



# English-taught MA on International Business and Finance



# RANKINGS

A world-renowned comprehensive research university



*QS Graduate  
Employability Rankings*



**33rd**  
in the world





# About SOE



One of the best known institutions of economic education and research in Chinese mainland

## Milestones

- 1917: The business program was founded.
- **1922: The Department of Economics was founded.**
- 1929: Division of Business was restructured into the School of Business.
- 1964: Research Institute of Capitalist Economies was established.
- 1984: China Center for Economic Studies was set up.
- 1985: The School of Economics was founded.
- 2001: The Institute for Financial Studies was established.
- 2007: The school moved into its new building at 600 Guoquan Rd.
- 2022: One-hundred-year celebration of department of Economics



# Academy & Research



## Ranking

### By QS Subject 2025:

- Economics **31**
- Finance **37**

### Chinese mainland:

- Economics **3**
- Finance **3**

## Departments

- Dept. of Economics, 1922
- Dept. of World Economy, 1979
- Dept. of International Finance, 1992
- Dept. of Public Economics, 2001
- Dept. of Insurance, 2002

## Research Centers

- Institute of World Economy, 1964
- Institute for Financial Studies, 1992
- Center for European Studies, 1993
- China Center for Economic Studies, 2013
- 24 other research centers



# Education

The school has been committed to educating leaders who will make a difference in China and the world.



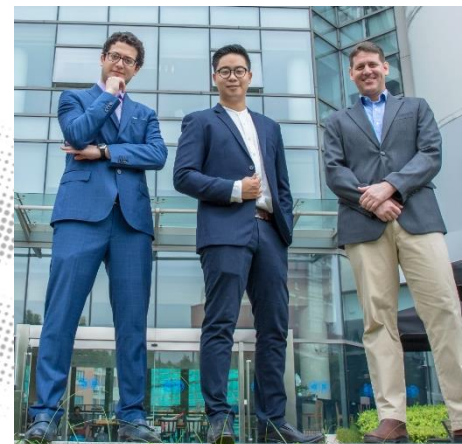
## Degree Program

- 8 Bachelor programs
- 7 Master programs
- 9 Doctoral programs



## Faculty & Staff

- 54 Professors
- 49 Associate professors
- 33 Assistant professors



## Students & Alumni

- Undergraduates:** 1,262 (97 international)  
**Master's Students:** 1,022 (79 international)  
**PhD Students:** 270 (9 international)  
**Most alumni** work in:
- Banks & Financial Institutions
  - International Organizations
  - Government Offices
  - Academia





# International Cooperation

- **32** semester exchange programs
- **1** English-taught Undergraduate Program on Economics
- **2** English-taught Master programs in international business/finance (including double degree program)
- **Non-degree visiting programs for international students**
  - Bachelor and master levels
  - Fall and spring semesters
  - Summer and winter programs



# Introduction

Designed for international students who wish to acquire a comprehensive knowledge of China in the fields of economics, finance, business etc.



International  
Business

**Specialty** : International Business (Chinese Economy)

**Degree** : Master of International Business

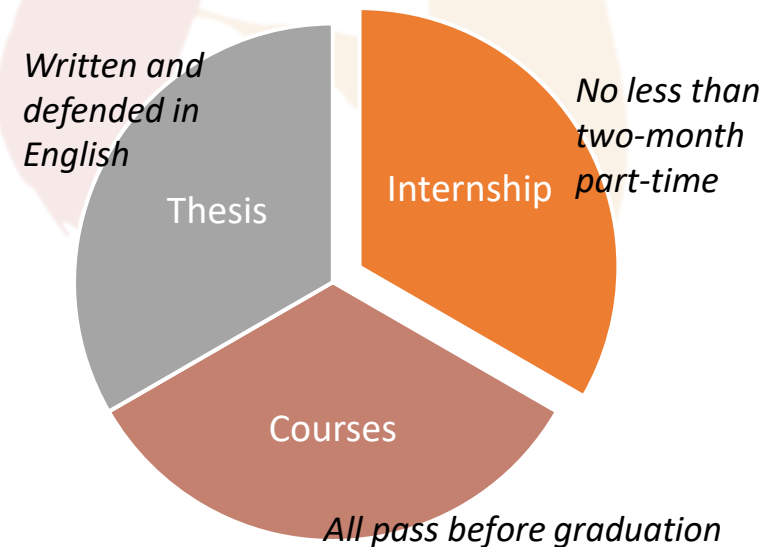
**Duration** : 1st year at UNIPD, 2nd year at Fudan

Finance

**Specialty** : Finance (Chinese Finance)

**Degree at Fudan**: Master of Finance

**Duration** : 1st year at UNIPD, 2nd year at Fudan







# Selected Professors Taught In The Program



**ZHANG Jun Professor**

Dean of School of Economics, Fudan University

Lecture series



**DING Chun Professor**

PhD, Fudan University  
*Social Security System and Its Reform in China*



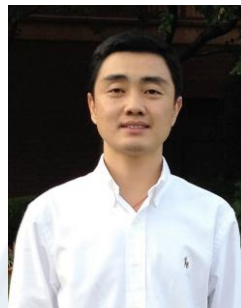
**FAN Haichao Professor**

PhD, The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology  
*International Trade Theory and Practice*



**CHENG Dazhong Professor**

PhD, Fudan University  
*Enterprise Internationalization: Theory and Practice*



**JIN Fei Associate Professor**

PhD, The Ohio State University  
*Analytical and Managerial Economics*



**LU Hanyin Associate Professor**

PhD, Fudan University  
*International Business Law and Environments*



**JIANG Jiajun Assistant Professor**

PhD, Guanghua School of Management, Peking University  
*Financial Institutions and Markets*



**WU Ruochen Assistant Professor**

PhD, University of Cambridge  
*Financial Statistics*



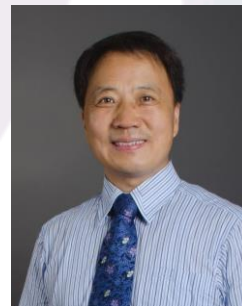
**LI Dan Professor**

PhD, Boston University  
*Chinese Economy*



**YANG Qing Professor**

PhD, Fudan University  
*Chinese Financial System*



**HE Xiyou Associate Professor**

PhD, Seoul National University  
*International Business Studies*



**LIU Yu Associate Professor**

PhD, Yale University  
*Topics on Development Economics*



**ZUO Xuejing Assistant Professor**

PhD, University of Houston  
*Dissertation Writing in Economics*



**QUAN Qi Associate Professor**

PhD, KU Leuven  
*Corporate Finance*



**ZHOU Yang Assistant Professor**

PhD, University of Minnesota  
*International Business Negotiation*





# Curriculum (International Business)

**General basic courses, compulsory degree courses, optional courses**

**36 credits** including 0-credit thesis and 4-credit internship.

## Compulsory Courses (24 credits)

**General Basic Courses: 7 credits**

- Chinese Economy: 3 credits
- Chinese Language: 4 credits (Basic I, II, Intermediate I, II)

**Compulsory Degree Courses: 17 credits in total** and at least 13 credits from Fudan:

- ❑ Analytical and Managerial Economics (3 credits)
- ❑ International Business Studies (3 credits)
- ❑ International Business Negotiation (2 credits)
- ❑ International Trade Theory and Practice (2 credits)
- ❑ International Finance (3 credits)
- ❑ Enterprise Internationalization: Theory and Practice (2 credits)  
or Topics in Enterprise Internationalization (transferred from UNIPD)
- ❑ International Business Law and Environments (2 credits) or  
Topics in Corporate Law (transferred from UNIPD)

## Optional courses (8 credits)

- The students will transfer 8 credits to Fudan from UNIPD.

## Internship (4 credits)

4 credits (at least 2-month part-time)



# Curriculum (Finance)

**General basic courses, compulsory degree courses, optional courses**  
39 credits including 0-credit thesis and 4-credit internship (2 years).

## Compulsory Courses

**General Basic Courses: 7 credits**

- **Chinese Economy** 3 credits
- **Chinese** 4 credits (Basic I, II, Intermediate I, II)

**Compulsory Degree Courses: 12 credits in total, at least 6 from Fudan**

- Corporate Finance Theory and Practice (3credits)
- International Finance (3credits)
- Financial Institutions and Markets (3credits) or Topics in Financial Institutions and Markets
- Theory and Practice of Financial Derivatives (3credits) or Financial Derivatives
- Analysis of Financial Statements and Valuation (3credits) or Financial Reporting & Analysis

**Optional courses: 16 credits in total, at least 5 from Fudan**

- China's Financial System (3credits) - Compulsory to take at Fudan
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**Internship (4 credits)**

**4 credits** (2-month part-time).





# Substitutes - International Business

International Business		
Courses taken at UNIPD	Recognition for Fudan Courses	Type of Course for Fudan
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND CONTRACTS LAW	Topics in Corporate Law ( 2 credits)	Compulsory Degree Courses
INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATION AND COMPETITION	Topics in Enterprise Internationalization ( 2 credits)	Compulsory Degree Courses
I.C. SUSTAINABLE STRATEGIES AND ORGANIZATION	I.C. SUSTAINABLE STRATEGIES AND ORGANIZATION	Optional Courses-3credits for each
FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING	FINANCIAL AND MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING	
BUSINESS ECONOMICS	BUSINESS ECONOMICS	
STATISTICS FOR DECISION MAKING	STATISTICS FOR DECISION MAKING	



# Substitutes - Finance

Finance		
Courses taken at UNIPD	Recognition for Fudan Courses	Type of Course for Fudan
I.C. CAPITAL MARKETS AND RISK MANAGEMENT AND COMPLIANCE)	Topics in Financial Institutions and Markets ( 3 credits)	Compulsory Degree Courses
FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS	Financial Derivatives	Compulsory Degree Courses
CORPORATE REPORTING AND GROUP ACCOUNTING	Financial Reporting & Analysis	Compulsory Degree Courses
ORGANIZATIONS, MARKETS AND COMPETITION	ORGANIZATIONS, MARKETS AND COMPETITION	Optional Courses-3credits for each
I.C. SUSTAINABLE STRATEGIES AND ORGANIZATION	I.C. SUSTAINABLE STRATEGIES AND ORGANIZATION	
CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: DESIGN AND MECHANISMS	CORPORATE GOVERNANCE: DESIGN AND MECHANISMS	
ENTREPRENEURIAL FINANCE AND BUSINESS PLAN	ENTREPRENEURIAL FINANCE AND BUSINESS PLAN	
INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND CONTRACTS LAW	INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS AND CONTRACTS LAW	
MATHEMATICS FOR FINANCE	MATHEMATICS FOR FINANCE	
FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE ECONOMICS	FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE ECONOMICS	
CAPITAL MARKETS LAW	CAPITAL MARKETS LAW	
ECONOMETRICS FOR CREDIT AND MARKET RISK	ECONOMETRICS FOR CREDIT AND MARKET RISK	
BANK ACCOUNTING AND INTERNAL AUDIT	BANK ACCOUNTING AND INTERNAL AUDIT	





# Principles of credit transfer

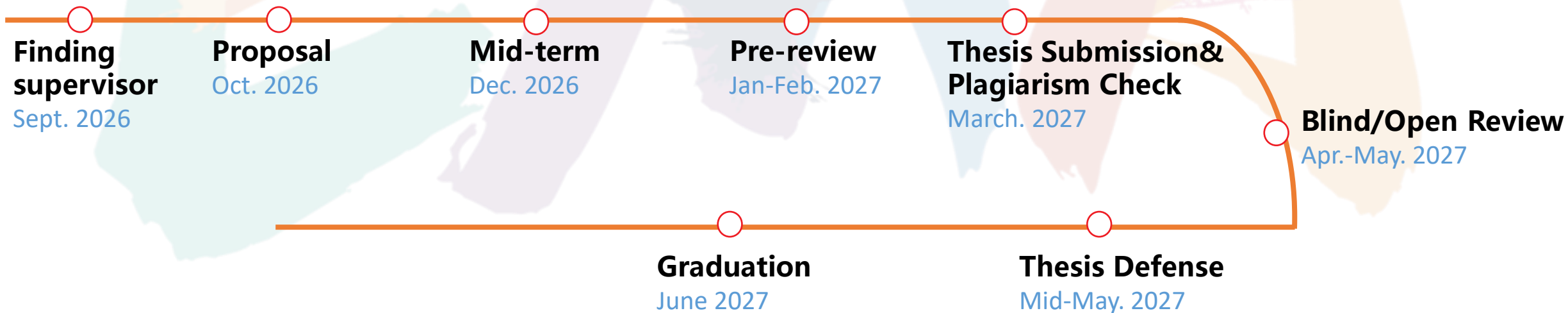
- For IB students, you will earn at least 20 credits from courses offered by Fudan SOE. For Finance students, at least 18 credits from courses offered by Fudan SOE.
- You will take the General Basic Courses of 7 credits at Fudan.
- For the Compulsory Degree Courses, you can transfer to Fudan your courses taken during phase one at UNIPD, based on the list of substitutes. For IB, at least 13 credits should be earned at Fudan. For Finance, at least 6 credits should be earned at Fudan.
- The Compulsory Courses transferred to Fudan will have a similar title than that of UNIPD.
- For the optional courses, for Finance students you have to take at least 5 credits at Fudan, including “China’s Financial System”. Transfer 11 credits from phase one at UNIPD. IB students can transfer 8 credits from phase one.



# Thesis rules

- *Written and defended in English*
- *Around 20,000 words (Finance) or 25,000 words (International Business)*
- *Under the supervision of your supervisor & the defense committee*
- *Meet the format requirements of Graduate School*

## Double Degree Students







# Internship

- No less than two-month part-time job/TA/RA, etc.
- Submit an *<Internship Evaluation Form>* together with an *internship report (over 500 words)*
- Visa application requirement: visit [Off-Campus Internship](#)



# Company visit

Bytedance



Bosch



Starbucks



Tesla



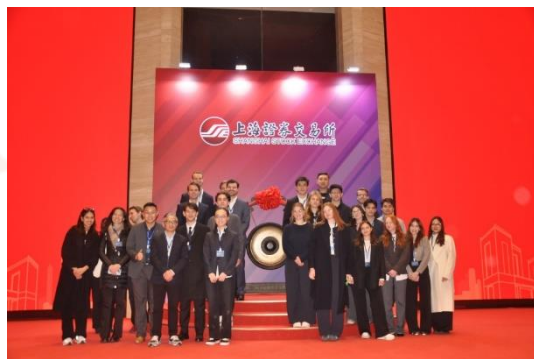
Shanghai Foreign Investment Association







# Extracurricular Activities



Lunch Party

Forum & Visit

Cultural Experience

Outing





# More About SOE and Fudan







SOE  
复旦经济学院  
SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS  
FUDAN UNIVERSITY

# Fudan Canteen







# Students' Feedback

Dutch



20210680501  
Peter Joerg Uhlig

Studying in China was an eye-opening experience that broadened my perspective. Being immersed in diverse cultures helped me appreciate the interconnectedness of our global community. Interacting with people from different backgrounds taught me important lessons in understanding, empathy, and respect. It was an incredible journey of personal growth, reminding me of the value in embracing diverse viewpoints. Thank you!

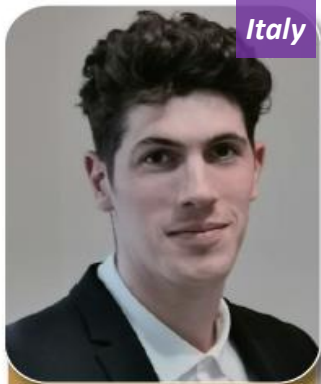
Peru



21210680419  
Daniela A. Maquera Sardon

These two years have been filled with vast learning, challenging yet rewarding academic work, and rich insights about China's and the world's economy. My time as an SOE master's student pushed me outside of my comfort zone, allowing for massive growth. I will carry with me the deep tights I built with young professionals all over the world! Despite the initial impediments to come to China, I am grateful for the opportunity to enjoy my last semester in person and immerse myself in the country. Thank you to everyone who made the program possible. May we cross paths again in the future!

Italy



21210680426  
Leonardo Bet

I feel extremely glad to be graduating from such a prestigious university and school. My two years in Fudan have been one of a kind, from struggling to understanding econometrics, to enjoying using STATA. I have enjoyed my time here since I learned so much about the Chinese economy and the country's unique financial system. I hope in the future I will be able to come back to cherish my past memories in such beautiful campuses and academic environments.

Hungary



22210680423  
Balázs Csepregi

In the land of Fudan,  
where numbers did play,  
Economists gathered,  
night and day,  
From balance sheets to  
markets we'd sway,  
Our minds sharpened  
with each new fray.

In Shanghai's heart, we'd  
learn and grow,  
The secrets of finance,  
soon we'd know.  
With laughter, tears, and  
graphs that show,  
A future bright, our  
dreams in tow.

So here's to our years, in  
this grand old school,  
Where wisdom and  
friendships were our fuel.  
As we venture forth, let's  
keep our cool,  
And remember our  
Fudan SOE, our golden jewel.

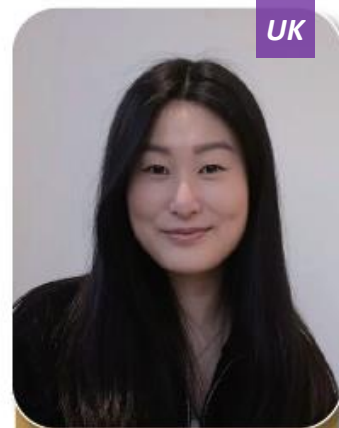
Germany



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Annika Julia Steffen

Thank you to everyone who made this program and our time in Shanghai unforgettable! Being the first cohort of international students to return to China after Covid, life has not been easy, but I am grateful to have had the chance to come to Shanghai. I have learned so much about myself over the past few months in China, and it has been a wonderful time with all of you! 上海再见!

UK



21210680441  
Katy Xin Rui Zheng

I feel privileged to have shared this journey with my fellow classmates. Let's cherish the happy memories and the valuable lessons learned, and utilise them to pave the path for a bright and successful future.





EMAPERFORMANCE

# Sweet Fudan Times

— EMAers





# Eligibility

- ✓ Bachelor' s degree or above

Completion of a bachelor' s or higher degree program from an accredited college or university.

- ✓ Relevant background for 2 years program

Majored in economics or finance or business related fields & solid knowledge in mathematics during the previous degree study.

- ✓ High English language proficiency in both speaking and writing.

Indicators: TOEFL (IBT)  $\geq 90$ , IELTS  $\geq 6.5$ , Duolingo English Test  $\geq 110$ , PTE Academic  $\geq 61$

\*You do not need to provide evidence of English language proficiency if you meet one of the following criteria: A. Your first language is English; or B. You have completed, or are completing, a degree-level course taught and assessed entirely in English.

- ✓ Non-Chinese nationality.

- ✓ 1+1 Double degree program applicants need to be nominated by our partner universities (view the partner list on EMA website). First year at partner university, second year at Fudan.





# Scholarship Opportunities

## Chinese Government Scholarship (CSC)

Applicants can apply for CSC via Fudan University or directly to the Chinese embassy.

Details available at [https://www.campuschina.org/content/details3\\_74776.html](https://www.campuschina.org/content/details3_74776.html)

## Shanghai Government Scholarship (SGS)

All applicants are welcomed to send the application to Fudan University.

Please note that the university will recommend the best applicants only and there is no guarantee that the recommended applicants will be awarded the scholarship.

## Admission Scholarship

The program will identify qualified new students after entry based on academic performance and the admission evaluation results.

The amount of the Admission Scholarship ranges up to half of the paid annual tuition of the student.

## Dean's Scholarship

At the end of each academic year, exceptionally outstanding students of the EMA programs at SOE will be awarded Dean's Scholarship according to their academic performance of the previous year.

The amount of the Dean's Scholarship ranges up to half of the paid annual tuition

## Other scholarships

More scholarships are available to outstanding students, e.g. IBM, China Development Bank, Fudan Boxue Scholarship, Confucius Institute Belt and Road Scholarship, etc.

More information check International Students Office website.



# Application Guideline (2026)

## Step 1

### Online application

Application portal <https://istudent.fudan.edu.cn/apply>

For required application documents, please visit <https://iso.fudan.edu.cn/>

## Step 2

### Submit online application and pay application fee (800 RMB)

## Step 3

### Documents review

## Step 4

### Online interview

## Step 5

### Official acceptance letter around July

**Tuition Fee: 109,000 RMB / year**

Application Period	Time Period	Application	Program Code
Phase I	October 13, 2025 – December 12, 2025	For both scholarship and self-support application	154782 (DDM)
Phase II	March 1, 2026 – March 31, 2026	For self-support application	563908 (DDM)

For more detailed admission information of the 2026 intake, please pay attention to <https://iso.fudan.edu.cn/>



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# THANKS

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