

# MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ECONOMICS OF GLOBALISATION AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION

PROGRAMME JOINTLY OFFERED BY GHENT UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF BARI, THE UNIVERSITY OF CANTABRIA, UNIVERSITÉ DE LILLE, XIAMEN UNIVERSITY, UNIVERSITY OF TARTU, FEDERICO SANTA MARIA TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY, CENTRE FOR EUROPEAN POLICY STUDIES

MAJORS: ECONOMICS AND BUSINESS OF GLOBALISATION - GLOBALISATION AND EMERGING MARKET ECONOMIES - INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICY - ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL ISSUES IN THE EU

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## WHAT

The EGEL programme meets an increasing demand for graduates who have the skills to analyse issues of globalisation and economic integration competently, and make relevant policy or strategic recommendations in the public and private sectors. Global events such as the Great Recession, trade wars, Brexit, ... have taught us to rethink current processes of integration, and to support and improve the mechanisms of globalisation. This programme not only offers training in economics but also a solid knowledge of the international law that regulates global interactions, the theory and practice of international business, and other key economic agents acting in the global economy. EGEL encourages you to think independently, to develop an entrepreneurial spirit and to be critical. In addition, the programme draws attention to the broader social consequences of economic policies, such as their effects on migration, inequality and the environment. You will get a full-immersive study experience in a truly global environment as you will have to interact with people with different cultures and backgrounds, and live in different countries during the two-year programme. EGEL is jointly offered by a consortium of eight institutions in Bari (Italy), Ghent and Brussels (Belgium), Santander (Spain), Lille (France), Tartu (Estonia), Xiamen (China), and Valparaiso (Chile). You will take classes in at least three different countries during the four terms.

## STRUCTURE

The EGEL-programme comprises four terms. The first term takes place in France or China and offers a strong background in economic theory and quantitative methods as well as solid knowledge of international law and business. During the second term (in Belgium), you will deepen your knowledge of the economics of globalisation and European Integration. You will also start working on your Master's dissertation. During the third term, you will choose as your specialisation one of the four specialist tracks available. The location depends on your choice of specialisation: International Economic Policy in Tartu (Estonia), Economic and Financial Issues in the EU in Santander (Spain), Economics and Business of Globalisation in Bari (Italy) or Globalisation and Emerging Market Economies in Valparaiso (Chile). The last term is devoted to a work placement (at international organisations, NGOs, international business corporations), and your Master's dissertation.

An innovative teaching approach is used, which brings together advanced academic competencies with more practical knowledge and skills: e.g. lectures and seminars with EU officials, visits to EU institutions and other Brussels-based bodies. We also adopt interactive modes of instruction: Oxford-style debates, simulations, role playing games, discussion groups and pitch presentations.

## LABOUR MARKET

Upon successful completion of the programme, you will earn the Erasmus Mundus Joint Master's Degree in Economics of Globalisation and European Integration. Our alumni are highly successful, both in the academic world as well as in senior positions at global businesses, government or international organisations, including the EU.

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## TOELATINGSVOORWAARDEN VOOR HOUDERS VAN EEN VLAAMS DIPLOMA

### 1 Na onderzoek van de bekwaamheid van de student om de opleiding te volgen:

- Bachelor handelsingenieur
- Bachelor handelsingenieur in de beleidsinformatica
- Bachelor in de bestuurskunde en het publiek management
- Bachelor in de economische wetenschappen
- Bachelor in de handelswetenschappen
- Bachelor in de toegepaste economische wetenschappen
- Bachelor in de toegepaste economische wetenschappen: bedrijfskunde
- Bachelor in de toegepaste economische wetenschappen: economisch beleid
- Bachelor of Business Administration
- Bachelor of Business Economics
- Bachelor of Business Engineering
- Master in de algemene economie

Additional Information on Admission (Flemish Degree)

Holders of one of the above-mentioned diplomas who wish to follow the programme must follow the admission procedure that runs through UGent and whereby admission is granted via the programme's Consortium Board. The admission procedure is mentioned on the following web page: <https://www.master-egei.eu/how-to-apply/>. There are different deadlines for students who apply for an EMJMD scholarship (before 1 March of the previous academic year) and for those who do not (before 1 June of the previous academic year).

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL DEGREE STUDENTS

Consult [the programme website](#) for specific academic and language requirements.

Information on admission requirements and the administrative procedure for admission on the basis of a diploma obtained abroad, can be found on the following page: [www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration](http://www.ugent.be/prospect/en/administration/enrolment-or-registration).

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Language requirements Dutch: no language requirements

Language requirements for this study programme differ from the required standard level for English taught study programmes as specified in the Ghent University Education and Examination Code:

**English:** B2-level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages in English, issued by a university language centre, is required to enter the Programme.

The proficiency in English of the students is checked by submitting proof of a computer-based TOEFL level of minimum 90, or an IELTS grade of at least 6.5, or should submit proof of having studied at least a sufficient number of credits in an English-language programme. The proficiency in English of applicants can be checked also during the selection process by the JBS using direct interviews or through the administration of tests.

## PRACTICAL INFORMATION

### Study programme

[studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-science-in-economics-of-globalisation-and-european-integration-en/programma](http://studiekiezer.ugent.be/master-of-science-in-economics-of-globalisation-and-european-integration-en/programma)

### Information sessions

#### Graduation Fair

[afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies](http://afstudeerbeurs.gent/en/students/further-studies)

#### Open Days

24 June 2023

06 September 2023

### Enrolling institution

Ghent University, Université de Lille, Federico Santa María Technical University, University of Tartu, University of Bari, The University of Cantabria, Xiamen University

Information on enrolment at Ghent University.

### Application Deadline (for International degree students)

More information on programme specific application procedures and deadlines.

### Tuition fee

More information is to be found on: [www.ugent.be/tuitionfee](http://www.ugent.be/tuitionfee)

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