

Main Information and Research Areas

The Prague University of Economics and Business / Vysoká škola ekonomická v Praze (VSE) is the largest public university of economics in the Czech Republic, founded in 1953. It is the main scientific and educational authority in the fields of economics, management and business in the country. VSE has about 14,000 students in a broad spectrum of study fields in bachelor's, master's, MBA and doctoral degree study programmes at its six faculties: Faculty of Finance and Accounting, Faculty of International Relations, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Informatics and Statistics, Faculty of Economics, and Faculty of Management located in Jindřichův Hradec.

International Rankings and Accreditations

VSE ranks high in the Financial Times ranking and is considered one of the best "business schools" in Central and Eastern Europe by Eduniversal. The Faculty of Business Administration is EQUIS and AMBA accredited. Two programmes taught at the Faculty of International Relations are EFMD Accredited. Other accreditations involve EMOS, FIBAA, and ACCA. The whole university is currently completing the process of obtaining AACSB.

International Relations and Corporate Partners

VSE is successful in international cooperation. The university currently cooperates with more than [250 partner universities worldwide](#). There are approximately 1,000 outgoing students annually, with an even higher number of foreign students accepted from abroad. VSE is a member of numerous international organisations and networks such as CEMS or PIM. The university is closely linked to the business sector with a wide range of business partners. VSE graduates find employment easily in the labour market. They get important positions in both the private, and public sectors, such as banking, accounting and auditing, sales, marketing, business and trade, public administration, information technologies, etc. They also launch successful startups. The two last presidents of the Czech Republic are graduates of VSE.

Research

University teams have large experience with international research cooperation in the frame of FP5, FP6, FP7, H2020, COST, and other funding schemes. Specific topics of excellence at VSE faculties are outlined below.

Faculty of Finance and Accounting

Energy economics, renewable energy, energy finance, micro-economics of banking, microeconomics theory, fiscal policies, tax policies, applied taxation (law).

Faculty of International Relations

International relations and security, Middle East politics and security, energy policies and security, European integration process (politics and security), geopolitics and international relations (Europe, Russia, Asia, China), European strategy reviews, international trade flows, asset pricing, macrofinance.

Faculty of Business Administration

Family business research, workplace and coworking research, strategic market orientation and market driving, entrepreneurship, leadership, behavioural economics (dishonesty research).

Faculty of Informatics and Statistics

Semantic web and ontological engineering, data infrastructures, knowledge graphs, data mining and knowledge discovery, algorithm development, explainable/trustworthy machine learning, rule learning, development and implementation of models for evaluation of efficiency and efficacy, optimisation, quantitative models.

Faculty of Economics

Economics and economic theories (institutional economics), economic policy (macroeconomic approaches, monetary and fiscal policy), economic history, regional studies & regional planning (urban-rural relations, cohesion policy, rural development policy, digitalisation).

Faculty of Management (located in Jindřichův Hradec)

Organisational behaviour, change management, market strategy, small and medium enterprises, consumer behaviour sustainability and waste management, managerial decision-making support, health-care management, business valuation, beeronomics.

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