

Diplomacy and Global Governance



Acquire both *theoretical* foundations and *practical* skill sets essential for a career in these fast-evolving areas of the *international order*.

HIGHLIGHTS

- Strong link between theory and actual practice (only for students with 90-credit option)
- Intensive skills training and policy workshops
- Designed and taught by a network of leading international academics as well as senior policymakers from international organisations
- Organised in cooperation with the Belgian Royal Military Academy
- Small, interactive classes with practical focus (incl. Capstone project)
- 90 ECTS option (12 months) and 120 ECTS option (15 months)

CAREER PROSPECTS

International organisations (EU, UN, NATO, etc.) Diplomatic missions, foreign affairs offices, ministries Research

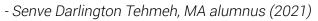
WHAT SETS US APART

Personalised • Career focused Connected and interactive • Innovative International • Diverse • Interdisciplinary

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Internships



Experience the real world! Gain experience in a professional environment with one of our partners in Brussels.

Our students have interned at:

- Carnegie Europe
- German Marshall Fund
- The Royal Military Academy
- UN PRME

About our school



The Brussels School of Governance is an alliance between the Institute for European Studies (VUB) and Vesalius College. This MA in Diplomacy and Global Governance is a programme of which the degree will be awarded by Vesalius College.

Who can apply?

All students who:

- Are seeking to make use of the many networking opportunities in Brussels and prepare their careers in a city that is one of the largest diplomatic centres in the world.
- Prefer small class groups in which they are able to express themselves.

Requirements:

- Undergraduate degree in Social, Economic or Political Sciences, Business or Law qualifying for graduate studies in the country of origin. Relevant work experience in these or related fields may qualify.
- English language proficiency

What will you study?

CORE FOUNDATIONS (COMING CONT MA Thesis Preparatory Seminar - 6 ECTS CORE FOUNDATIONS (COMPULSORY COURSES)

- The Theory and Practice of International Relations 6 ECTS
- RIMEST • The Theory and Practice of Diplomacy and Global Governance -6 ECTS
 - Foreign Policy Analysis Within and Beyond the State 6 ECTS
 - Research Methods 6 ECTS

SPECIALISATION TRACKS

Students follow four compulsory courses and one elective

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- MA Thesis I 6 ECTS
- Current and Future Challenges in Diplomacy 6 ECTS
- Mediation, Negotitation and Conflict Resolution in Theory and Practice - 6 ECTS
- Transnational Network Diplomacy and Global Public Policy 6 ECTS

ELECTIVE COURSES* (CHOOSE ONE)

- Public Diplomacy 6 ECTS
- International Relations of the Korean Peninsula 6 ECTS
- Terrorism, Counterterrorism and (De-) Radicalization 6 ECTS
- Disinformation, Cyber Warfare and Post-Truth 6 ECTS

* In order to be organised, an elective course requires a minimum number of 4 students.

MA THESIS, CAPSTONE CASE STUDY AND ONE ELECTIVE

In addition to advancing their MA Thesis and working on a Capstone

- In addition to advancing project, students take on **COMPULSORY COURSE** MA Thesis II 15 ECTS project, students take one elective which could be an internship. COMPULSORY COURSES

 - Intensive Capstone 9 ECTS
 - ELECTIVE COURSES* (CHOOSE ONE)
 - Internship 6 ECTS (only for students with 90-credit option)
 - Cases and Issues in Global Security & Diplomacy 6 ECTS

The programme offers the flexibility of enrolling for an additional 30 ECTS in the shape of an extra semester.

Deadlines		
	SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION	APPLICATION
EU citizens	15 April	30 June
Non-EU citizens	15 April	31 May

Get in fouch!

Chat with our students

Book an appointment





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