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# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMMES

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## Master's degree

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### Management and Engineering in Production Systems (MME-PS)

RWTH Aachen University • Aachen



#### Overview

| Degree                                      | Master of Science (RWTH Aachen University)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| Teaching language                           | • English                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Languages                                   | Courses are taught entirely in English.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| Full-time / part-time                       | • full-time                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Programme duration                          | 4 semesters                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| Beginning                                   | Winter semester                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Application deadline                        | Non-EU applicants (applicants who have citizenship of a country outside EU/EEA):<br>2 December to 1 March<br>EU applicants (applicants who have citizenship of an EU/EEA country, are currently enrolled at<br>RWTH Aachen or hold a German university degree):<br>2 December to 15 July<br>Apply by 15 January (non-EU) / 15 April (EU) to benefit from a 10% early bird discount on the<br>tuition fees! |
| Tuition fees per semester in<br>EUR         | 6,000 EUR                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Additional information on tuition fees      | 24,000 EUR in total for four semesters                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
| Combined Master's degree /<br>PhD programme | No                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Joint degree / double degree<br>programme   | No                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Description/content                         | Fuse your engineering knowledge with business management skills and become an industrial engineer who can lead companies to success!                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |

The MSc Management and Engineering in Production Systems (MSc MME-PS) provides in-depth knowledge and understanding of production technology, production systems and production-related processes and particularly focuses on industrial R&D practice in the four areas of organisation, manufacturing technology, production machines and resources, and quality management. Unlock your business leader potential by learning crucial management skills and approaching industrial development and its management from both a technical and business perspective.

#### As an MSc MME-PS student, you will learn to:

- design, direct, monitor and optimise production processes
- optimise management control systems for more efficient financial planning and cost analysis
- identify and implement measures for yield improvement, test optimisation and product cost-ability methods
- plan cutting-edge factories by selecting innovate production machines and assembly systems

#### **Course Details**

| Course organisation                                     | The MSc MME-PS consists of:                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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|                                                         | <ul> <li>engineering and management compulsories</li> <li>engineering elective courses</li> <li>language courses</li> <li>the Master's thesis, which can be written internally with an institute or externally with a company</li> </ul> Get a detailed overview of the programme structure on outMSc MME-PS website.                              |
| A Diploma supplement will be issued                     | Yes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
| International elements                                  | <ul> <li>Language training provided</li> <li>Projects with partners in Germany and abroad</li> <li>Integrated/optional study abroad unit(s)</li> <li>Opportunities for students to work abroad</li> <li>Specialist literature in other languages</li> <li>International comparisons and thematic reference to the international context</li> </ul> |
| Integrated/optional study<br>abroad unit(s)             | The programme takes place in Aachen (Germany). The Master's thesis can be completed in other countries.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| Course-specific, integrated<br>German language courses  | No                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| Course-specific, integrated<br>English language courses | Νο                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |

#### **Costs / Funding**

| Additional information on tuition fees                                                   | 24,000 EUR in total for four semesters                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| Semester contribution                                                                    | The RWTH Aachen University's semester fee of approx. 300 EUR is a student body and social contribution fee that every student must pay each semester in order to stay enrolled as an active student. It includes, among other benefits, a "semester ticket" covering public transport in the federal state of North Rhine-Westphalia in Germany as well as the region of South Limburg in the Netherlands.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| Costs of living                                                                          | The average cost of living, including food, accommodation, personal and social expenses, and study-related costs, is estimated to be at least 900 to 1,000 EUR per month.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| Funding opportunities within the university                                              | Yes                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| Description of the above-<br>mentioned funding<br>opportunities within the<br>university | <ul> <li>Women in Engineering Scholarship: This scholarship was created to support qualified female engineering students. The scholarship grants a reduction of up to 25% of the tuition fees.</li> <li>High Potential Student Grant: This scholarship was created to support highly qualified students. The scholarship grants a reduction of up to 25% of the tuition fees.</li> <li>Global Talent Scholarship: This scholarship was created to support promising students from Egypt/Indonesia/Iran/Nigeria/Turkey. The scholarship grants a reduction of 35% of the tuition fees.</li> <li>Outstanding Performance Award: This scholarship honours students who have successfully completed our German Engineering College. Their remarkable performance will be rewarded with a reduction of up to 50% of the tuition fees.</li> </ul> |

### **Requirements / Registration**

| Academic admission<br>requirements | <ul> <li>Please see our website for detailed information on the admission requirements for theMSc MME-PS.</li> <li>Bachelor of Engineering, Bachelor of Technology or Bachelor of Science in mechanical engineering or a related discipline</li> <li>Relevant work experience of six months by the time of application</li> <li>GRE General Test (Verbal Reasoning: 145 points   Quantitative Reasoning: 160 points   Analytical Writing: 3 points) or proof of completion of German Engineering College</li> <li>Fundamental knowledge in engineering</li> </ul>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
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| Language requirements              | <ul> <li>If you would like to attend an English-taught Master's degree programme, you must be fluent in English (oral and written) in order to understand lectures, textbooks and manuals and to participate in lab projects, industrial internships and examinations.</li> <li>One of the following certificates must be submitted <b>at the time of enrolment</b> (not at the time of application): <ul> <li>TOEFL Internet-based: minimum of 90 points</li> <li>IELTS test: minimum overall band 6.0 points</li> <li>Cambridge Test - Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)</li> <li>First Certificate in English (FCE), completed with B</li> <li>Placement test of RWTH Aachen University's Language Centre (B2 – only available for students already enrolled at RWTH Aachen University)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |

|                       | All applicants who have a school leaving qualification or first degree in English that was issued by<br>an institution in the United Kingdom, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand, Canada, or the US are<br>exempt from the English language certificate requirement. Please note that having German<br>citizenship or citizenship of an English-speaking country, even those listed above, does not in and<br>of itself exempt you from the respective language certificate requirement.<br>No German language skills are required for admission and enrolment. However, you will have the<br>chance to take German language courses as part of your curriculum at RWTH Aachen University<br>Language Centre. |
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| Submit application to | Please use the official online application portal of RWTH Aachen Universityand submit your electronic application.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |

### Services

| Possibility of finding part-<br>time employment | Generally, students enrolled at RWTH Aachen University have the opportunity to find a job on<br>campus and work for up to 19 hours per week. This also allows students to become more familiar<br>with the university institutes and take part in projects related to their field of study.<br>The maximum working limit for off-campus work is 120 full days / 240 half days per year for non-EU<br>students.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| Accommodation                                   | Aachen is a vibrant university city with several hundred new students arriving each semester. The<br>housing market is quite tough as a result, especially during the months of March/April and<br>September/October. Finding suitable and affordable accommodation can be time consuming and<br>challenging.<br>Therefore, we as RWTH International Academy offer our own accommodation in two apartment<br>buildings in the city centre to students of our Master's degree programmes. Benefit from exclusive<br>prices and in-house services, whether you only need short-term accommodation before moving<br>into your own apartment, or you are looking for a new home for the duration of your studies. Visit<br>our housing website for more information.                                          |
| Career advisory service                         | Our Career Service is an integral part of our student success management. It is designed to<br>empower you to proactively drive your career forward from the first day of your studies. You will<br>have seamless access to a valuable and comprehensive career programme matching your studies.<br>Experience extensive career services and mutually beneficial connections to employers, research<br>facilities and institutes at RWTH Aachen University throughout the academic year. As alumni of<br>RWTH Aachen University, we will support you in achieving your career goals and lifelong success by<br>providing innovative further education programmes and networking events.<br>Benefit from:<br>• career programme<br>• advice and coaching<br>• professional collaborations and partnerships |

• career platform

Support for international students and doctoral candidates

- Welcome event
- Specialist counselling
- Cultural and linguistic preparation
- Visa matters
- Help with finding accommodation
- Tutors
- Accompanying programme
- Support with registration procedures

General services and support for international students and doctoral candidates We look forward to welcoming students of all nationalities! For students from China, India and Latin America, we provide exclusive access, special support and individual consultation through our Academy Offices on site.

## **RWTH Aachen University**



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With 260 institutes, nine faculties and three Clusters of Excellence, RWTH Aachen University is one of Europe's leading institutions for science and research. Currently, more than 47,000 students are enrolled in 170 courses of study. Of these students, more than 13,000 are international students. RWTH Aachen is well-known for its state-of-the-art education that tackles some of the world's most pressing global challenges. Our graduates are highly sought after by businesses and industry as trainees and for executive positions.

As the official academy for education of RWTH Aachen University, RWTH International Academy is tasked with promoting and developing the integration of professional and academic education. Our goal is to make knowledge accessible to international participants through application-oriented educational formats and programmes, thus making a lasting contribution to lifelong learning.

More about RWTH International Academy



### • University location

The student city of Aachen is a vibrant and historic place located at the border triangle of Germany, Belgium and the Netherlands. Aachen was a favoured residence of Charlemagne. After the departure of the Romans from this region, Charlemagne finally managed to forge the lion's share of Europe into something that resembled an administrative unity, with Aachen as the beating heart of the empire. The "Rathaus" (city hall) and "Dom" (cathedral) bear witness to this earliest Carolingian building history. During your time in Aachen, you will have the opportunity to discover the city, its history and its most important sights. Moreover, you will experience student life at one of Europe's leading technical universities and become part of the international student community. There is no better place to encounter European culture while challenging yourself in our programmes.

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