Bocconi

MASTER OF SCIENCE PROGRAMS

2022-2023

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Bocconi. Knowledge that matters.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE!



Our website is constantly being updated and is designed to offer you a great browsing experience!

You can easily find insights into our University and any other information you

- everything you need to know about our programs (including program structures and international opportunities)
- indications on admissions, fees and funding, and on-campus housing
- recruitment and guidance initiatives

To boost your browsing, whenever you see this icon



you will be taken directly to additional material on that topic. Much more is also available online, including a virtual tour of the campus, lots of videos and news, and more information about us!

And to find out the latest, follow us on our social media channels















Since its founding in 1902, Bocconi has always stood for pluralism, independence and entrepreneurial spirit that support the socioeconomic progress of Italy and Europe through scientific innovation, advanced research and the training of tomorrow's business leaders. You will learn from expert faculty, attending programs at the forefront of modern higher learning. A Bocconi education is a springboard to improved professional prospects and enables our graduates to make a significant contribution to society: This is the meaning behind our motto, "Knowledge That Matters."



ONE OF THE TOP 5 UNIVERSITIES IN EUROPE

Bocconi is recognized internationally for its academics and research in the social sciences, in the fields of economics, management, finance, political science, data science and legal studies. We continue to invest in and attract talented faculty from all over the world, who help build our reputation both in research and teaching.



INNOVATION AND RESEARCH

Our faculty conduct both theoretical and applied research at the cutting-edge of various areas of the social sciences. This work is increasingly interdisciplinary and strategic: many projects are coordinated by Bocconi research centers, laboratories and units in collaboration with companies and institutions. The resulting innovation, knowledge - and further research horizons - then spill over to become the focus of our programs.



A GLOBAL NETWORK

Bocconi's network of contacts will provide you with a unique educational experience and important professional opportunities

- 280+ PARTNER SCHOOLS
- 4,000 EMPLOYERS
- 120,000+ ALUMNI



AN OPEN AND INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY

Bocconi's diverse and open community makes our campus an inclusive place where languages, experiences, cultures and ideas are exchanged on a daily basis, resulting in professional but also personal growth. You will join a community of students and alumni from countries all over the world, building a network of relations that lasts a lifetime.



PROGRAMS AT THE LEADING EDGE

You will also build an international resume at the forefront of today's academic opportunities. Our students are required to study two foreign languages and take classes to work on their soft skills, and they can also apply to study or work abroad. Our programs are designed to allow you to develop an open mind, critical thinking skills and the capacity for innovation.



PROFESSIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Thanks to a wide-ranging network of contacts with leading companies, firms and institutions around the world, Bocconi provides strong support to graduates entering the workforce. During your MSc, you'll be able to take advantage of a dedicated career consultant for your program and personalized career services throughout the job search process.



A DYNAMIC AND SUSTAINABLE CAMPUS

The Bocconi campus, located in a vibrant area in downtown Milan, has a wealth of opportunities to choose from, including sports, cultural activities, entertainment, student associations, student-run media and volunteering. In recent years, the campus has evolved to increasingly focus on sustainable issues and the safety and wellbeing of our community.







PRE-EXPERIENCE

FOR THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN FINANCE

MASTERS IN MANAGEMENT

FOR THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT



IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES AND MANAGEMENT SUBJECT AREA

OS WORLD
UNIVERSITY
RANKINGS
BY SUBJECT 2021

5 th IN EUROPE 14 th WORLDWIDE
IN THE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTS IN THE FINANCE AND ACCOUNTING SUBJECT AREA

5th 18th WORLDWIDE

IN THE ECONOMICS AND ECONOMETRICS SUBJECT AREA

3rd 7th WORLDWIDE

IN THE BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT SUBJECT AREA

RESEARCH GRANTS

IN EUROF L
FOR ECONOMICS,
MANAGEMENT,
FINANCE

TILBURG UNIVERSITY TOP 100 WORLDWIDE ECONOMICS SCHOOLS RESEARCH RANKING

18th WORLDWIDE

370+

550+





AN OPEN AND INCLUSIVE **COMMUNITY**

280+ LEADING PARTNER SCHOOLS IN 54 COUNTRIES WORLDWIDE

4,000+

OUTGOING STUDENTS

2,300 FOR STUDY ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES

1,700+ FOR WORK ABROAD OPPORTUNITIES

2,150 INCOMING EXCHANGE STUDENTS FROM PARTNER SCHOOLS

Data refers to 2019-2020

120,000+ ALUMNI AROUND THE WORLD

As of 31 December 2019

14,900

TOTAL STUDENTS ENROLLED AT BOCCONI

3,100+

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS ENROLLED

4,300

TOTAL STUDENTS ENROLLED IN MSC PROGRAMS

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS IN CLASSES TAUGHT IN ENGLISH

Data refers to 2020-2021







PLACEMENT STATISTICS

93.6% MSC GRADUATES EMPLOYED ONE YEAR AFTER GRADUATION*

32.9% WORK ABROAD ONE YEAR AFTER GRADUATION*

75.1% MSC GRADUATES EMPLOYED ON GRADUATION DAY**

1 month average time needed for job placement*

RECRUITING ACTIVITIES 2020

7,000 PLACEMENT AND INTERNSHIP OFFERS, 13% ABROAD

5,600

INDIVIDUAL MEETINGS WITH **INFORMATION ON THE ITALIAN** AND INTERNATIONAL JOB MARKETS, PROFESSIONAL PLANNING, **PLACEMENT INTERVIEWS AND APTITUDE ORIENTATION**

4,000

EMPLOYERS INVOLVED IN ON-CAMPUS AND ONLINE RECRUITING EVENTS, INCLUDING:

- THE BOCCONI&JOBS CAREER EVENT IN MILAN (2 EDITIONS)
- BOCCONI&JOBS ABROAD IN BENELUX, FRANCE, GERMANY, **UK&IRELAND**
- INVESTMENT BANKING WEEK WITH A CAREER FAIR AND EVENTS WITH LEADING INVESTMENT BANKS
- RECRUITING DATES DEDICATED TO FASHION, LUXURY & BEAUTY; FINANCIAL SERVICES & FINTECH; GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC SERVICES & INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS; ARTS, SPORT & ENTERTAINMENT; **RETAIL: WEB COMPANIES**
- NETWORKING AND RECRUITING EVENTS ORGANIZED WITH INDIVIDUAL COMPANIES

OUR TOP EMPLOYERS

AB InBev | Accenture | Accuracy | Allianz | Amazon | Ariston Thermo Group | Armani | Arthur D. Little | Bain & Company | Banco Santander | Bank of America | Barclays Be Management Consulting | BIP. Business Integration Partners | Blackrock | Bloom Holding | Bloomberg | BNP Paribas | Bolton Group | Bosch | Boston Consulting Group BPCE | Campari Group | Capgemini | Carrefour | Casavo Management | Cerved Group | Citi | Coca Cola HBC | Comcast | Credit Agricole Group | Credit Suisse | Danone | Deloitte | Deutsche Bank | DNI Group Holdings | Edison | Enel | Eni | Equita Group | European Central Bank | European Commission | EY | Facile.it | Fater | Ferrero | Fidiger | General Electric | Generali | Google | GSK | Henkel | Hilti Corporation | HSBC | Iason Group | IBM | Intesa Sanpaolo | IQVIA |

J.P. Morgan | Jab Holding | Jakala | Kearney | Kering | KPMG | Lactalis | Lazard | L'Oreal | Luxottica | LVMH | Mars | Marsh & McLennan | Max Mara Fashion Group | Mayhoola | MBS Consulting | McKinsey & Company | Mediobanca Microsoft | Ministero dell'Economia e delle Finanze | Mondele⁻z | Moody's | Morgan Stanley | Nestlé | Nike | Nomura | P&G | Parva Consulting | Philip Morris | Philips | Pirelli | Pirola Pennuto Zei & Associati | Protiviti | Prysmian | PwC | RB | Richemont | Roche | Rödl & Partner | Roland Berger | Rothschild & Co | Royal Bank of Canada | Salesforce | Samsung | SAP | SC Johnson | SDG Group | Siemens | Société Générale | Stellantis | Techedge Group | The Estée Lauder Companies | The Goldman Sachs Group | The Kraft Heinz Company | The Level Group | The Nielsen Company | The Royal Bank of Scotland | UBS | UniCredit | Unilever | Veepee | VF Corporation | Vodafone | Volkswagen Group | Whirlpool | WPP | Zalando | Zeb Consulting

^{*} Survey - graudation sessions from 2018-2019

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Located **close to the city center** in a safe and vibrant area, the Bocconi campus is woven into the urban fabric of Milan. A **new area of the campus** includes a student dorm, a new location for the business school, plus a sport center with an Olympic-size pool and a park that are open to the public.

We have a **sustainable**, **innovative** and **safe campus**. The new area features 17,000m2 of greenery and several initiatives are in place focused on responsible consumption, such as energy efficiency and reducing the use of disposable plastic. Safety and security services include access to an on-site medical center, a doorman service at all residence halls and several areas restricted to the Bocconi community.

Our campus is the stage for many **cultural**, **sports and social events**: important opportunities for students to expand the horizons of their knowledge, cultivate their interests, exchange views on current topics and socialize.



REALITY

Bocconi is located in **Italy's most cosmopolitan and dynamic city**, a capital of commerce, design, fashion and music. Milan combines **history with innovation**, **business with leisure** – it's the perfect city for a well-rounded university experience.

5 REASONS YOU'LL LOVE MILAN

- You'll join a robust community of more than 200,000 students at 8 universities in Italy's best student city, according to QS Best Study Cities.
- The city hosts around 4,700 multinational companies, providing an **ideal starting point for any international career**. Milan is also a world design and fashion hub, with Design Week attracting visitors from around the world.
- Milan's widespread public transportation network and several bike and car sharing services are a testament to the city's progress in **smart mobility**.
- The city center is a showcase for Milan's history. Leonardo da Vinci's Last Supper and La Scala opera house are only the most famous among the **town's many attractions**, and there are concerts and performances of all kinds year-round.
- With a home base in Milan you'll have **easy access to beaches, hiking, biking and skiing**. The city boasts excellent transport links with other major Italian and European cities, and three airports connect the city to the entire world.



Bocconi University is widely acknowledged for the quality of its Master of Science graduates. In the competitive job arena awaiting them, our 2-year MSc programs are proven gateways for international careers. One number says it clearly: 93.6% of Bocconi's MSc grads are employed one year after getting their degree.

Our programs combine a strong theoretical background and an emphasis on real-world applications. They nurture critical thinking, an open-minded attitude and the ability to work in multi-cultural environments, all while promoting an attitude of responsible entrepreneurship. Indeed, the aim of our MSc programs is to contribute to the development of leading citizens of our globalized world.

The relationships you will build with peers, faculty members and other contacts represent crucial added value to your University experience. And our international Alumni Community is the natural way to keep in touch with fellow students and with the University throughout your future career.

MSC PROGRAM STRUCTURE

Our programs help you develop solid knowledge in all the core topics during your first year, while choosing from a wide list of electives in year two. This allows you to design a flexible study plan that focuses on your main areas of interest and pursues them in depth.





COMPULSORY COURSES

CORE COURSES

SPECIALIZATION COURSES
ELECTIVES

MAJOR OR FREE TRACK
STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

2 FOREIGN LANGUAGES

INTERNSHIP IN ITALY OR ABROAD (COMPULSORY)

ENHANCING EXPERIENCE ACTIVITIES

THESIS

INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT



Masters in Management
16TH IN EUROPE AND WORLDWIDE

This challenging and **highly ranked program** gives students the tools required to understand the global world we live in, training **prospective managers and entrepreneurs** to make a major contribution to the performance of organizations of all types around the world, while applying the ideas of a responsible and sustainable future to business operations in practice.

The MSc in International Management is divided into three different programs, which will expose you to different international learning environments:

- International Management www.unibocconi.eu/im-msc
- CEMS MIM www.unibocconi.eu/cems
- China MIM www.unibocconi.eu/chinamim

You can choose the program that best fits your individual needs and preferences.



Find out more on the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/im-msc

MANAGEMENT

This MSc offers a learning path where the **in-depth study of key corporate functions and processes** prepares graduates to take on managerial roles. It aims to help students develop problem-solving skills, acquiring the competencies, abilities and aptitudes required to operate as managers in companies and consulting firms, or as entrepreneurs.

The MSc in Management also offers a **joint program with ESSEC**, which amplifies students' international backgrounds. **www.unibocconi.eu/essec-dd**



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/m-msc

MARKETING MANAGEMENT

This program uses a multidisciplinary approach to allow students to delve into the many aspects of marketing management in today's world. Students acquire the knowledge and skills to proactively **shape the marketing of the future**, while integrating essential marketing tools and digital marketing strategies with innovative approaches and expertise from diverse academic fields.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/mm-msc

ACCOUNTING, FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL

To help students succeed in this complex field, **technical knowledge** of financial reporting, financial and risk management, and performance measurement is integrated with the **ability to read the business world** and interpret its evolutionary trends. Students in this program acquire the expertise and skills related to the role of Chief Financial Officer, learning to analyze problems and make managerial decisions from a plurality of perspectives.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/afc-msc

FINANCE



Pre-experience Masters in Finance 6TH IN EUROPE AND WORLDWIDE

This highly ranked program allows students to master multiple areas of finance, investment banking, corporate finance and advisory, quantitative finance, risk management, derivatives and asset pricing. This, combined with technical skills in a specific field, is the program's competitive advantage when compared to the one-year graduate programs widely available.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/finance-msc

ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT IN ARTS, CULTURE, MEDIA AND ENTERTAINMENT

The program prepares students to build an international career as managers, entrepreneurs or professionals in fields commonly referred to as the **creative industries**, including the visual arts, the performing arts, cinema, the media, publishing, entertainment, tourism, fashion, design and luxury.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)
www.unibocconi.eu/acme-msc



ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT OF GOVERNMENT AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

This program builds on Bocconi's longstanding experience, network and reputation in the area of government, business-government relations, international organizations, sustainability and healthcare. Students develop a unique professional profile in the public sphere through a careful selection of major electives and a wide range of international opportunities offered. The two interrelated areas of policy analysis and managerial skills allows graduates to work in the complex professional setting of government.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)
www.unibocconi.eu/gio-msc

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

The MSc provides a solid foundation in **quantitative methods and economic theory**: graduates will develop the ability to interpret the economic and social processes that are typical at all stages of development. Students in this long-established program benefit from **close interaction with faculty and research centers at Bocconi**, with the chance to get involved in research projects or attend **PhD-level courses as electives**.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/ess-msc

ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY

The program is designed to provide students with the **analytical competencies and problem-solving** skills to understand the mechanisms and to master the processes through which innovative ideas are developed and turned into market applications. Its challenging interdisciplinary curriculum blends **strategic, managerial, organizational and economic approaches** in order to analyze innovation and technology, both at firm and market levels.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/emit-msc

DATA SCIENCE AND BUSINESS ANALYTICS

This program offers a unique blend of modern statistics and mathematics, the latest advancements in computer science, and Bocconi's strong expertise in business. The MSc offers two tracks that share a modern quantitative core: Data Science, for students who want to specialize in more theoretical topics, such as the development of new optimization algorithms or machine learning algorithms for Artificial Intelligence; and Business Analytics, for students who want to apply the knowledge gained to a business context, making sense of data, making predictions and influencing organizations.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)

www.unibocconi.eu/dsba-msc

POLITICS AND POLICY ANALYSIS

This program combines rigorous advanced knowledge in the **quantitative disciplines** with a multidisciplinary approach, allowing you to develop **critical thinking on political and policymaking** issues to create innovative and effective solutions to real-world policy problems. Students can attend the traditional program or apply to a special **Double Degree** at one of two prestigious partner schools, undisputed leaders in the fields of public policy and politics.

- LSE in London www.unibocconi.eu/lse-dd
- Sciences Po in Paris www.unibocconi.eu/sciencespo-dd

Applicants to the Bocconi-LSE Double Degree and Bocconi-Sciences Po Double Degree are required to complete a specific application with different deadlines and additional requirements. Procedures, deadlines and additional requirements are available on the website.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)
www.unibocconi.eu/ppa-msc

CYBER RISK STRATEGY AND GOVERNANCE

This one-of-a-kind program builds on the technical and managerial excellence of two leading universities, **Bocconi** and **Politecnico di Milano**, offering a **unique set of interdisciplinary skills** to strategically assess, govern and manage cyber-related opportunities and risks. It is based on a complementary blend of each university's strengths: Politecnico provides top-flight technological training, while Bocconi shares its expertise on the strategic and economic fronts.



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path, study abroad programs and placement)
www.unibocconi.eu/cyber-msc

JOINT DEGREE WITH



TRANSFORMATIVE SUSTAINABILITY

At a time in which major **environmental and social challenges** have become central for any type of business, Bocconi University and Politecnico di Milano have each leveraged their own unique areas of expertise to design a joint degree with an **integrated and innovative perspective on sustainability**.

This cutting-edge program combines fields of a technical nature (technologies for the environment, energy, mobility and circularity) with the fields in the social sciences (management, economics and quantitative and legal disciplines) that are needed to manage "just sustainable transition" within organizations.

The MSc in Transformative Sustainability is an internationally-oriented program that aims to provide students with the knowledge and the tools needed for:

- transitioning companies toward a sustainable business and management approach, through the innovation of products, processes, systems and business models supported by technological advancements
- understanding the influence of ESG criteria on governance, management and financial and investment decisions.

In this transformation, technologies are a fundamental **enabling factor**: technology must be guided by an innovation process that starts from a vision and objectives and takes into account all the variables that characterize the business model and processes of companies.

The program aims to combine the capability of strategic vision on sustainability – the why – with expertise in enabling science and technologies and processes – the what – through mediation of innovation and design methodologies – the how. In this way, the whole innovation path within sustainability is addressed from strategic planning to execution.

Applicants to the MSc in Transformative Sustainability are required to complete a specific application.

The MSc is subject to completion of the approval process by the Ministry of University and Research



Find out more about the program (detailed info on study path)
www.unibocconi.eu/ts-msc





TRANSFORMATIVE SUSTAINABILITY



ADMISSION PROCEDURES

INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS



EVALUATION ELEMENTS

- Mandatory Test: GMAT or GRE (verbal and quantitative sections only)
- GPA of exams or courses passed during the undergraduate program by the time you apply
- Curriculum Vitae/Resume
- Personal Statement
- Video Presentation not mandatory



TIMELINE

5 selection rounds are available throughout the 2022-2023 academic year:

	APPLICATION	RESULTS	ENROLLMENT
/ KOUNDI /	5 September 2021 0 November 2021	20 January 2022	By 8 February 2022
ROUND II	December 2021 – 27 January 2022	14 March 2022	By 30 March 2022
ROUND III	28 January 2022 – 10 March 2022	28 April 2022	By 12 May 2022
ROUND IV	11 March 2022 – 21 April 2022	31 May 2022	By 13 June 2022
ROUND V	22 April 2022 – 26 May 2022	30 June 2022	By 7 July 2022

Apply as early as possible to have a greater chance of success and wider eligibility for merit scholarships.

Up to 5 programs can be selected in the same application.

DEDICATED TRACK FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Past and current incoming exchange students can take advantage of three dedicated selection rounds and a special admission process, provided they meet specific requirements on the exams passed during their time at Bocconi.

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/	ROUND I	6 September 2021 14 October 2021		15 November 2022		By 2 December 2022
	ROUND II	28 January 2022 – 10 March 2022		28 April 2022	H	By 12 May 2022
	ROUND III	22 April 2022 – 26 May 2022	4	30 June 2022	H	By 7 July 2022

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND DOUBLE DEGREES

CEMS MIM, China MIM and ESSEC-Bocconi Double Degrees

Application to these Double Degree programs takes place at the same time as admission to the regular MSc programs. These programs must be chosen independently from the specific related MSc program.

LSE-Bocconi, Sciences Po-Bocconi Double Degrees

Applications to these Double Degree programs are independent and not included in the 5 choices mentioned above. Check online for more information on the dedicated selection rounds and specific requirements for these Double Degree programs.

Transformative Sustainability

Joint Degree with Politecnico di Milano

Applications to the MSc in Transformative Sustainability are independent and not included in the 5 choices mentioned above. Check online for more information on the dedicated selection round and specific requirements for this program.



FIND OUT ADMISSION TO MSC PROGRAMS



FEES AND FUNDING

Bocconi welcomes motivated and bright students, regardless of their families' financial situation.

The University has been committed to an investment policy supporting deserving students for many years, through an expanding financial aid system based on both merit and need.

Tuition and fees for Master of Science programs are approximately € 14,000 per year*. Tuition is divided into different installments that students pay throughout the year.

- When evaluating students for admission, top candidates may be assigned a **Merit or International Award** covering 100% or 50% of yearly tuition fees. There is no need to apply for these merit scholarships as the Scholarship Committee assigns them independently.
- Enrolled students may also apply for **ISU Bocconi Scholarship**, or for contributions for participation in international mobility and internship programs.
- European students and students with a permanent address in Italy may apply for **low interest loans** thanks to agreements between Bocconi and major European banks.
- US citizens can apply for a federal loan (FAFSA).



Find out more www.unibocconi.eu/graduatefees www.unibocconi.eu/graduatefunding HOUSING

Bocconi has a variety of different residence halls located on and near our campus that can accommodate around **2,000 students**. All guests have single rooms, sometimes in a shared apartment. Rooms and common areas are cleaned weekly and a doorman service is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.



Find out more www.unibocconi.eu/graduatehousing

FINANCIAL AID

€ **36** mln

1 out of 4

IN FUNDING

STUDENTS

*Please note that some special Double Degree programs may be subject to additional fees. Check the website for detailed information











The Guidance and Recruitment Office is your point of reference for embarking on the journey to becoming a Bocconi student! We support applicants looking for information on programs, application requirements, financial aid and campus life through guidance activities, summer schools and direct contacts with prospective students.



Check out our guidance activities and join us www.unibocconi.eu/graduateguidance



Our friendly student ambassadors can answer your questions about Bocconi programs, student life and Milan. Chat now! Unibuddy

JOIN OUR SUMMER SCHOOL

Bocconi Summer School offers a challenging study program open to motivated students. It's a unique opportunity to participate in an exciting laboratory of teaching and active learning. If you're interested in further developing your passion for business and economics or law, apply to take part in our Summer School, a learning experience focused on leading-edge subjects.



Find out more: www.unibocconi.eu/summerschool

FROM LINATE AIRPORT

Bus 73 + tram 9

FROM STAZIONE CENTRALE

MM 3 + tram 15

FROM STAZIONE CADORNA

(Malpensa Express Terminal) Bus 94 + tram 15

