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Call for selection for students, Double Degree with ESC Graduate School of Management (Clermont Ferrand, France) AY. 2019-20

The Department of Economics and Management "Marco Fanno" (dSEA), within the framework of the partnership stipulated with ESC Graduate School of Management of Clermont Ferrand (France), opens a call for competition for Double degree exchange mobility program. Selection, based on academic qualification and interview outcome, will be for the following:

Partner University	Duration of the exchange period	Intended Students	Program
Graduate School of Management of Clermont Ferrand, France (only for Business and Administration Students)	Full year	4	Double degree

The opportunity to take part to the selection is reserved to students enrolled in the Master's Degree in "Business Administration" offered by the Department of Economics and Management, meeting the eligibility requirements set out below.

1. Eligibility requirements

The admission to the exchange program is possible for those students that are regularly enrolled at the first year in "Business Administration" at the Department of Economics and Management "Marco Fanno" for AY. 2019-20.

The exchange period is planned for the full second year.

2. Terms and conditions for submitting the application

Applications must be submitted online by connecting to the Moodle platform of the Department of Economics and Management "Marco Fanno" not later than Tuesday December 3 2019, before 1:00 p.m. (local time GMT + 1).

3. Selection criteria

The selection criteria will be applied as follow:

- A. For students holding a Bachelor's Degree from an Italian University:
 - i. score obtained in the selection test for the Master's Course for the AY. 2018-19: 50 points.
 - ii. motivational interview and knowledge of English language: 30 points;
 - iii. previous international experiences, to be evaluated during the interview: 20 points.

- B. For students who hold a Bachelor's Degree from a foreign University (degree seekers):
 - i. score obtained in the the selection for the Master's Courses for the AY. 2018-19: 50 points.
 - ii. motivational interview and knowledge of English language: 40 points;
 - iii. previous international experiences, to be evaluated during the interview: 20 points.

If it will arrive more than 10 applications, the Committee will interview only the 10 candidates with the upper score (A.i and B.i).

During the interview the committee will also analyze the eligibility of the student for the partner Institution.

4. Interview and assessment of English language

The motivational interview will take place in English and it will mainly focus on the candidate's interest for studying at the partner Institution for the Double degree award.

In the course of the interview and in the absence of language certificates, the knowledge of the English language will be verified. Admitted certificates: Common European Framework of Reference

for Languages published on the CLA website (<http://cla.unipd.it/test-linguistici/certificazioni/>) with a maximum validity of 3 years at the time of submission of the application. Self-evaluation is not allowed.

The date and place of the interview will be communicate by e-mail by the International Office of the Department of Economics and Management.

5. Administrative compliances for the selected students

The departure of the winners is always subject to acceptance by the partner Institution. Each student should oversee his/her visa process and health insurance practices. Fees paid by students to Padova University also include accident insurance and civil liability insurance, which is also valid for those who travel abroad. For more information on insurance coverage abroad, please visit the university website at: <https://www.unipd.it/assicurazione>.

6. Scholarship

In order to define the scholarship for the Double degree program students have to attend the final budget assignment from our central International Office. In order to be able to claim the reimbursement of costs, it is necessary to provide documentary evidence of the presence at the partner institution for not less than three months.

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