



CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION – SUMMARY

GRADUATE STUDY PROGRAM "MASTER OF SCIENCE in DATA SCIENCE" (Full Time) 2017-2018

The Full time program of study "Master of Science in Data Science" is addressed to excellent recent graduates, or midcareer professionals looking to upskill, with strong technical/math skills, from engineering, mathematics, statistics, finance, economics, operations research, and computer science.

Applications are accepted until **May 25th, 2017.** Tuition fees are €5.500 (EU citizens)/ €9.000 (non-EU citizens), payable in three installments. Places are limited. Limited number of merit-based scholarships is available.

Each application is required to include the following:

- Completed and signed application form with photo
- Copy of all university degrees/diplomas received
- Copy of transcripts of grades in Greek or English. Accepted candidates must submit official transcripts
- Certificate of equivalence for degrees from foreign Universities, issued by NARIC/DOATAP (or proof that
 an application for certification has been filed -- admission is contingent on submission of the certificate
 by September 2017)
- Proof of knowledge of English: Certificate of Proficiency in English from U. of Michigan/ Cambridge,
 TOEFL (at least 80), IELTS (at least 7), or other equivalent
- GRE scores (if available recommended)
- Two recommendation letters
- Copies of employment history records (optional)
- CV in English
- Application fee of €25 to be deposited in National Bank of Greece, Account number: **110/001559-83**, IBAN number: **GR75 0110 1100 0000 1100 0155 983**. The application fee deposit is non-refundable.

Applications are accepted until May 25th, 2017. Places are limited. Acceptance letters will be sent out at the latest by May 25th. Applications may be submitted in person or via mail at the following address:

Secretariat for Graduate Programs, Informatics Department, Athens University of Economics and Business, Evelpidon 47A & Lefkados, Athens 11362 Greece, 7th Floor, Office 707 (Monday-Thursday 12:00-14:00 and Friday 11:00-13:00, tel.: (+30) 210-82.03.860, Ms. Konstantina Chatzipanagiotou).

Program duration is 1 year. Students complete 60 units of coursework (40 units of core courses and 20 units of electives). Full courses are worth 5-7 units, half courses are worth 3 units. After completion of coursework, students undertake an intense 3-month integrated Capstone Project in collaboration with industry, with joint academic and industrial supervision, for 15 units.

Students are required to complete 1-3 preparatory courses in Statistics, Mathematics, and Computer Science, as decided by the Admissions Committee. Each course comprises 4 3-hour lectures and a final exam.

Attendance of lectures and laboratory sessions is mandatory.

Athens, 27/04/2017

Rector

Professor Emmanouil A. Giakoumakis