

Double Degree Study Plan 2022/23

135 ECTS credits

Università Commerciale Luigi Bocconi
WU Vienna

M.Sc Management
MSc Strategy, Innovation, and Management Control (SIMC)



FIRST YEAR			SECOND YEAR		
Coursework at Bocconi for Bocconi M.Sc Management students pursuing the Double Degree program with WU:			Coursework at WU for Bocconi M.Sc Management students pursuing the Double Degree program with WU:		
Course title	ECTS credits	Semester	Course title	ECTS credits	Semester
Principles of Business Analytics	6	1 st	Thesis Seminar: How to Write a Thesis	2	3 rd
Economic Prospects	6	1 st	Business Project	15	3 rd /4 th
Performance Measurement and Corporate Strategy I	8	1 st	<i>In Electives (choice of 4 electives from the following study areas)</i>		
Human Resource Management	6	1 st	Advanced Strategic Management	20	3 rd /4 th
Marketing Management – Advanced	6	1 st	Advanced Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management		
Behavioural Skills Seminars	2	1 st	Advanced Financial Management and Management Control		
Performance Measurement and Corporate Strategy II	8	2 nd	Advanced Organizational Design		
Company and Business Law (Advanced Course)	6	2 nd	Advanced Business Research Methods		
Business History	6	2 nd	Total ECTS credits	37	
Financial Management and Corporate Banking	6	2 nd			
Business Game (for Management)	2	2 nd			
Foreign Language I	2	1 st /2 nd			
Foreign Language II	4	1 st /2 nd			
Enhancing Experience	2	1 st /2 nd			
Total ECTS credits	70				
Internship (8 ECTS credits)					
Master Thesis (20 ECTS credits)					

Additional Information

In order to be awarded both degrees, the following requirements apply:



Foreign Languages	Internship	Thesis
<p>Students have to pass two foreign language exams. The two languages will be English (at C1 business level) and Italian (at A2 level), unless Italian is a student's mother tongue.</p> <p>Students who are Italian native speakers (passport holders) have to choose German, Spanish or French as second foreign language and the chosen language must not be (one of) their mother tongue(s). For German, Spanish or French B1 is the minimum level required, but students can also select a higher level (B2 business or C1 business) if desired.</p>	<p>In order to be awarded both degrees, students are required to complete a full-time internship of at least 8 continuous weeks (paid or unpaid). For part-time internships (20 hours/week), the minimum is 11 continuous weeks. The internship can be in Italy, Austria, or anywhere else in the world. The internship has to be completed after the bachelor's degree and before the MSc graduation, preferably in the break between year 1 and year 2. Internships completed between the bachelor's and master's studies are acceptable.</p> <p>The internship will have to be formally recognized and approved by the Master of Science (laurea magistrale) director at Bocconi.</p>	<p>Students are required to write a thesis during the second year of their studies. Bocconi students going to WU will have a thesis supervisor at Bocconi and a co-supervisor at WU. The SIMC program director will act as co-supervisor at WU.</p> <p>After submitting their thesis at Bocconi, students have to submit their thesis at WU as well. The thesis will be approved and graded by both institutions individually.</p> <p>All students will have to defend their thesis at Bocconi at one of the four official graduation sessions available throughout the year (tentatively July, October, December and March).</p> <p>Bocconi students who want to finish the double degree program within four semesters and who want to take part in the optional graduation ceremony (Sponson) at WU in October/November have to defend their thesis at Bocconi in the July graduation session.</p> <p>Alternatively, Bocconi students can defend their thesis at Bocconi in the October graduation session and graduate in absentia at WU as soon as all their study elements are completed. In this case, they have to contact WU's International Office in order to prolong their studies at WU for one semester.</p> <p>The "Thesis Seminar: How to Write a Thesis" is graded with "Pass" or "Fail" at WU.</p>