real-life business case through the Internship Innovation Project (I2P)
- Opportunity to study a Double Degree at Aalto University in Helsinki, Finland.
- ESADE's entrepreneurial campus is home to the EGarage, Accelerator and ESADE Creapolis Innovation Centre.

#### **MASTER IN MARKETING MANAGEMENT**

- Marketing category ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> by Financial Times, within Masters in Management ranking.
- · Specialise in Sport, Fashion or eCommerce & Technology.
- Discover 'Profession in Action', and see what the world of Brand & Communication has to offer you.

#### MASTER IN INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT

- MIM programme ranked 6th in the world. Financial Times.
- $\bullet$  Ranked  $3^{\rm rd}$  by Financial Times for job international mobility.
- Highlighted as number six in the world for career progression.

#### **CEMS MIM**

- Ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in the world by Financial Times.
- CEMS: a global affiliation of only the top 29 management schools in the world.
- ESADE is the only CEMS founding partner school in Spain
- CEMS has an alliance with more than 60 corporate partners.
- Studied in conjunction with one of ESADE MSc programmes.



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