

Welcome to the Arqus Joint Master's Programme **European Studies!**



The English-taught Arqus Joint Master's Programme European Studies - Europe as a global actor brings together the expertise and academic excellence of four partner universities. The programme focuses on the relationship between Europeanisation and globalisation, the impact of global developments on Europe and changing role of the continent in the new world order.



Degree Awarded: Master of Arts (M.A.)*



Programme Duration: 4 semesters, 120 ECTS



Language of Instruction: English



Starting Date: October



Mode of Attendance: Full-time

*Joint Degree issued by all partner universities

Participating Universities

- University of Granada, Spain
- University of Graz, Austria
- Leipzig University, Germany
- Vilnius University, Lithuania



IT IS ORGANISED AS A JOINT PROGRAMME THAT ALLOWS YOU TO PROFIT FROM A WIDE RANGE OF OPTIONS IN COMPLEMENTARY FOCUS AREAS AND FROM A UNIQUE INTERCULTURAL EXPERIENCE DUE TO AN INTERNATIONAL COMPOSITION OF STUDENTS

A Joint Programme is a programme developed, implemented and offered jointly by several higher education institutions. Upon successful completion, graduates receive a jointly conferred degree, recognized by all partner universities.

Students choose a university as their entrance university where they start and complete the programme.

It is required to complete at least 30 ECTS under the responsibility of a partner university. Physical and virtual mobility is possible and can also be combined

The choosing of the entrance university as well as a mobility university have an integral impact regarding the individual specialisation

Programme Outline

Semester 2

- Module 4: European Foreign Policies
- Module 5: Regions in Europe
- Module 6: Social Transformations in Europe

Semester 4

- Module 10: Specialisations
- Module 11: Joint Online Colloquium: Europe as a Global Actor
- Master's thesis

Semester 1

- Module 1: Introduction to European Studies: Methods, Traditions and Future Challenges to Knowledge Production about Europe
- Module 2: Europeanisation under the Global Condition - History, Economics and Politics
- Module 3: Europe and Law

Semester 3

- Module 7: Europe and Development - Developmental Policies
- Module 8: Global Challenges and European Answers
- Module 9: Cultural Representation in Current European Societies

VARIOUS VIRTUAL COURSES OFFER STUDENTS ACADEMIC EXCHANGE AND INTERACTION WITH FELLOW STUDENTS AT ALL PARTNER UNIVERSITIES



Mobility & Virtual Exchange

The Arqus Joint Master's Programme European Studies features virtual exchange components to the extent of 30 ECTS. Within 5 modules (1-4 & 7) a joint online course of 5 ECTS each has to be completed by all students. A joint online colloquium complements the master's thesis.

You can spend a physical mobility at one of the partner universities in the second and/or third semester, depending on your interests and the specialisation and regional focus offered.

Contact & Info



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Specialisations and regional focus

Granada

- Geographical perspectives
- Socio-Economic Processes and Critical Views of Europe
- Public-Private Approaches to Climate Change
- Beyond Europe: Conflicts, actors and scenarios of change
- The European Approach to Migration

Graz

- Southeastern Europe
- Socio-Economic Development and Social Change
- Peace, Migration and Climate Change
- Human Rights and Diversity Management

Leipzig

- Between East and West
- Transnational Perspectives
- Global Conflict Management
- Cultural Representation in Current European Societies
- Europeanisation and Globalisation

Vilnius

- A Northern and Eastern Perspective
- Transnational Perspectives
- Eastern Europe and the Global Challenges
- Practical Skills and Knowledge on Eastern Europe

Application procedure

- 1 Registration**
on our online application platform and payment of the application fee
- 2 Entrance University**
Students can indicate up to two universities according to their focus area and priorities
- 3 Mobility**
Students can choose three priorities as well as the semester
- 4 Required documents**
must be uploaded as pdf files and submitted either in English or with an English translation

Application deadline: April 15th, 2023



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