



Partner Universities

-  Hochschule Bremen University of Applied Sciences, Germany
-  University of Hannover, Germany
-  University of Bremen, Germany
-  Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic
-  University of Latvia, Latvia
-  Riga Stradins University, Latvia
-  Turība University, Latvia
-  University of Milan, Italy
-  University of Trento, Italy
-  University of Castilla-La Mancha, Spain
-  University of Warmia Mazury, Poland
-  University of Evora, Portugal
-  University of Groningen, The Netherlands
-  Aix-Marseille University, France
-  Aarhus University, Denmark
-  Tallinn University, Estonia

Eligibility

Graduates in any discipline with a minimum of 50 per cent aggregate

* Candidates appearing for the qualifying examination in the same year of admission can also apply

Selection

Selection based on Letter of Motivation, Written Test and Personal Interview

Admission

Application deadline: May 31, 2020

Commencement of classes: August 3, 2020

First year program fee: ₹71,000

Manipal Centre for European Studies

Manipal Centre for European Studies, positioned within the Faculty of Humanities, Liberal Arts and Social Sciences, is a unique Centre dedicated to sharing and enhancing knowledge between India and Europe through multidisciplinary study program and research projects. Funded by the Delegation of the European Union to India, the Centre was established in 2009 with the vision to foster India-EU educational connect by enhancing knowledge sharing across disciplines and geographical boundaries. The recent award and recognition by the European Union in July 2018 of the Centre as a Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence in India-EU Interdisciplinary Studies - Culture, Literature, Education and Society marks a major milestone in the Centre's journey towards fulfilling its mission of being the preferred destination of students and faculty with specific interests in India-EU studies.

Professor Dr Neeta Inamdar who holds a prestigious Jean Monnet Chair in EU Economic Integration and European Identity, heads the Centre.

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MA European Studies



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MA European Studies is a flagship master program offered by the Manipal Centre for European Studies (MCES) tailored to provide a comprehensive understanding of Europe and its various institutions from political, economic, cultural, educational and historical perspectives. This multidisciplinary program aims to equip learners from diverse academic backgrounds interested in contemporary European Studies with a wide range of critical skills. The program is specially designed with a curriculum that is internationally recognised offering four specialisation tracks: Business and Economics; Culture and Literary Studies; Education, Policy and Management; Politics and International Relations. In addition to facilitating critical engagement with disciplinary knowledge, the program also lays emphasis on 21st-century skills that will aid learners in meeting the challenges of working in a global environment. With a unique opportunity to study a part of the program in one of our European partner universities, this program is designed to foster the understanding of various aspects of Europe and its relations with the other.

Program Highlights



International study experience with the opportunity to undertake a part of the program in Europe with full or partial scholarships



Broad and flexible program offering four core specialisation (business and economics; culture and literary studies; education, policy, and management; politics and international relations) and in-program electives



Regular interactive sessions with renowned visiting professors from European and Indian universities, delegates from EU Institution and other organisations



Hands-on intercultural training and foreign language acquisition – French/German/Spanish



Course structure, credits and academic calendars harmonised with European higher education standards

Program Structure

First Semester		
Course code	Course title	Credits
MES 5101	Economic Integration and Eurozone	3
MES 5102	Political and Cultural Construction of Europe	3
MES 5103	Education, Globalisation and Society	3
MES 5104	Political Governance and Policy Process in EU	3
MES 5105	Introduction to Research Methods	2
MES 5106	Building Professional Competences 1	2
MES 5107	European Language	4
Total Credits		20
Second Semester		
MES 5201	Social Science Research Methods	2
MES 5202	Building Professional Competences 2	2
MES 5203	European Language	4
Specialisation 1: Business and Economics		
MES 5204	European Project Management	4
MES 5205	European Business Environment	4
Specialisation 2: Culture and Literary Studies		
MES 5206	Cultural Analysis and European Identity	3
MES 5207	“Watching” Europe: Introduction to European Society and Culture through Cinema	1
MES 5208	Theories of Literature and Culture: European Perspective	4
Specialisation 3: Education, Policy and Management		
MES 5209	International Education, Policies and Europe	4
MES 5210	Education: Strategic Planning and Management	4
Specialisation 4: Politics and International Relations		
MES 5211	EU as an International Player	4
MES 5212	Theories of International Relations	4
Total Credits		20

Third Semester		
Course code	Course title	Credits
MES 6101	Open Elective	4
MES 6102	European Language	4
Specialisation 1: Business and Economics		
MES 6103	Management Across Cultures	4
MES 6104	New Venture Creation and Management	4
Specialisation 2: Culture and Literary Studies		
MES 6105	Society in European Literature	4
MES 6106	European Philosophical Thoughts and Reflections	4
Specialisation 3: Education, Policy and Management		
MES 6107	Ethics, Quality and Innovation in Education	4
MES 6108	Inclusive and Sustainable Education – Policies and Practice	4
Specialisation 4: Politics and International Relations		
MES 6109	India and EU: Economics, Politics and Security	4
MES 6110	Human Rights and Rule of Law in EU	4
Total Credits		20
Fourth Semester		
MES 6201	Open Elective	4
MES 6202	Master's Thesis	16
Total Credits		20

Career Prospects

- EU institutions such as European Parliament, European Commission
- Intergovernmental organisations such as the United Nations
- Political parties, lobby groups and NGOs
- Embassies, ministries, and cultural organisations
- Education (academic) and research (think-tanks) institutions
- International business and consultancy
- Media, journalism and publishing industry