

# 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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