Double degree program

between

HEC Paris and
TUM School of Management

The following information is targeted at students from HEC Paris who would like to participate in the double degree program with TUM School of Management (TUM SOM) in the area of Management & Technology.

Scope of the program

The double degree program between HEC Paris and TUM SOM is available to students who are enrolled in the Master’s program M.Sc. II - Master of Science in Management at HEC Paris and to students who are enrolled in the Master’s program in Management & Technology at TUM SOM. The program is jointly organized by HEC Paris and TUM SOM.

Study Program

HEC-TUM double degree students will be enrolled in the TUM Master’s program Management & Technology, Track 2 (TUM-WITEC). Whilst your studies at the TUM, you have to complete 60 ECTS of course work and write a Master’s thesis (30 ECTS).

Below is an ideal study plan:
Courses

HEC-TUM double degree students at the TUM have to complete 60 ECTS through course work in the Master’s program Management & Technology, Track 2 (TUM-WITEC). The workload is spread among the following types of courses:

- you opt for one of the four “Specializations in Management” and obtain 24 ECTS through courses in your specialization
- you choose one of the three “Specializations in Engineering/Natural Sciences” and obtain 24 ECTS through courses in your specialization
- you complete 12 ECTS through modules that are eligible as “Elective in Management & Economics”

For more information please see the program website.

Thesis

HEC double degree students write their Master’s theses at TUM (30 ECTS). The thesis is supervised by a chair involved in the Master’s program in Management & Technology, Track 2 (TUM-WITEC).

Degree Awarded by TUM

Master of Science (M.Sc.)

Transfer of Credits to your Home University

The thesis written at TUM will be awarded as a research paper at HEC (20 ECTS).
Duration

HEC-TUM double degree students usually spend 3 semesters at TUM SOM. They must be enrolled at TUM until both the coursework and the thesis (in total 90 ECTS) at TUM SOM are completed.

Language of Instruction

German and English

Tuition Fee

TUM charges no tuition fee. However, all students will have to pay a fee of currently 111 euros for each semester in which they enroll in modules at TUM (including the Master’s thesis module), to be used towards the Student Union and a basic public transportation ticket (“Semesterticket”).

Requirements

To be admitted to the program:

1. Bachelor’s degree or equivalent academic background in the field of Management. This is usually fulfilled by HEC double degree students coming to the TUM and has to be proven either by submitting a transcript or a document issued by HEC confirming an academic background equivalent to a Bachelor’s degree (“Äquivalenzurkunde”).
2. Get enrolled in the HEC Master of Science in Management Program
3. Get nominated for the HEC-TUM double degree program by HEC
4. Apply to TUM (details see below)
5. In order to be awarded a degree by the TUM:
   - 30 ECTS completed at HEC during the first year of studies in the designated program
   - 60 ECTS gained from courses at the TUM
   - 30 ECTS Master’s Thesis

Application (once you are nominated for the double degree program by HEC)

1. Ask your HEC’s double degree coordinator to send us a nomination e-mail including your name.
2. Fill in the online application form for degree seeking students.
3. Hand in the following documents:
   - printed and signed application form
   - Copy of your Bachelor’s degree or equivalent including transcript (officially authenticated copy and officially authenticated translation if the original is neither in German nor in English)
   - Curriculum Vitae
   - Letter of Motivation (max. 1 DIN A4 page in either English or German)
4. Mind the application deadline at TUM: 31 May

Contact and further information

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Further information about the Master’s Program in Management & Technology at TUM SOM: Please click here.

Further information for double degree students at TUM SOM: Please click here.

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