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# LEARN FROM EXPERIENCE

ENGINEERING | MEDIA PRODUCTION | BUSINESS

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accredited  
college  
in Slovenia.

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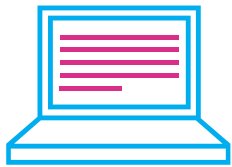
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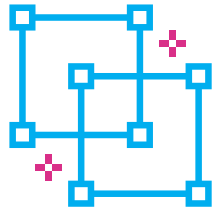
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# WELCOME TO ACADEMIA



## Technology-lead approach

Cutting-edge technology is integrated throughout our systems. We use it to enhance key aspects of your experience and ensure your requirements are being met and exceeded.



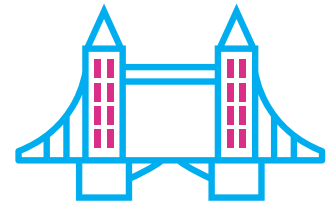
## Innovation driven

We continually invest in research and development, as we strive to make Academia experience truly outstanding. We take pride in pushing standards within our industry even higher.



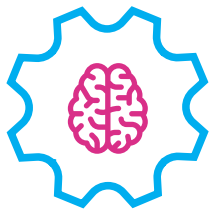
## Beautiful, modern schools

We offer great environment for effective learning and positive, informal interaction. Our colleges are stylish, comfortable spaces, filled with natural light and the latest technology.



## Incredible and safe locations

We are always located in the heart of city centres of exciting cities with high safety standards in Slovenia and United Kingdom.



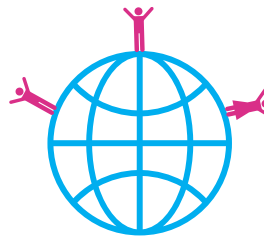
## 100% built by industry

As you will be aiming to go on to employment or progress to a final year at university all programs have been developed in collaboration with businesses, universities and Professional Bodies.



## Experiential Learning

Your course-work will be assessed on real-life assignments and your projects will be evaluated by lecturers from companies. To complete the programme you will also need to conduct 800 hours of internship.



## A complete experience

Living and learning abroad is a truly unique experience. Outside of the classroom, your diary will be full of exciting social events and excursions as you explore your chosen destination.



## Dedicated teachers and staff

The Academia team is here to support you and ensure you have an amazing time. Professional, helpful and friendly, our staff will give you the best service and care at all times.

## Accreditations

Our programs are accredited by public and private accreditation bodies in their respected countries in accordance to Bologna Process, and members of major business associations.

Accreditations:



Memberships:



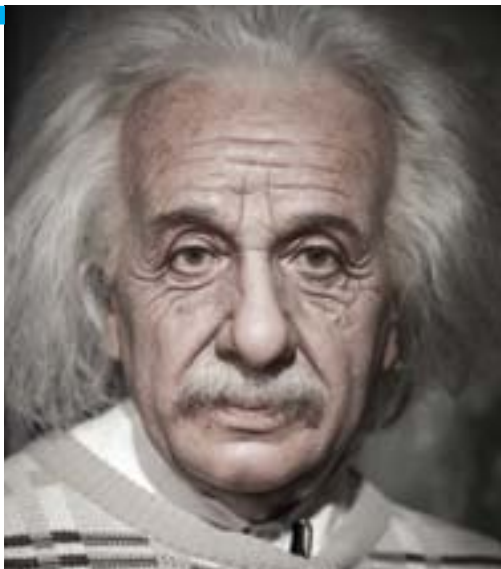
## Awards

"Academia is a case-study in Slovenian short-cycle higher education system for its implementation and evaluation standards in quality of education." SQQA Report 2016

Awards:



# TODAY FOR TOMORROW



*A famous scientist, Albert Einstein, once said "The only source of knowledge is experience".*

We agree that true greatness comes from experience. It means realising your dreams and making the next ones even bigger.

It means an ongoing commitment to listening, learning and improving.

This is not just what we teach, it's the ethos behind everything we do as we work towards our missions: **Offer Real Skills for the Real World.**

## WE ARE STUDENT-CENTRIC

### STUDENT SATISFACTION

97% of our students would recommend us to a friend. From course delivery design, to our choice of destinations, everything is decided through conversation with our students.

### FEEDBACK AND ACTION

We feel track about how you feel about your lecturers, tutors, classes, progress, accommodation, social activities and life after school. If anything is less than perfect, we act immediately.

## WE FOCUS ON OUTCOMES

### ASSIGNMENTS OVER EXAMS

All our coursework is based on experiential learning and embeds industry context. Your assessment is provided by industry professionals, who will give you a personal feedback on every assessment.

### EMPLOYABILITY

Your will gain real skills for the real world that will enable you to find employment or start a company anywhere in the world.

## WE EMBRACE TECHNOLOGY

### FREE SOFTWARE FOR STUDENTS

You will have an access to over 200 different software licenses as well as over 4000 online tutorials to boost your studies.

## WE LEAD THE WAY

### THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

We are actively engaged in developing and promoting the benefits of short-cycle higher education programs throughout Europe. We lead by example.

### PROGRAMMES DEVELOPMENT

Our Maribor-based Programme Development Team continually explores the latest trends in learning science. This discovery hub is where new ideas are researched, developed and piloted.





**Jernej Pikalo, PhD**  
*Minister of Education, Science  
 and Sport of the Republic of  
 Slovenia 2013-2014*

I am pleased to see that entrepreneurial initiative also exists in the field of education. Academia is an evidence that one can achieve ambitious goals with perseverance, audacity, clear outlined vision and responsibility. Responding to continuing changes in the global environment and seeking new opportunities as some of your goals, is the right direction. We live in times, when it sometimes seems that education and knowledge are not respected. Those who think this, are wrong. The future of the society and the individuals lies in knowledge. Only quality knowledge, knowledge of languages, and openness are features that would bring us to more friendly times.

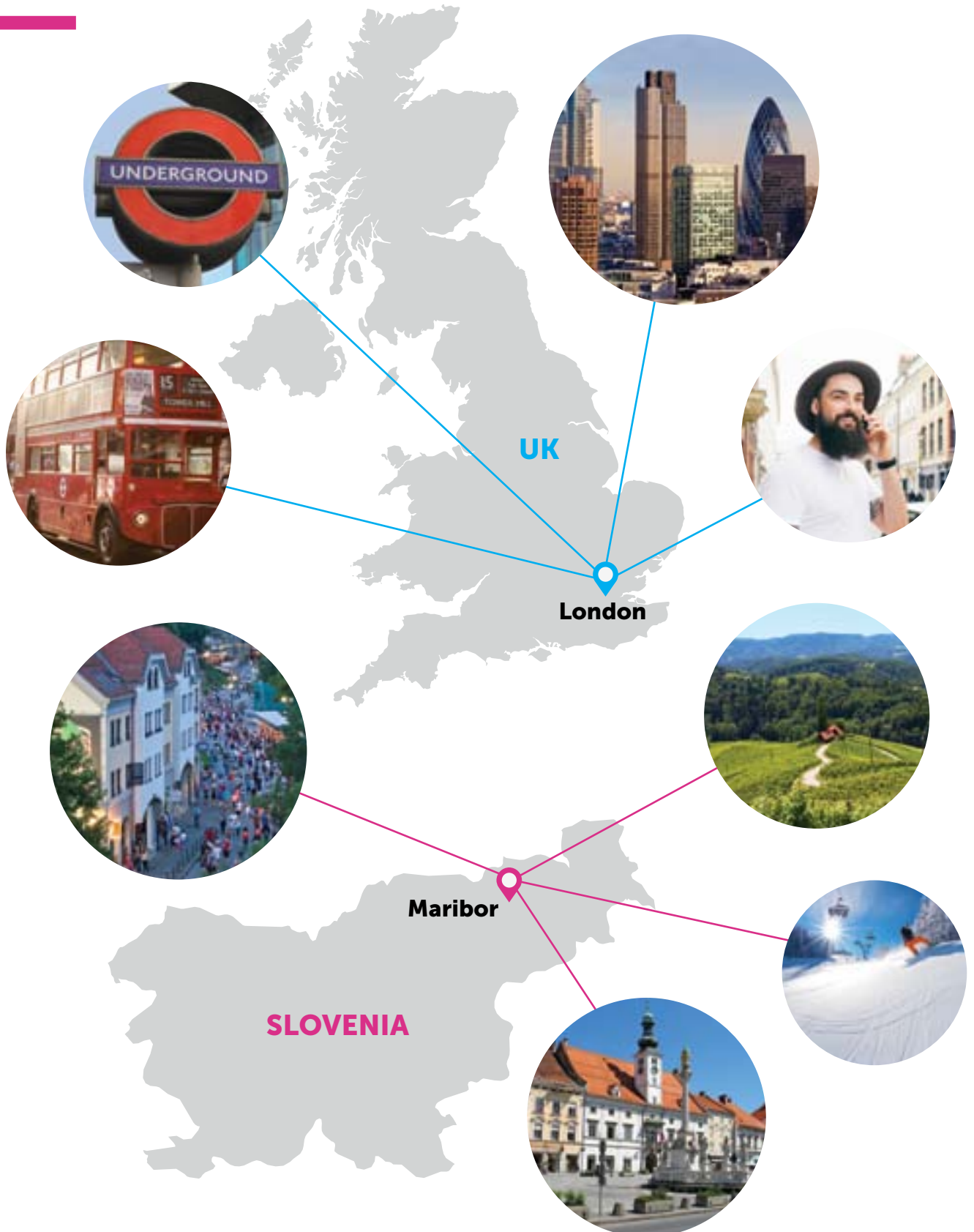
I would therefore like to congratulate the successful professional from Academia, for the less-trodden path they have taken and wish them successful operations in the decades to come.



**Mayor Andrej Fištravec, PhD**  
*Mayor of the Municipality  
 of Maribor*

Maribor is an important national educational centre. I may therefore proudly say that this city deserves the title of the second largest city in Slovenia. In addition to the public university and numerous public higher education schools, Maribor has a rich offer of private educational institutions, too. Academia is certainly an important part of this offer. Academia is not only a successful organisation, but it is as well an important private partner for realization of various public needs in the field of education and employment. It was my pleasure to look into the history of development of Academia. Practically every year in its 20-year history, Academia managed to offer something new, with which Academia has been enriching educational offer in Maribor and Slovenia. I am delighted that the city can commend and also learn from Academia's modus operandi both in terms of meeting local, regional and national needs as well as its integration in international flows and cooperation. For this jubilee, I wish Academia and its employees all the best and additional success that lies ahead of you.

# AMAZING DESTINATIONS







# BEAUTIFUL COLLEGES

*We invest actively in our college buildings and facilities. Every Academia college is carefully designed for effective learning in comfort and style.*

## **MODERN CLASSROOMS**

Student-centred, airy and filled with natural light, our classrooms are modern, stylish spaces, designed with learning in mind.

## **STATE-OF-THE-ART TECHNOLOGY**

We keep our colleges fully up-to-date with the latest learning technology, including lecture video recording systems.

## **LIBRARY FACILITIES**

Take advantage of our extra study resources and spend time browsing our well-stocked libraries after class.

## **STUDENT LOUNGES**

Sit back, relax and practise your presentations with friends in our comfortable and vibrant student lounge areas.

## **SELF-STUDY AREAS**

These special quiet areas are places where you can retreat to and concentrate, to really enhance your classroom learning.

## **STAY CONNECTED**

Keep in touch with people back home, study online or browse the internet with free Wi-Fi and use of numerous internet-connected computers.

## **WELCOMING RECEPTION**

Warm and friendly staff are waiting to welcome you. Our professional team will always go the extra mile to offer their help and support.

## **STEP OUTSIDE**

Take a step outside any Academia college and find yourself in the heart of an exciting, vibrant city, with sights and attractions all around you.





# OUR ACADEMIC METHODOLOGY



*Our curriculum is highly structured to meet international standards, yet it is also effectively personalised to meet the needs of every student. We deliver real, measurable results.*

## CORE CURRICULUM

1

### REAL LIFE LEARNING

Academia is the perfect choice if you enjoy learning by doing practical assignments and tasks. It encourages communication and collaboration, and puts into practise the skills required for success in 21st century global environment.

2

### WIDE-RANGING AND WELL-REGARDED

You can choose from a wide range of vocational subjects and in areas linked with a career you are interested in. Academia's programmes are developed in close consultation with industry, and majority of graduates progress directly to the workforce.

3

### ENGAGING, INSPIRING AND REAL

You will be assessed in-college by the lecturer, using both theory and practical assignments. These are often work-related such as film clips or business plans and proposals; and can take place within real work environments.

4

### REAL WORK EXPERIENCE

Academia will help you find internship placements in Europe or your home country. You will be required to conduct at least 800 hours of internship, providing you with great employment opportunities.





## PERSONALISATION

powered by **eAcademia**

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### PERSONALISED TUTORIALS

Discover over 4,000 subject specific and practical video tutorials and tests to help you boost your performance in assignments at your own pace.

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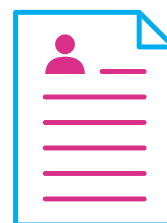
### LECTURER FEEDBACK AND GUIDANCE

With shared access to your assignments and online reports through eAcademia, your lecturer will also be at your side on your personal learning journey.

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### FREE ONLINE STUDY MATERIALS

Well-structured courses in our learning management system and full free access to study materials will allow you to prepare for class and assignments at your own speed.



# REACH YOUR GOALS WITH ACADEMIA CAREER CENTRE



Updated every week with new features and content Academia Career Centre is packed with interactive tools, e-learning content and the latest job opportunities. The Career Centre is designed to help you navigate today's job market and move your career forward with confidence, whether you are searching for your first role or going through a career change.

## CAREER EMPOWERMENT

Academia has partnered with Pearson and Abintegro to provide you lots of useful information to help you make the right choices for your future.

1

### BUILD YOUR CV

Create an expert CV or Resume based on employer requirements using step by step instructions.

2

### FIND A JOB

Search global vacancies aggregated from job-boards, companies and agencies.

3

### MOCK INTERVIEW

Browse the most important interview questions and take a mock interview.

4

### PERSONALITY TEST

Understand your personality with our online personality test.

# OUR PEOPLE



*Meet the teams who do their best every day to make your experience special. Ask them about academic matters, social activities or the best place to go to get coffee! They are there for you.*

## OUR TEACHING TEAM

### INDUSTRY PROFESSIONALS

At the heart of everything we do is our dedicated lecturers team. With their experience from the industry your lecturers will guide your learning journey. They will ensure your needs for practical and up-to-date knowledge are met in order that you progress at the optimum rate.

### A PASSION FOR TEACHING

At Academia, teaching is more than just a job; our teachers have a true passion for what they do. We encourage each member of our academic staff to identify and pursue their personal interests and talents within their field.

### STUDENT SERVICES TEAM

With Academia, you will activate classroom learning while exploring an authentic country and making new local and international friends. Our Student Services Coordinators, Social Leaders and Student Ambassadors make sure your entire experience with Academia is exciting, happy and rewarding.

### ACCOMMODATION TEAM

We know that where you live during your time with us is a vital part of your experience. Every Academia college has its own Accommodation Team, who is there to ensure your home life is relaxing and supportive. If you ever have problems or questions about your accommodation, you can turn to this team at any time.

# FREE STUDY SKILLS WORKSHOPS



Boost your studies with additional lecture-led sessions, which are open to everybody and are free of charge. A number of sessions take place every beginning of a semester.

## WORKSHOPS AVAILABLE AT ALL COLLEGES

### INTRODUCTION TO STUDY SKILLS

Learn how to navigate and use study skills online, discuss your learning with others and reflect on your learning.

### WRITING FOR YOUR ACADEMIA COURSE

Practise how to write in an academic style using appropriate language, how to assess whether a piece of writing is acceptable for an Academia course and how to correctly reference somebody else's work.

### READING, NOTE-TAKING & SUMMARISING

Improve your reading and understanding of complex academic texts, learn how to use abstracts to help your research and how to produce accurate summaries.

### GETTING ORGANISED FOR STUDY

Set and prioritise study goals, reflect upon your time management habits, use applications and timetable to plan your study time and learn how to overcome difficulties you have with organisation.

### GIVING EFFECTIVE PRESENTATIONS

Learn how to prepare and deliver oral presentation, produce effective visual aids to support your presentation, appear confident when speaking to a group, understand what makes a successful presentation.

### FINDING AND EVALUATING INFORMATION

Improve your ways of effectively searching the internet for information. Search books and articles using academic databases. Recognize the structure and styles of academic articles and evaluate whether information is suitable for use in your study.

### GETTING A BETTER GRADE

Understand your lecturer's expectations, apply critical thought to your work, develop an argument and understand assignment questions and instructions.

# SKILLS THAT EMPLOYERS VALUE



Students need both relevant qualifications and employability skills to enhance their career prospects and contribute to their personal development. Academia study programmes embed the development of key skills throughout the programme; attributes and strengths required by 21st century employers.

## 1. Cognitive and problem-solving skills:

critical thinking, approaching nonroutine problems by applying expert and creative solutions, use of systems and digital technology, generating and communicating ideas creatively.

## 2. Intra-personal skills:

self-management, adaptability and resilience, selfmonitoring and self-development, self-analysis and reflection, planning and prioritising.

## 3. Interpersonal skills:

effective communication and articulation of information, working collaboratively, negotiating and influencing, self-presentation.

Where employability skills are referred to in this specification, this generally refers to skills in five main categories:

## 5. Business skills:

awareness of types of companies, company formation, invoicing, calculating fees, business management.

## 4. Commercial skills:

sector awareness; sales; marketing/promotion; budget management/monitoring.

## OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

### AISEC

AISEC is the world's largest student-run organisation, with more than 35,000 members in over 100 countries. It offers young people the opportunity to be global citizens by providing overseas internships and travels.

### MARIBOR STUDENTS' CLUB

Maribor Students' Club, also known as KMS, is one of the largest and oldest students' organisation in Slovenia. Club promotes cultural activities, education, international cooperation, sport and healthy lifestyle through its 7 working units.

# WELCOME HOME



*Whether you would like to live with other students in a room or experience local daily life in a single apartment, we ensure the perfect home away from home. Your Academia home is your place to relax and recharge, and it's important you feel 100% comfortable. That's why we have accommodation options to suit your personal needs.*

## **STUDENT SHARED APARTMENT**

Enjoy the independence of a residence on a smaller scale. Sharing an apartment with other international students will give you lots of opportunities to study together and make lasting friendships with your new housemates.

## **STUDIO OR ONE BEDROOM APARTMENT**

Choose this option for the most independent lifestyle. Suitable for a single person or two people studying together, these self-contained apartments offer comfort as well as a higher level of privacy in the heart of your chosen destination.







# CHOOSE YOUR PROGRAMME



*Whatever your reasons for studying, we have the perfect programme for you. Let us help you reach your goal.*



## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

Accounting & Finance  
Business Commerce  
Business Tourism



## INTERNSHIP PLACEMENTS

Erasmus+ Programme  
AISEC Internships  
Internship placements in Slovenia



## SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Civil Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering  
Security Engineering



## SUMMER SCHOOL PROGRAMMES

Business Summer School  
Video Production Summer School



## SCHOOL OF MEDIA PRODUCTION

Audio Production  
Graphic Design  
Photography  
Video Production  
Web Production



## UNIVERSITY PROGRESSION

With Academia Diploma to UK or European Degree in one year



# ACCOUNTING & FINANCE



*Set yourself apart by becoming a professional accountant with European accounting expertise.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Accounting and Finance
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

Accounting and finance expertise is vital to every business and organization; there will always be a great demand for accounting and finance specialists. However, real excellence in this field comes from the ability to interpret and communicate the insights that can be derived from the numbers. This requires a broader understanding of strategy, governance and ethics, alongside the soft skills that allow you to present, persuade and advocate for your ideas and plans.

We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:



## COURSES

- Business and the Business Environment
- Marketing Essentials
- Human Resources Management
- Management and Operations
- Management Accounting
- Managing a Successful Business Project
- Financial Accounting
- Insolvency Procedures
- Research Project
- Organisational Behaviour
- Financial Reporting
- Advanced Management Accounting
- Financial Management
- Taxation
- Statistics for Management



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Business (Accounting and Finance), 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Economist, 120 ECTS

## ACCREDITED BY:



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MINISTRY OF EDUCATION,  
SCIENCE AND SPORT



## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

This diploma is the first step into a wide range of finance and accounting career opportunities around the world, including positions in large international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use an applied accounting and business finance diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Henkel
- Ecolab
- Raiffeisen Bank
- Spar
- Sparkasse Bank
- PWC
- Prangl
- Shell

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Business (Accounting & Finance Pathway), you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Oxford Brooks University
- London Metropolitan University
- Teesside University
- University of Huddersfield



Students are able to register with the ACCA while completing their HND Business (Accounting and Finance Pathway), get 4 exemptions from The ACCA Foundation Exam papers and get generous financial benefits during their first year of ACCA membership.

# BUSINESS COMMERCE



*As a Business Commerce graduate you will be ready to take on the professional world and work as a business development manager, sales or procurement manager in a multinational corporation or a start-up.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Business Development and Sales
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in management, marketing, finance and international business. Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

**We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:**



The Chartered  
Institute of Marketing



## COURSES

- Business and the Business Environment
- Marketing Essentials
- Human Resources Management
- Management and Operations
- Management Accounting
- Managing a Successful Business Project
- Business Law
- Business Foreign Language 1
- Research Project
- Organisational Behaviour
- Business Information Technology Systems
- Sales Management
- Tapping into New and International Markets
- Supply Chain Management
- Statistics for Management



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Business, 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Economist, 120 ECTS

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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

This diploma is the first step into a wide range of management-level career opportunities, including positions in large international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use a business commerce diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Raiffeisen Bank
- PWC
- Shell
- Adria Airways
- Intereuropa

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Business, you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Oxford Brookes University
- London Metropolitan University
- Teesside University
- University of Huddersfield



# BUSINESS TOURISM



*Tourism is one of the fastest growing industries in the world. Join the growth and become a successful hotel manager, sales expert or found your own tourism company.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Business Development and Sales in Tourism
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in management, marketing, finance and international business. Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:



The Chartered  
Institute of Marketing



## COURSES

- Business and the Business Environment
- Marketing Essentials
- Human Resources Management
- Management and Operations
- Management Accounting
- Managing a Successful Business Project
- Business Law
- Business Foreign Language 1
- Research Project
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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

This diploma is the first step into a wide range of management-level career opportunities, including positions in large international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use a business tourism diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Hilton Hotel Group
- Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group
- Terme Maribor

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Business, you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Oxford Brookes University
- London Metropolitan University
- Teesside University
- University of Huddersfield



# CIVIL ENGINEERING



*Learn about European building standards by obtaining a diploma in Civil Engineering to set yourself apart from other on a competitive job market.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Construction, Built Environments and Civil Engineering
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in construction technology, practice, management and information. Sharpen your numerical skills to boost your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:



## COURSES

- Individual Project
- Construction Technology
- Science & Materials
- Construction Practice and Management
- Construction Information (Drawing, Detailing, Specification)
- Mathematics for Construction
- Principles of Structural Design
- Civil Engineering Technology
- Group Project
- Further Mathematics for Construction
- Geotechnics and Soil Mechanics
- Advanced Structural Design
- Surveying for Conservation, Renovation & Refurbishment
- Advanced Surveying & Measurement
- Construction Data Management



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Construction and the Built Environment (Civil Engineering), 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Civil Engineering, 120 ECTS

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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

This diploma is the first step into a wide range of management-level career opportunities, including positions such as site engineering technician, project manager, site manager, construction design technician in large international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use a construction diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Strabag
- Vinci Construction
- Arup
- Bentley
- Trimo

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Construction and the Built Environment (Civil Engineering), you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Coventry University
- Teesside University



ICE recognises this qualification as being fit for purpose in preparing international learners for a role in the construction industry and towards a professional qualification with the ICE and registration with the Engineering Council at EngTech level. Under the Dublin Accord, holders of EngTech have an internationally recognised qualification.



Students completing SCHE in Civil Engineering are together with relevant work experience entitled to enter the Slovenian national examination for responsible management of works of certain type of construction works and responsible management of individual works of certain type of individual construction works.

# MECHANICAL ENGINEERING



*Learn about product design, automation and robotics by industry leaders and become a production manager in a changing automotive, food-beverage or other production industry.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Mechanical Engineering
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in engineering design and science. Sharpen your numerical skills to boost your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

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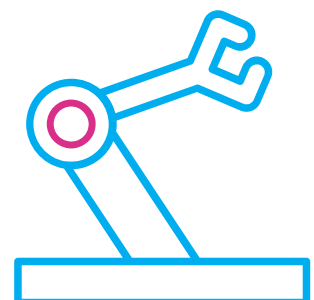


SIEMENS



## COURSES

- Engineering Design
- Engineering Math
- Engineering Science
- Managing a Professional Engineering Project
- Mechanical Principles
- Fundamentals of Thermodynamics and Heat Engines
- Mechanical Workshop Practices
- Quality and Process Improvement
- Research Project
- Professional Engineering Management
- Advanced Mechanical Principles
- Virtual Engineering
- Further Mathematics
- Distributed Control Systems
- Advanced Manufacturing Technology



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Mechanical Engineering, 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Mechanical Engineering, 120 ECTS

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### WORKFORCE

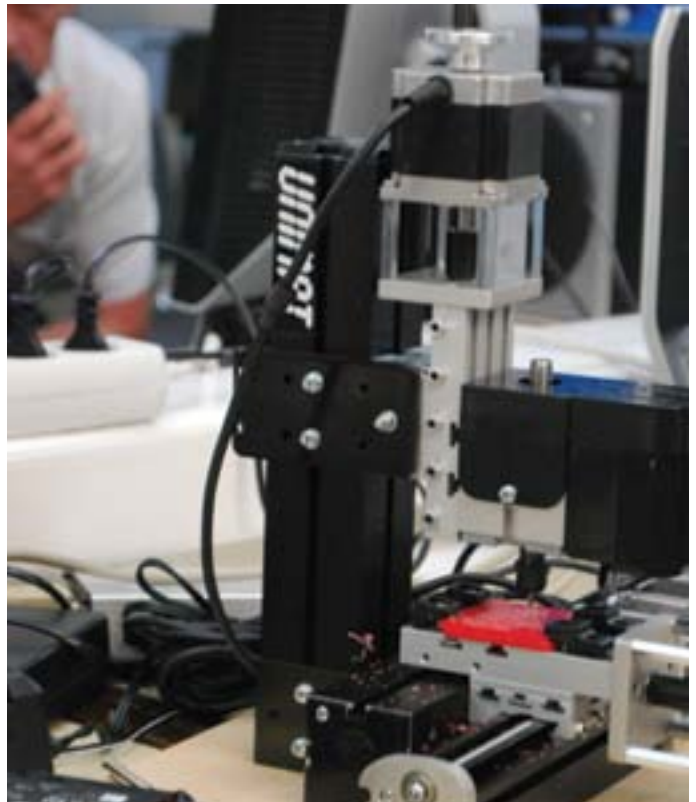
This diploma is the first step into a wide range of management-level career opportunities, including positions such as engineering technician or project manager in international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use an engineering diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Alstom
- Jaguar Land-Rover
- BNFL
- Railtrack
- GKN Driveline
- Palfinger
- Impol

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Mechanical Engineering, you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Hertfordshire
- Teesside University
- Anglia Ruskin University
- University of Central Lancashire
- Manchester Metropolitan University
- University of Greenwich
- Leeds Beckett University
- Coventry University



Holders of a BTEC Higher National Diploma in Engineering meet the academic requirements for the Engineering Council Engineering Technician Standard (EngTech).

# SECURITY ENGINEERING



*Obtain a diploma in Security Engineering to become a professional security engineer, managing a group of security personal in public and private sector.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of Security Management, Personal Security and Protection of Property
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in security organisation, regulation, protection and management . Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

**We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:**



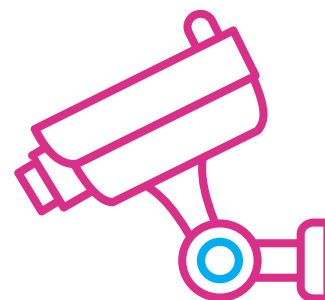
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and Industry of Slovenia

## COURSES

- Economics and entrepreneurship
- Business communication and management
- Computer science
- Professional terminology in a foreign language
- ICT Systems
- Work safety and environmental protection
- Law and state regulations
- Protection of human rights and fundamental freedom
- Introduction to personal security
- Criminal law and criminal investigation
- Administrative law
- Measures of security personnel
- Organisation of transportation, interventions and public gatherings
- Planning protection of persons
- Personal security tactics
- Special driving abilities
- Armament and shooting
- Private security management and procedures, as well as surveillance methods
- Planning security
- Cooperation with other security
- Technical resources in systems for protection of property



# AWARD



- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Security Engineering, 120 ECTS

## ACCREDITED BY:



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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

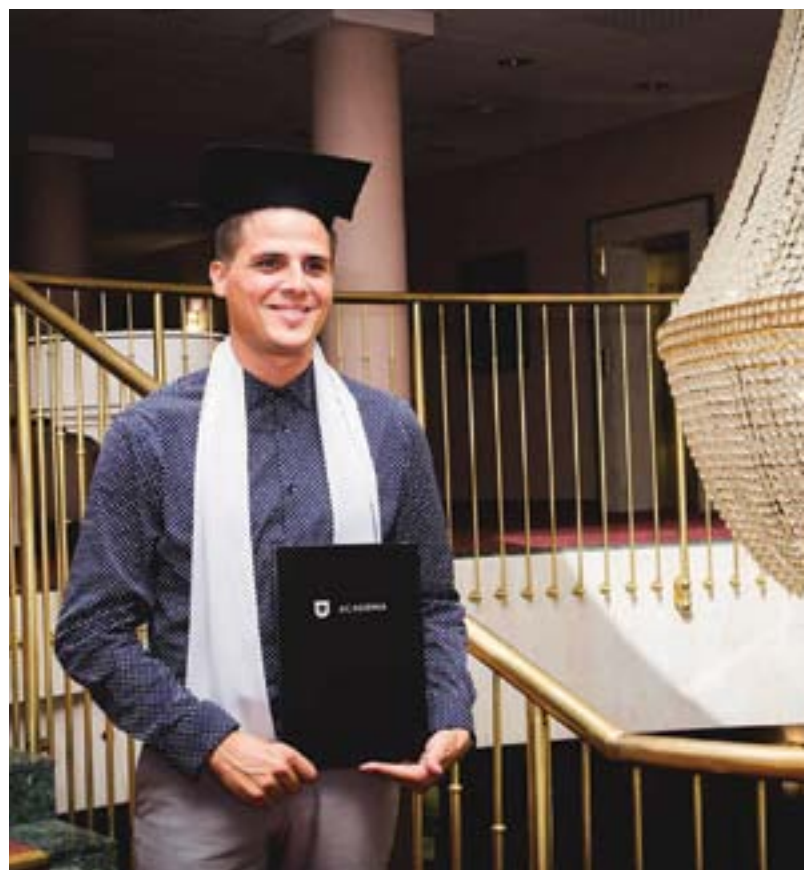
### WORKFORCE

This diploma is the first step into a wide range of management-level career opportunities, including positions in large private security international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use a security engineering diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize SCHE diploma:

- Gorenje
- Sintal
- Varnost Maribor

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing SCHE Diploma in Security Engineering, you could go straight into the university in the Republic of Slovenia or elsewhere within European Union.



# AUDIO PRODUCTION



*Become a master of audio production – create music mixes, video spot audio backgrounds by obtaining a diploma in Media Production (Audio Production Pathway).*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of music mixes, audio recordings and sound systems
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

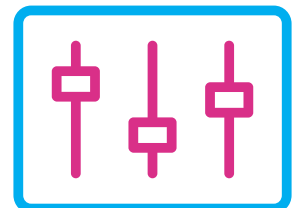
This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in audio production, project work, art & production marketing, entrepreneurship and regulations. Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

We developed this programme curriculum in cooperation with:



## COURSES

- Introduction to the media
- Economics, legislation and marketing in the media
- Professional terminology in a foreign language and culture
- Multimedia technologies and information science basics
- Media art and visual communication
- Photography and computer graphic
- Multimedia practical course
- Organization and management of media production
- Media communication
- Audio – video production
- Multimedia software
- Sales Management
- Project work in audio production
- Entrepreneurship





# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Art & Design, 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Media Production, 120 ECTS

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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

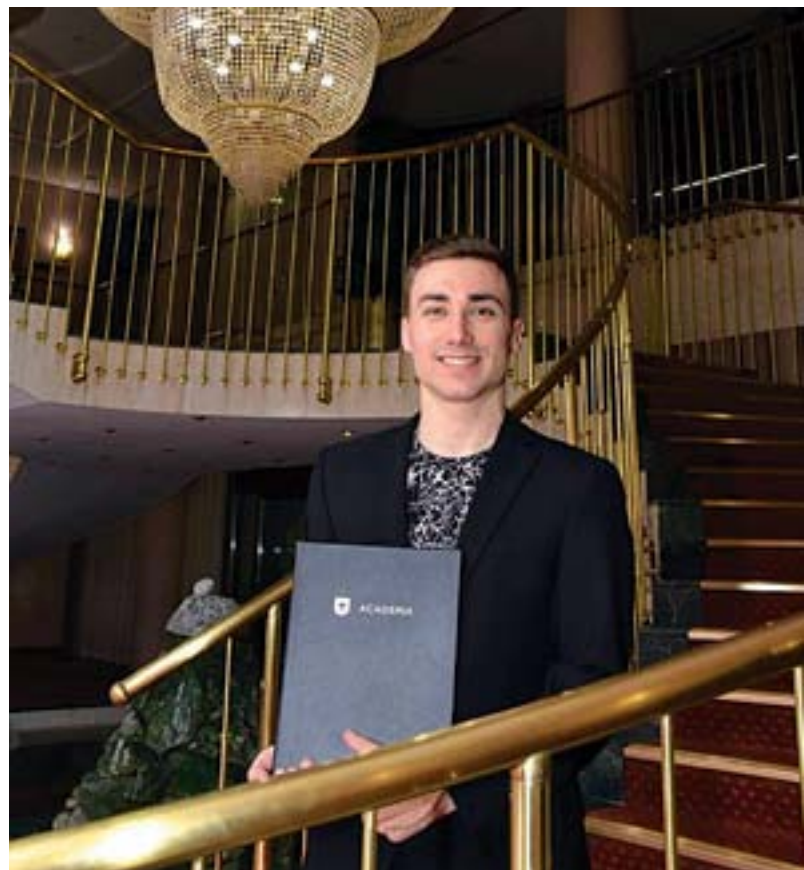
This diploma is the first step into a wide range of audio production career opportunities, including positions in large international organisations, the public sector, as well as family businesses and SMEs. Some students use an audio production diploma to launch new businesses and entrepreneurial careers. The following selected MNCs provide full scholarships and employ Academia's graduates or recognize BTEC HND:

- Together
- Belfast met
- Pro Plus

### FURTHER STUDIES

By completing HND in Business, you could go straight into the third year of an undergraduate degree to our selected partner universities:

- Coventry University, UK
- Paris College of Art, France
- ESNE, Spain
- University of Bedfordshire, UK



# GRAPHIC DESIGN



*Develop your creative skills in design and apply them to web, video and print production. You will gain latest industry trends and knowledge. With expertise from Academia you will be able to work globally.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of digital art and graphic design practices
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

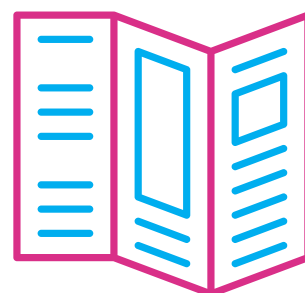
This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in contextual studies, typography, graphic design practices, visual narratives and web design. Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

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## COURSES

- Professional Development
- Contextual Studies
- Individual Project
- Techniques & Practices
- Screen-based Practices
- Typography
- Graphic Design Practices
- Visual Narratives
- Professional Practice
- Applied Practice Collaborative Project
- Advanced Graphic Design Studies
- Web Design
- Moving Image
- Creative Industries Placement



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Art & Design (Graphic Design), 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Media Production, 120 ECTS

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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

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# PHOTOGRAPHY



*Become a professional photography by learning about studio and field photography. Leading industry professionals will share with you latest photography trends and developments.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of lighting for photography, photography and screen-based practices
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

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## COURSES

- Professional Development
- Contextual Studies
- Individual Project
- Techniques & Practices
- Lightning for Photography
- Photographic Practices
- Screen-based Practices
- Visual Narratives
- Professional Practice
- Applied Practice Collaborative Project
- Advanced Photography Studies
- Web Design
- Moving Image
- Creative Industries Placement



# AWARD



- UK BTEC Level 5 HND in Art & Design (Photography), 240 credits
- Slovenian (EU) Diploma of Short-Cycle Higher Education in Media Production, 120 ECTS

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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

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# VIDEO PRODUCTION



*Be a leader in creating corporate or music video production materials by learning from leading producers and film directors. With a diploma in Media Production (Video Production Pathway) you will set yourself apart from others in terms of quality and efficiency.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of video recording, editing and production
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

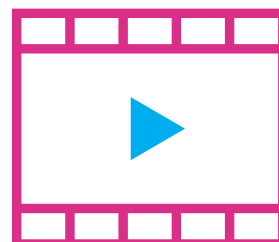
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## WHERE CAN IT TAKE YOU

### WORKFORCE

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# WEB PRODUCTION



*Master the web production industry by learning from leading front-end and back-end web developers. With a diploma in Media Production (Web Production Pathway) you will set yourself apart from others in terms of quality and efficiency.*

## CHOOSE THIS PROGRAMME IF YOU:

- like a highly practical approach of teaching with a solid theoretical base
- want to achieve full understanding of web design, programming and production
- want to achieve diploma for entry into third year of university

This programme encourages you to pose questions and find answers. Get a practical and relevant education in web production, project work, art & production marketing, entrepreneurship and regulations. Build your confidence and increase your experience in the key competencies needed for any international career.

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## COURSES

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# ACADEMIA SUMMER SCHOOL



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*Our young learners summer school is a perfect opportunity to learn and have fun, while seeing a new, exciting part of the world and making lots of international friends.*

## **CLASS: MANAGING A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESS PROJECT**

The aim of this class is to offer you an opportunity to demonstrate the skills required for managing and implementing a project. You will undertake independent research and investigation for carrying out and executing a business project which meets appropriate business aims and objectives. On successful completion of this class you will have the confidence to engage in decision-making, problem-solving and research activities using project management skills. They will have the fundamental knowledge and skills to enable them to investigate and examine relevant business concepts within a work-related context, determine appropriate outcomes, decisions or solutions and present evidence to various stakeholders in an acceptable and understandable format.

### **BY THE END OF THIS CLASS YOU WILL BE ABLE TO:**

1. Establish project aims, objectives and timeframes based on the chosen theme.
2. Conduct small-scale research, information gathering and data collection to generate knowledge to support the project.
3. Present the project and communicate appropriate recommendations based on meaningful conclusions drawn from the evidence findings and/or analysis.
4. Reflect on the value gained from conducting the project and its usefulness to support sustainable organisational performance.

### **WHO IS IT FOR?**

1. first year undergraduate students from business discipline
2. undergraduate students from any other discipline
3. preliminary year high school students



## CLASS: MOVING IMAGE PRODUCTION

The term 'moving image production' encompasses a wide range of forms and products, each with specific purposes. Narrative cinema or television genres are perhaps the most familiar forms that spring to mind when discussing moving images, but the area also includes art installation, theatre backdrops, corporate or promotional video, instructional media or documentary. Recently, the costs involved in producing moving images work have fallen dramatically, opening up the area to more practitioners and forms which in turn has had an impact on conventional approaches to moving image making. The central disciplines in this area, however, remain the same: central to all forms of moving image is the idea of the purpose of the product and how it serves its audience.

This class explores the triangular relationship between the moving image producer, the purpose or form of the product and the audience. You will investigate a range of forms of moving image texts and analyse how they use or disrupt audience expectations before undertaking a production project in which a product is devised, planned and produced towards a negotiated brief. You will evaluate the audience response to their work as well as its fitness for purpose.

On successful completion of this class you will investigate moving image theory in different forms to inform the creation of a moving image product, devise, plan and produce a moving image work, in relation to a brief, and evaluate the outcomes of a moving image development process.

### BY THE END OF THIS CLASS YOU WILL BE ABLE TO:

1. Explore theoretical frameworks to inform the creation of a moving image product.
2. Devise and plan a moving image product, in response to a brief.
3. Use industry standard equipment, processes and software to produce and edit a moving image product, in response to a brief.
4. Critically evaluate a moving image product, with regard to a brief and target audience.

### WHO IS IT FOR?

1. first year undergraduate students from art-design discipline
2. undergraduate students from any other discipline
3. preliminary year high school students

### EXPERIENCE 3-WEEK OF ACTION-PACKED STUDY AND TRAVEL

Take a look at this sample activity calendar. Activities in purple are free of charge!

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
08:30 - 10:00		City Tour	Lessons	Free time	Lessons	Field trip	Day Excursion
10:00 - 10:15	Break						
10:15 - 11:45		City Tour	Lessons	Brunch & Chat	Lessons	Field trip	
11:45 - 12:30	Break						
12:30 - 14:00		Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	
14:00 - 14:15	Break						
14:15 - 15:45		Lessons	Field trip	Lessons	Football	Lessons	
15:45 - 16:00	Break						
16:00 - 17:30		Lessons	Field trip	Lessons	Yoga in Park	Lessons	
17:30 - 20:00	Welcome drink for new students	Free time	Zumba	Movie	Bowling	Free time	
20:00 - 22:00			Pub Night	Volleyball		Pub Night	

# INTERNSHIP PLACEMENTS



*Combine your studies with a placement in an authentic workplace. Practise your qualification skills, boost your CV and get even more out of your experience at Academia. In order to complete any of the 2-year Academia programs you are required to complete 800 hours of internship.*

## ERASMUS+ INTERNSHIP

The Erasmus program gives you the opportunity to take on an internship in another European country. This usually lasts between two and twelve months. The programme will give you experience in your chosen field, as well as the experience of working in a different country.

## AIESEC INTERNSHIP

Jumpstart your career by embarking on a professional internship abroad, develop your skills and gain relevant experiences that employers recognise. Choose between Global Volunteer, Global Talent or Global Entrepreneur programmes to make your mark on the world.

## INTERNSHIP PLACEMENTS IN SLOVENIA

Academia offers a good amount of opportunities to students wishing to conduct internship in a Slovenian export-oriented partner company. Leverage on your cultural background to help grow Slovenian businesses and provide yourself with opportunity for employment or entrepreneurial endeavour.



# ACADEMIA TO UK AND EUROPEAN DEGREE IN ONE YEAR



*By completing Academia's Diploma Programmes, you could go straight into the third year of UK undergraduate degree.*

## **BTEC PROGRAMS ARE RECOGNISED BY:**

- 95% of UK universities
- 200 universities worldwide including many from The Times Top 100 Universities
- Progression possible to all universities and higher education institutions in the Republic of Slovenia

## **SELECTED PARTNER UNIVERSITIES IN UK AND AROUND THE WORLD:**

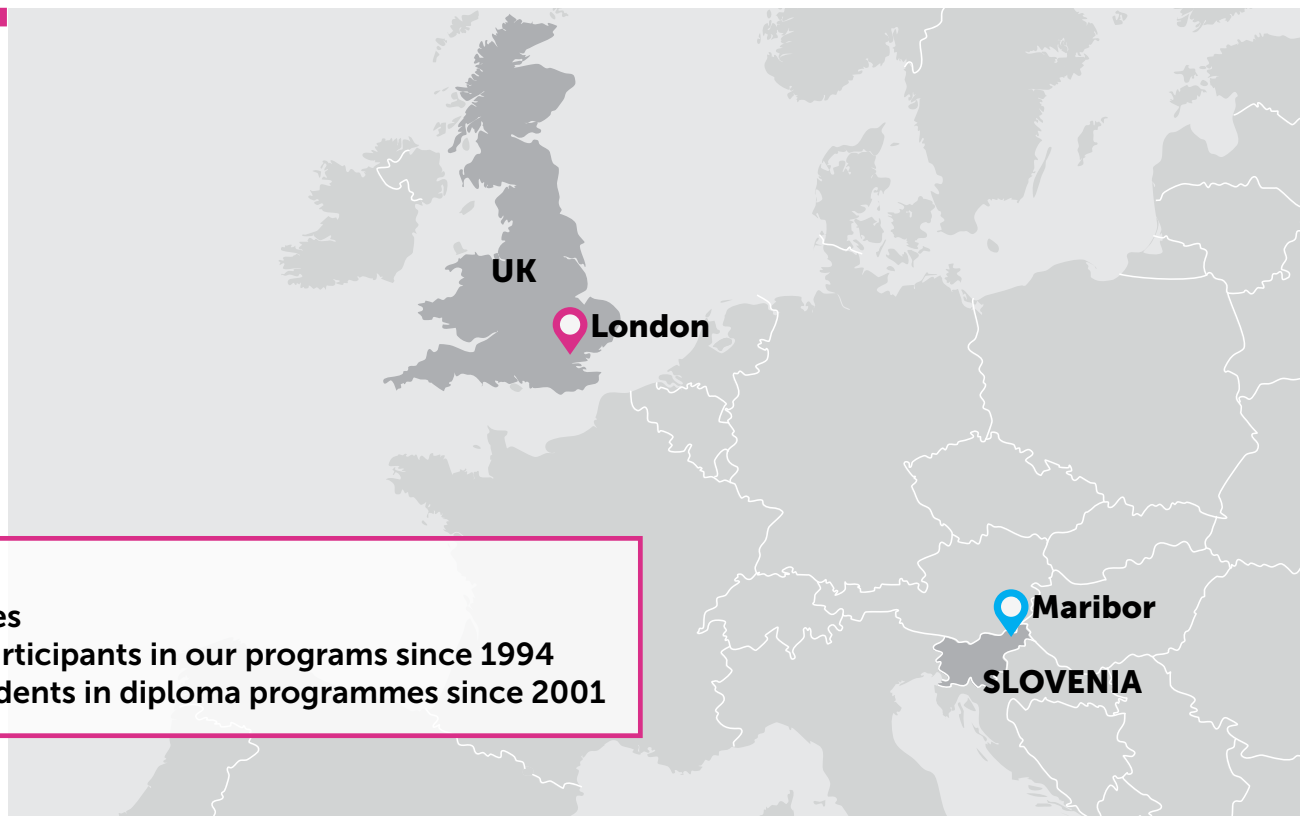


## **ACADEMIA IS A DISLOCATED UNIT FOR FACULTY FOR COMMERCIAL AND BUSINESS SCIENCES**

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES	POSTGRADUATE STUDIES
Commerce I	Commerce II
Business Informatics I	Business Informatics II
Tourism I	Tourism II









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## ACADEMIA LONDON

 Free WiFi	 University Progression Service
 Lecture Recordings	<b>2</b> lecture rooms
 Library	<b>20</b> student computers
 Self-study rooms	<b>20</b> average class size
 Student lounge	<b>800</b> capacity

### COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- Right on the door step of the vibrant city of London.
- Free activities include trips to London City Centre
- Excursions available to Oxford and Brighton

### CHOOSE YOUR PROGRAMME

- Business Summer School
- Video Production Summer School

### FREE WITH EVERY PROGRAMME

- Access to eAcademia
- Extra Study Skills Workshops
- Course Books
- Microsoft Windows, Office365, Google Apps, Lynda Software







### ACCOMMODATION

- ROOM single study rooms





# ACADEMIA MARIBOR

 Free WiFi	 University Progression Service
 Lecture Recordings	<b>10</b> lecture rooms
 Library	<b>50</b> student computers
 Self-study rooms	<b>20</b> average class size
 Student lounge	<b>500</b> capacity

## COLLEGE HIGHLIGHTS

- Right next door to Maribor City Hall and Postna Street, the city's heart of food and drinks
- Located on Maribor's famous "Main Square"
- Free activities include trips to Pohorje hill, Lent, local markets and Europark Shopping Centre
- Excursions available to Vienna, Ljubljana, Venice, ski resorts and sea-side.



## CHOOSE YOUR PROGRAMME

- Accounting & Finance
- Business Commerce
- Tourism
- Civil Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Security Engineering
- Audio Production
- Graphic Design
- Photography
- Video Production
- Web Production
- Business Summer School
- Video Production Summer School
- Internship Placements

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- Course Books
- Career Centre Services
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## ACCOMMODATION

- APARTMENT shared or single 
- ROOM shared or single 

## ADDITIONAL LOCAL STUDENT BENEFITS

- Food Vouchers for Free (or Subsidies) Lunch at local restaurants every study day
- Free Bank Account
- Free 180-hour Slovenian Language Programme
- Academia Student Card offering numerous discounts for cultural, sport and social activities
- Access to the Student Job Market

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