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Master's degree

Master's in International Finance and Economics (MSc)

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Overview

Degree	Master of Science in International Finance and Economics (MSc)
Teaching language	<ul style="list-style-type: none">English
Languages	<p>The programme is completely taught in English.</p> <p>You can choose some electives in German.</p>
Full-time / part-time	<ul style="list-style-type: none">full-time
Programme duration	3 semesters
Beginning	Winter and summer semester
Application deadline	<ul style="list-style-type: none">For the winter semester, which starts on 1 October: 2 May to 15 JuneFor the summer semester, which starts on 15 March: 15 November to 15 December <p>Please visit our admissions website.</p>
Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Combined Master's degree / PhD programme	No
Joint degree / double degree programme	Yes
Description/content	<p>The three-semester (90 ECTS), full-time English-taught programme provides you with an in-depth understanding of the principles and practices of international finance and economics. It offers both practical and international experience and prepares students for a wide range of career opportunities, e.g. in the global financial industry.</p> <p>The accredited Master's programme is tailored for graduates wishing to obtain a strong specialisation in International Finance and Economics.</p>

The Master's in International Finance and Economics consists of seven mandatory modules, five elective modules, and the Master's thesis.

Mandatory modules:

1. Module: Fundamentals of Financial Management (International Financial Accounting, Intermediate Microeconomics)
2. Module: Corporate Valuation and Value-Based Management
3. Module: International Capital Markets
4. Module: Global Financial Institutions and Investment Banking
5. Module: Applied Quantitative Methods
6. Module: International Economics
7. Module: Applied International Research Project

A **specialisation** in one of the fields - finance or economics - is possible by selecting respective elective modules. A student can, for instance, choose anywhere from 6 to a maximum of 24 ECTS in finance electives in addition to the compulsory modules. The same is possible for a specialisation in economics. Students also have the chance to spend one semester abroad or earn a double degree.

Please find detailed module descriptions in our [module catalogue](#).

Double degree options:

We offer two double degrees: one with Sapienza University (Italy) and one with Nord University (Norway). Students of THN's Master in International Finance and Economics (M-IFE) can earn an additional Master's degree within two years:

- The Laurea Magistrale in Economics, Management, and Corporate Law (120 ECTS), awarded by Sapienza University
- The Master of Business with a major in Finance and Investments (MSc, 120 ECTS), awarded by Nord University in Norway

We are committed to an academic yet practice-oriented approach. Our experienced professors have an extensive academic and strong practical background in finance/economics. We are all working together to deliver a professional and internationally-oriented education, which enables students to cope with a vast, continuously changing global environment.

Course Details

Course organisation

Lectures tend to be in a participative lecture style with a strong involvement of students. Classes frequently incorporate case analyses and group discussions. There will also be joint work sessions and opportunities for supervised project work, field investigations and company visits as well as individual research. Small classes allow for close personal contacts.

Furthermore, students may broaden their horizons by spending a semester at one of our 80+ partner universities, by participating in our double degree programmes or by doing internships abroad.

Please find a [sample study plan](#) below. (Flexible scheduling is possible.)

A Diploma supplement will be issued

Yes

International elements

- Specialist literature in other languages
- International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context
- Study trips
- Projects with partners in Germany and abroad
- Integrated study abroad unit(s)

Integrated study abroad unit(s)	<p>Double degree options:</p> <p>We offer two double degrees: one with Sapienza University (Italy) and one with Nord University (Norway). Students of THN's Master's in International Finance and Economics (M-IFE) can earn an additional Master's degree within four semesters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Laurea Magistrale in Economics, Management, and Corporate Law (120 ECTS), awarded by Sapienza University • The Master of Business with a major in Finance and Investments (MSc, 120 ECTS), awarded by Nord University in Norway
Integrated internships	<p>We expect applicants to have relevant practical experience (at least six months) or a relevant internship (at least 20 weeks).</p> <p>In case an applicant has not yet worked in the field of economics or finance, an internship of 20 weeks will be part of the Master's programme.</p>
Course-specific, integrated German language courses	No
Course-specific, integrated English language courses	No

Costs / Funding

Tuition fees per semester in EUR	None
Semester contribution	The semester fee at Technische Hochschule Nürnberg is currently 177 EUR. This includes the basic ticket for public transport, i.e. free of charge on weekday evenings (Monday to Friday) as well as all day on weekends and on public holidays (VGN Semesterticket). Furthermore, additional tickets are available for unlimited use of public transport in the city of Nuremberg and in the VGN area (currently around 222 EUR) or Germany-wide (49 EUR per month/subscription).
Costs of living	Depending on where you live, around 1,000 EUR per month (including rent, insurance, food, books, leisure activities, etc.)
Funding opportunities within the university	Yes
Description of the above-mentioned funding opportunities within the university	Please refer to our scholarship website .

Requirements / Registration

Academic admission requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An above-average first "Diplom" or Bachelor's degree from a completed business or economics programme (focus on finance/economics) • Proof of C1 proficiency in English (see below)
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- German level A1
- Relevant practical experience in finance/economics

Please refer to our [website](#) for details on the admission requirements as well as [frequently asked questions](#).

Language requirements	<p>English – minimum test results (C1 level):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TOEFL iBT score 100, IELTS 7.0 or equivalent test results <p>German:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic knowledge of German: a minimum of 120 hours of classes attended (equivalent to the A1 level of the Goethe Institute) <p>Please refer to our website for details.</p>
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Submit application to	<p>https://studium.ohmportal.de/</p> <p>Information on the admission process / requirements: https://www.th-nuernberg.de/en/faculties/bw/study/international-business-bachelors-and-masters-degree-programs/international-finance-and-economics-msc/admission-process/</p>
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Services

Possibility of finding part-time employment	Students can, for instance, have a "450 EUR job" or be employed as a working student in one of the companies in the Nuremberg region. It is also possible to work as a student assistant at our university. However, students should make sure that they have enough time to study.
Accommodation	Students can apply for accommodation in student halls of residence , which are close to the university and well-equipped. A limited number of apartments are reserved for our MIFE students each semester – please apply as early as possible for our Master's programme in order to be considered for the housing offer. Prices for a private apartment are around 200 to 500 EUR per month.
Career advisory service	The university's career service will help you to prepare for your future career. You can also make use of the numerous workshops offered, e.g. how to write a good CV/cover letter or interview techniques. Our "Hochschuljobbörse" job database can be found here: https://jobboerse.th-nuernberg.de/ .
Support for international students and doctoral candidates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome event • Buddy programme
General services and support for international students	There will be a welcome day for all new Master's students that will include a welcome from our dean, a library introduction, a campus tour, speed networking and a joint lunch.

and doctoral candidates

During a separate orientation session, MIFE students will get to know their fellow students and the academic head of the programme as well as receive important course information. Students from higher semesters (buddies) will assist new students in setting up the IT systems or preparing for the semester ahead.

The relatively small number of new students each semester allows for close relationships between students, counselling staff, and professors. The International Business Department is happy to answer any questions from students. A special emphasis is placed on the integration of students from abroad. Furthermore, our International Office organises a wide range of intercultural activities each semester, including excursions or evening get-togethers.

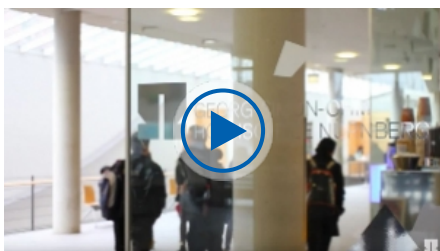


Image film of the Faculty of Business Administration (English)

A short video in English about the Faculty of Business Administration at the Technische Hochschule Nürnberg (students' project)

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NWjBpvHSQdk>

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Technische Hochschule Nürnberg Georg Simon Ohm(TH Nürnberg) offers a unique combination of theoretical and practical training. Students will benefit from our extensive company network. Our full-time teaching staff have both excellent academic and professional credentials, and our part-time lecturers hold top managerial positions in major international companies.

TH Nürnberg is one of the oldest educational institutions of its kind in Germany. Founded in 1823 under the leadership of the eminent physicist Georg Simon Ohm, our university grew to become one of the largest technical universities in Germany, maintaining academic partnerships with more than 140 universities and institutions of higher education around the globe.

The campus is situated next to the Pegnitz River, in a pleasant green area of Nuremberg, not far from the lively city centre.

Our faculty of Business Administration has about 3,000 full-time students, offers a wide variety of specialised studies, and is equipped with state-of-the-art computer labs and an excellent library system.



University location

Germany plays a major role in European and global business. Management decisions taken here are put into practice all over the world. Situated in Bavaria, in the southern part of Germany, the Nuremberg metropolitan area is home to about 3.5 million people and hosts hundreds of internationally thriving companies, including the headquarters of several multinationals.

The city is a rapidly growing venue for trade fairs, including the world's largest toy fair.

Apart from the popular "Christkindlesmarkt" and its famous "Lebkuchen" (gingerbread), Nuremberg has a lot to offer: a historic castle with a romantic atmosphere, rich cultural life and picturesque surroundings. Car races on the Noris ring and open-air festivals are spectacles fit to be seen. People here like to gather in restaurants and pubs: hospitality is more than just a word in Nuremberg.

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🌐 https://twitter.com/TH_Nuernberg

🌐 <https://www.linkedin.com/school/technische-hochschule-n%C3%BCrnberg-georg-simon-ohm/>

🌐 https://www.instagram.com/th_nuernberg/

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