

## MSc IN GLOBAL STRATEGIC MANAGEMENT (MGSM)

### Programme

#### 1. Where does the programme take place?

- **UVA McIntire School of Commerce**
  - **Charlottesville** (Virginia, USA)
  - Ranked five years in a row among the top five US business schools (Business Week, US News and World Report).
- **Lingnan (University) College, Sun Yat-Sen University**
  - **Guangzhou** (China)
  - One of the top ten Asian Liberal Arts College (Forbes, 2015).
- **ESADE Business School**
  - **Barcelona** (Spain)
  - Ranked as one of the top five business schools in Europe (Financial Times Global Business School ranking 2012-15).



#### 2. When does the programme start?

- The programme schedule is as follows (Subject to change, confirm with programme management before booking your flight):
  - August 5th, 2019 - Online module
  - September 1st, 2019 - Courses at McIntire

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### 3. How long is the programme?

- The programme lasts 10 months:
  - 15 weeks in the US - August to December
  - 9 weeks in China - January to March
  - 15 weeks at ESADE - March to June

### 4. How many credits does the programme confer?

- The programme is worth a total of 60 ECTS:
  - **UVA McIntire School of Commerce** - 18 ECTS
  - **Lingnan (University) College, Sun Yat-Sen University** - 12 ECTS
  - **ESADE Business School** - 18 ECTS
  - The Master Project is worth 12 ECTS.



### 5. Is the master thesis mandatory to graduate?

- Yes.
- Students will work in teams of 3 people or more.
- Students will work on the master thesis from the beginning of the programme.
- The group will present and defend the master thesis together in ESADE Business School before graduation.

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### 6. What are the tuition Fees and associated Costs for the MGSM

- [Here](#) you can see the Tuition fees and associated costs\* for the MGSM (\*Prices on 2018, subject to slight increase)

### 7. What are the qualifications the student will earn?

- M.S. in Global Commerce, McIntire School of Commerce, University of Virginia
- M.S. in Global Strategic Management, ESADE Business School, Ramon Llull University
- Certificate in International Business, Lingnan (University) College, Sun Yat-Sen University

### 8. What is the total number of students per intake?

- Approximately 60 students

### 9. Do students get Career Services from the 3 schools?

- Yes, they will have access to the career services of each school.

### 10. Can the programme be combined with other programmes?

- This programme can be combined with an internal Double Degree only, but not with an external Double Degree or the CEMS MIM.

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### Admissions process

#### 1. What are the deadlines for ESADE's candidates?

- [Here](#) you can see the application deadlines and the timeline for receiving feedback from the Admissions Committee.

#### 2. What are the Admissions Requirements?

- **Academic background** - Only candidates with a Business Administration and Economics background
- **Professional experience** - Less than 2 years of professional experience.
- **Languages** - Proficiency in English.

#### 3. What are the next steps after admission?

- Pay the reservation fee (25% of the tuition fee) to reserve the place in the programme.
- Apply for the necessary student visa(s). The candidate will receive an acceptance letter from each school to arrange their visas before the beginning of the programme.
- Hand in all the required documentation, such as, [official and legalized transcript and degree](#) (mandatory for all students before the start of the programme).

#### 4. Does the candidate have to complete the admissions process with the 3 schools?

No, **candidates will complete the admissions process only with one business school**. However, they will not be admitted until all three schools accept them as students. According to the region of residence of each candidate, one business school will be in charge of their admissions process:

Region of residency	School in charge of the admissions process
North America	UVA McIntire School of Commerce
China	Lingnan (University) College, Sun Yat-Sen University
Europe	ESADE Business School
Other regions	Candidates who live in of the world can choose with which business school they want to complete the admissions process.