

## Master's double-degree programme with the University of Strasbourg

### ‘CORPORATE STRATEGY AND FINANCE IN EUROPE’

**Master's double-degree programme with the University of Strasbourg (DDP)** is a two-year Master's degree programme with common curriculum taught in English offered for students with a completed Bachelor's degree. The programme is based on the Bologna Process, and is intended to facilitate the collaboration between the Institute of Economic Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University and Sciences Po Strasbourg, University of Strasbourg in teaching and academic research in the field of Economics. The Degree Programme covers two academic years. Each student on the Degree Programme is requested to spend one academic year at each of the Partner Universities in line with the Curriculum (1<sup>st</sup> year in Prague, 2<sup>nd</sup> year in Strasbourg, while 4<sup>th</sup> semester should be devoted to finishing Master thesis and can be spent either in Prague, or in Strasbourg). Upon the completion of the studies, each student will receive the Diploma Master in "Corporate Strategy and Finance in Europe" from University of Strasbourg and the Master's degree Diploma with the academic title "Magistr" from Charles University.

Charles University charges tuition fee for the studies (in academic year 2019/2020, it is **3,000** euros per semester, payable at the start of each semester).

The double-degree program aims at providing the students with a broad knowledge and understanding of economic theory with a focus on financial and international economics corresponding to the present state-of-the-art. Programme's graduates will have the expertise to independently define and creatively solve complex theoretical or practical problems in the field of financial and international economics using selected theories, concepts and methods. The graduates will be eligible to undertake decisions in changing conditions on the financial markets and will possess the insight of the broader social and societal implications of financial and international economics. Double-degree graduates will be able to find position on the global market, both in the financial sector and multinational companies, as well as in the public sector, not only in the Czech Republic or France, but also throughout the European Union. Graduates of both Partner universities are in demand by leading private companies, but also major economic and political organizations and typically assume challenging positions in banking, consulting, investment funds, and public administration.

To complete the program the students must (i) collect **120 ECTS credits**, (ii) defend their Master's Thesis and (iii) pass the final comprehensive examination. Students need to take compulsory courses and seminars at the Charles University in Prague and University of Strasbourg with a total value of 87 credits in total (listed below). In addition, the students should collect 21 credits from elective courses offered and 12 credits from courses offered by both Partner universities.

#### Study requirements:

- compulsory courses ( 3-9 ECTS credits each ) **87 credits**
- elective courses ( 5-6 ECTS credits each ) **21 credits**
- optional courses ( ECTS credits each ) **12 credits**
- Master Thesis
- Final Exam

#### Details:

Academic supervisor: doc. PhDr. Martin Gregor, Ph.D.

Academic coordinator: PhDr. Lenka Šťastná, Ph.D.

Language of instruction: English

#### Compulsory courses:

Charles University in Prague				
No	Compulsory courses	Credits	Lecturer	Semester
1	Advanced Macroeconomics	9	Jaromír Baxa, Ph.D., Eva Hromádková, Ph.D.	1W
2	Advanced Econometrics	6	assoc. prof. Jozef Baruník, Ph.D.	1W
3	Microeconomics of Banking	6	prof. Karel Janda	1S
4	International Macroeconomics	6	assoc. prof. Tomáš Holub, Ph.D.	1S
5	Master Thesis Seminar for CSF I	3	prof. Michal Mejstřík CSc.	2W
6	Master Thesis Seminar for CSF II	3	prof. Michal Mejstřík CSc.	2S
Total number of ECTS credits:		33		
<b>Note:</b> 1W – 1 <sup>st</sup> year, winter semester; 1S – 1 <sup>st</sup> year, summer semester; 2W- 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, winter semester; 2S – 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, summer semester				

University of Strasbourg				
No	Compulsory courses	Credits	Lecturer	Semester
1	Corporate Finance	12	Prof. Joël Petey, Ph.D.	2W
2	Corporate Strategy	12	Prof. Anais Hamelin, Ph.D.	2W
3	Case Studies	6	Christine Servey, MBA	2W
4	International Banking and European Finance	12	Prof. Laurent Weill, Ph.D.	2W
5	Law, Accounting and Compliance	12	Prof. Régis Blazy, Ph.D.	2W
Total number of ECTS credits:		54		
<b>Note:</b> 1W – 1 <sup>st</sup> year, winter semester; 1S – 1 <sup>st</sup> year, summer semester; 2W- 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, winter semester; 2S – 2 <sup>nd</sup> year, summer semester				

### Terms and conditions

The double-degree programme is open:

- to students holding a Bachelor or an equivalent degree,
- to students having sufficient language skills in English (at least B2 level under the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages). The Supervisors of the Degree Programme will assess together if the candidates' English language skills are sufficient.
- to students having sufficient background in mathematics and statistics.

### How to apply

**The regular deadline for academic year 2020/2021 is 30th April 2020.** There is no early admissions deadline for this programme in contrast to other study programmes.

There will be **no entrance examinations**. Applicants' materials will be assessed by an applications committee in May (at a date to be confirmed). Successful applicants will be informed at start of June, so they can apply for their student visa.

Applicants for this program should **apply here:** [ONLINE APPLICATION](#)

All applications **must** include the following:

- **completed application form;**
- **copies of ALL relevant diplomas and transcripts;**
- **short academic curriculum vitae** (resume) detailing all relevant qualifications and experience.
- Document showing **knowledge of mathematics** (results from GRE or GMAT, or syllabi showing relevant subjects to have been completed, and listed in a summary of academic results)
- Document showing **level achieved in English language** (this requirement may be waived if the applicant's Bachelor's programme was in an English-speaking country, or if the language of instruction was English)
- **Motivation letter**

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