



Munich Business School

International Business

Study details

Course type: Master's degree

Degree: MA in International Business

Study mode: Full time

Duration: 18 Month

Cost of study

Cost : 25 740 EUR

Reg. fee : 1 490 EUR

Scholarship :

Insurance : N/A EUR

Intake/s

Feb/Sep

Requirements

You must submit the following mandatory documents for us to consider your written application:

- Answers to motivational questions (choice of questions provided during the online application process)
- CV/résumé
- Current passport-style photo (in color, with a light background)
- A copy of your school-leaving certificate(s)*
- A copy of your undergraduate degree certificate (incl. transcripts)*
- Evidence of adequate English language skills (TOEFL, IELTS or ELS)
- References (if available)
- Completed application form

English Proficiency

Applicants must proof their English language skills by passing one of the following language tests:

- TOEFL iBT & Home Edition: min. 85 (min. of 22 in writing band, min. of 20 in all other bands; MBS TOEFL Institution Code: 5772)
- IELTS & IELTS Online: min. level of 6.5– Academic Module
- ELS English for Academic Purposes: Advanced Level 112
- Duolingo English Test: Overall Score 115 or higher
- Pearson PTE Academic: Overall Score 56 or higher
- Cambridge: Min. 173 or Grade B or higher

Note: If the test is also used to apply for a visa, please check the requirements of the respective embassy in advance.

Eligible applicants will be invited to a **personal interview**, either in person in Munich or online via Microsoft Teams (approx. 30–45 minutes). The interview may include examining a case study.

Accommodation

Cost of Living

We estimate that your living costs will be around €1250 per month. Your budget will mostly depend on how you manage your free time (e.g. travelling, eating out, opera, concerts, using sports facilities, visiting museums and clubs).

Below is an example of an exchange student's monthly budget: Category	Example 1*	Example 2**
Rent	€700	€900
Electricity, Heating, Wi-Fi	€150	€250
Groceries/Food	€320	€320
Public transportation	€50	€50
Statutory health insurance (includes student discount)	€90	€90
Phone	€50	€50
Miscellaneous (incl. Books)**	€110	€160
Total	€1470	€1820

Rental Prices

Rents in Munich are generally high. Students therefore often share apartments to save costs. Rentals are often unfurnished. Below are some examples of rental options:

- Room in shared apartment: Renting a room in an apartment can range from €500 to €700 per month, depending on the size and location of the room. Utilities (electricity, heating, Internet, licence fee etc.) are typically excluded and can add another €80–€100 per month. The bathroom and kitchen are usually shared and rooms can either be furnished or unfurnished.
- Renting a studio (one room with kitchen and own bath): Average rents for these apartments range from €700 to €900 (plus utilities), depending on the size, quality, and location of the apartment.

Speciality

Dual Degree

With the dual degree option, you acquire an additional, specialized Master's degree from one of our partner universities. Munich Business School's cooperation with renowned international universities gives you the opportunity to acquire two different master's degrees within two years. The dual degree is only available in the fall start. For a dual degree, you will normally spend two semesters at MBS and then two semesters at the partner university, followed by the Master's thesis.

24 month for degree

Additional information

In the Business Project, which lasts two semesters, you work with other students on specific projects on behalf of a company. These live cases are as varied as the companies that provide them: A start-up needs a market entry strategy for a new target country, the hidden champion from the Bavarian region needs ideas for a brand awareness campaign. Within the framework of this project, you will apply and deepen your acquired business knowledge in a small group. All groups receive coaching from an MBS professor throughout the entire project duration. It is not uncommon for business projects to result in concrete and directly on-site, first job opportunities for the respective student groups, because the region around Munich is one of the strongest economic regions in Germany – just one of the many advantages of studying business administration in Munich.

Concentrations: With specific concentrations, we guarantee sufficient practical relevance during your studies; choose 2 out of 7 and sharpen your personal profile!

Semester abroad and Dual Degree: You spend the 3rd semester abroad at one of our numerous partner universities. Alternatively, with the Dual Degree option, you will spend two semesters abroad and earn two specialized master's degrees within two years.

Business Project: Together with your fellow students, you will carry out a project on behalf of a real company and apply your acquired knowledge in practice.

International Focus: You choose one international focus per semester, exploring different markets and methodologies as well as specific economic areas whose development influences the global economy.

Besides the imparting of general business knowledge, MBS also offers specific concentrations in order to guarantee sufficient practical relevance of your studies. In each of the first two semesters, you will choose two of five or seven different concentrations. In this way, you get the opportunity to improve your individual competencies and prepare your future career.

- Sustainable Business
- International Marketing

- Corporate Finance
- Luxury Management
- Global Family Business and Wealth Management
- Innovation & Digital Business
- International Entrepreneurship