Postgraduate Programs

Professional Education at the University of Vienna offered in English

Studying at the University of Vienna
Cultural Management

This postgraduate certificate course aims to provide conceptual knowledge and applied skills for the management of cultural and social projects. It is designed to bridge best practice and inspirational theory as well as to anticipate trends and explore experimental formats. Participants will establish contacts and will also develop projects in relevant fields. In order to be accepted, participants have to hold an academic degree in cultural or social sciences or a high school degree (GCA A-Levels) combined with experience in related fields.

Global Political Economy of Sustainable Development

This master program aims at imparting both theoretical knowledge and applied methods for the design of sustainable development policies at the national and international level. It has an interdisciplinary orientation and is based on a plural understanding of scientific approaches with respect to globalization and sustainability. The program is offered either as full time or part time and its graduates will be awarded with a Master of Science degree.

Human Rights

The implementation of human rights in peace operations, development projects, transition and post-conflict situations requires highly motivated and skilled human rights experts. The master program aims at providing you with transdisciplinary scientific knowledge and practical skills to allow you to work in diverse professional environments. Students should hold at least a bachelor degree, from a broad variety of academic disciplines, possess an open mind, empathy for human beings and a strong interest in human rights. Graduates might work as election observers, officers for human rights monitoring and capacity building in the field, diplomats, trainers, mediators, consultants, researchers, etc.
International Studies
The Master of Advanced International Studies is a two-year academic program that focuses on the advanced study of politics and international relations, international economics, history, international and European law. It is based on the principles of multidisciplinarity, internationality, knowledge of current affairs and participatory learning. The aim is to gain the ability to analyze and understand European and international development processes. Graduates will have excellent career prospects for working in international organizations and enterprises, public or diplomatic services, as well as in research.

European and International Business Law
The LL.M. program focuses on the European and international legal framework for internationally operating enterprises and the relevant economic governance issues. A special emphasis is put on European Union business law as well as the enterprises’ legal position, when doing business within the European market or internationally. The program is of special interest for persons who are affiliated with or plan to work for internationally operating business law firms or enterprises, government agencies, business lobbies or any other European and international organizations.

International Legal Studies
The postgraduate LL.M. degree course in International Legal Studies at the University of Vienna is a 1-year full-time or a 2-year part-time program. This program aims at deepening the knowledge of structures and specific issues in international law – such as: Fundamental Issues of International Law, International Economic Law, International Organizations and International Dispute Settlement. Students acquire knowledge and skills that are important for the practice of international law, in international organizations, governmental agencies, as well as in internationally operating law firms and enterprises.
Postgraduate Programs offered in German

**EDUCATION & SOCIAL CARE**

- Developing Human Resources, Teams and Organizations by Experiential Learning following the IOA® Concept (Academic Expert Title/MSc)
- Early Care Counselling (MA)
- Gerontology and Social Innovation (MA)
- Integration of children and adolescents – Psychagogy (MA)
- Philosophical Practice (Academic Expert Title)
- Supervision and Coaching (Academic Expert Title/MSc)

**HEALTH & NATURAL SCIENCES**

- Advanced Study in Psychotherapy (MA)
- Archaeological Heritage Management (Certificate)
- Master of Public Health (MPH)
- Pharmaceutical Quality Management (Basic Course/MSc)
- Propedeutic Program in Psychotherapy (Certificate)
- Psychomotoric (MA)
- Risk Prevention and Disaster Management (MSc)
- Sport Certificate Courses (Certificate)

**INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS & BUSINESS**

- European Studies (M.E.S.)
- Muslims in Europe (Certificate)

**COMMUNICATION & MEDIA**

- Collection development and management in academic libraries (Certificate)
- Court and Public Service Interpreting (Academic Expert Title)
- Interpreting with new technologies (Certificate)
- Library and Information Studies (Academic Expert Title/MSc)
- Library leadership and management (Certificate)

**LAW**

- Canon Law for Lawyers (LL.M.)
- European and International Business Law (LL.M.)
- Forum Art Law (Certificate)
- Information and Media Law (LL.M.)
- Real Estate and Residential Property Law (LL.M./MLS)
- Tax Law and Accounting (LL.M.)
Why study in Vienna?

Not only the University, but also the city of Vienna has a long historical tradition with its famous sights. Today Vienna is the city with the highest quality of life worldwide. Apart from many places of interest, Vienna offers a broad range of leisure time facilities. There are many places for recreation that one can enjoy off-campus.
The University of Vienna is the oldest university in the German-speaking world and one of the largest in Central Europe. Thus, with more than 170 courses and about 94,000 students as well as staff of 9,600 employees, it is also the largest educational and scientific institution in Austria.

The University’s Postgraduate Center offers a wide range of Advanced Postgraduate Programs. Students may choose from about 50 master programs in the fields of »Education & Social Care«, »Health & Natural Sciences«, »International Affairs & Business«, »Communication & Media« and »Law«. In addition, the university offers tailor-made corporate programs targeted at the goals and specific needs of organizations. All professional education programs of the University of Vienna are adjusted to the specific demands of professional life and aim at providing an interdisciplinary approach. Students will learn to understand how related scientific disciplines are interconnected with their specific fields of expertise. The Postgraduate Center is also active in the Austrian and international discourse on lifelong learning.