



**UNIVERSITÀ  
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DI TRIESTE**

Dipartimento di  
**Scienze Economiche, Aziendali,  
Leams Matematiche e Statistiche "Bruno de Finetti"**

**BACHELOR'S DEGREE IN**

# **International Economics and Financial Markets**

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2026/2027**

Ministerial Class L-33 R



## STUDY PROGRAMME 2026/2027 cohort

The Bachelor's Degree in International Economics and Financial Markets has two curriculums:

⇒ **INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS – TAUGHT IN ITALIAN**

⇒ **ECONOMICS AND FINANCIAL MARKETS – TAUGHT IN ENGLISH**

**Educational activities are divided into six types (*tipologia di attività formativa – TAF*)**

- A – core subjects
- B – advanced concepts and skills
- C – complementary subjects
- D – elective subjects
- E – final examination and language proficiency
- F – other educational activities



## CURRICULUM IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS

### 1<sup>st</sup> YEAR (63 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Economia aziendale [002EC] (accounting)	12	ECON-06/A	A
Microeconomia [003EC] (microeconomics)	12	ECON-01/A	A
Matematica generale [001EC] (general mathematics)	12	STAT-04/A	A
Istituzioni di diritto privato [004EC] (foundations of private law)	9	GIUR-01/A	A
Istituzioni di diritto pubblico [005EC] (foundations of public law)	6	GIUR-05/A	B
Storia economica [563EC] (economic history)	9	STEC-01/B	C
Lingua inglese (livello B2) [645EC] (English proficiency requirement - B2 level)	3	ANGL-01/C	E

### 2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR (57 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Economia e gestione delle imprese [024EC] (business economics and management)	9	ECON-07/A	B
Macroeconomia [025EC] (macroeconomics)	9	ECON-01/A	B
Statistica [026EC] (statistics)	9	STAT-01/A	B
Economia pubblica [644EC] (public sector economics)	6	ECON-03/A	B
Matematica per l'economia [032EC] (mathematics for economics)	6	STAT-04/A	B
Geografia economica [116EC] (economic geography)	6	GEOG-01/B	C
Diritto commerciale [027EC] (commercial law)	6	GIUR-02/A	C
<b>One course of your choice between:</b>	6		C
• Economia degli intermediari finanziari [037EC] (economics of financial institutions)		ECON-09/B	
• Economia e politica agro-alimentare [601EC] (agrifood economics and policy)		AGRI-01/A	
• Economia delle assicurazioni e politiche di welfare [655EC] (insurance and welfare policies)		ECON-02/A	
• Sistemi informativi geografici [069EC] (Geographic Information Systems - GIS)		GEOG-01/B	
• Tecnologia ed economia delle fonti energetiche [095EC] (Technology and Economics of Energy Sources)		ECON-10/A	



## 3<sup>rd</sup> YEAR (60 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Introduzione all'econometria [080EC] (introduction to econometrics)	6	ECON-05/A	B
Economia internazionale [038EC] (international economics)	9	ECON-01/A	B
Politica economica internazionale [077EC] (international economic policy)	9	ECON-02/A	B
Diritto privato europeo [124EC] (European Private Law)	6	GIUR-10/A	B
Economia monetaria internazionale [071EC] (international monetary economics)	6	ECON-02/A	B
Elective courses*	12		D
Idoneità informatica [006EC] (digital literacy requirement)	3	INFO-01/A	F
<b>One activity of your choice between:</b>	5		F
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tirocinio (Stage) [552EC] (curricular internship)</li> <li>• Laboratorio [110EC] (laboratory)</li> <li>• Foreign language proficiency requirement (choose between the following: Idoneità lingua francese B1 [646EC] (French proficiency requirement - B1 level), Idoneità lingua spagnola B1 [647EC] (Spanish proficiency requirement - B1 level), Idoneità lingua tedesca B1 [648EC] (German proficiency requirement - B1 level), Business English [023EC]) or English language proficiency of at least C1 level [571EC] certified by an internationally recognised institution</li> </ul>			
Final exam/Thesis [999EC]	4		E

\* Elective courses can be chosen from among all courses offered by the University of Trieste, provided that they are consistent with the educational objectives of the degree programme. Study programmes are automatically approved if elective courses are chosen from the list of suggested subjects which is published online every year. Students may only choose subjects off the suggested list with the approval of the Degree Course Coordination Boards. We advise students to address these Boards before courses start. Please, note that students cannot choose any proficiency requirement exams (i.e. pass or fail exams) as an elective course. Only courses for which the final exam gives a mark will be accepted as elective courses.

## ASSESSMENT OF LEARNING OUTCOMES

Educational activities may have different modes of assessment: a final exam with a mark, proficiency assessment (pass or fail) or approval and recognition of a relevant activity (e.g. internships). Exams with marks and proficiency assessments are taken during exam periods. Exam periods are scheduled in the academic calendar, according to the University's regulations on Educational Activities and on the Academic Career of Students.



The number of rounds a given exam period will have is determined as follows:

- the exam period at the end of the term during which the course was taught will have at least three rounds. The break between rounds must be of at least two weeks;
- in any other exam periods, there will be at least two rounds. The break between rounds must be of at least two weeks;
- in the September exam period, only one round is guaranteed.

When a student passes an exam, the relevant number of credits will be recorded in their student record book.

Exams with marks and proficiency assessments may include: a written test and/or an interview; a written report or presentation; a practical exercise; a computer-based test.

Teachers may decide to set or offer in-course exams. This decision is made on an annual basis and will conform to the academic calendar. In-course exams can contribute to or even substitute the final exam. The above equally applies to activities which do not last an entire term.

In-course exams cannot affect the attendance of other learning activities. An in-course exam schedule must be authorised by the Degree Course Coordinator.

The University's Regulation on Educational Activities gives students the right to take an exam in any round (even consecutive rounds within the same exam period).

Exam rounds scheduled during term time are only for students who have finished attending taught courses and are not aligned with the exam schedule (*fuori corso*). Third-year students are also allowed to take any missed first-year exams during these special exam rounds.

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## PREREQUISITES

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Economia aziendale (accounting) is a prerequisite for:

- Economia degli intermediari finanziari (economics of financial institutions)
- Economia e gestione delle imprese (business economics and management)

Microeconomia (microeconomics) is a prerequisite for:

- Economia delle assicurazioni e politiche di welfare (insurance and welfare policies)
- Economia internazionale (international economics)
- Economia monetaria internazionale (international monetary economics)
- Economia pubblica (public sector economics)
- Introduzione all'econometria (introduction to econometrics)
- Macroeconomia (macroeconomics)
- Politica economica internazionale (international economic policy)

Macroeconomia (macroeconomics) is a prerequisite for:

- Economia delle assicurazioni e politiche di welfare (insurance and welfare policies)
- Economia internazionale (international economics)
- Economia monetaria internazionale (international monetary economics)



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Economia pubblica (public sector economics)</li><li>• Introduzione all'econometria (introduction to econometrics)</li><li>• Politica economica internazionale (international economic policy)</li></ul>
Matematica generale (general mathematics) is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduzione all'econometria (introduction to econometrics)</li><li>• Matematica per l'economia (mathematics for economics)</li><li>• Statistica (statistics)</li></ul>
Statistica (statistics) is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduzione all'econometria (introduction to econometrics)</li></ul>
Matematica per l'economia (mathematics for economics) is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introduzione all'econometria (introduction to econometrics)</li></ul>
Istituzioni di diritto privato (foundations of private law) is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diritto commerciale (commercial law)</li><li>• Diritto privato europeo (European Private Law)</li></ul>
Istituzioni di diritto pubblico (foundations of public law) is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diritto privato europeo (European Private Law)</li></ul>



## CURRICULUM IN ECONOMICS AND FINANCIAL MARKETS

### 1<sup>st</sup> YEAR (60 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Accounting [013EC]	12	ECON-06/A	A
Microeconomics [014EC]	12	ECON-01/A	A
Mathematics [015EC]	12	STAT-04/A	A
Introduction to Italian Law [115EC]	6+6	GIUR-01/A GIUR-05/A	A/B
Business Management [565EC]	9	ECON-07/A	B
Business English [580EC]	3	ANGL-01/C	E

### 2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR (60 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Economic Geography [121EC]	9	GEOG-01/B	B
Macroeconomics [042EC]	9	ECON-01/A	B
Statistics [043EC]	9	STAT-01/A	B
Italian and European Company Law [566EC]	3+3	GIUR-02/A GIUR-10/A	A/B
Financial Mathematics [045EC]	6	STAT-04/A	B
Industrial Organization [046EC]	6	ECON-04/A	B
Issues in Financial and Management Accounting [607EC]	9	ECON-06/A	B
Financial Markets and Institutions [091EC]	6	ECON-09/B	C



## 3<sup>rd</sup> YEAR (60 ECTS)

COURSE [CODE]	ECTS	DISC.	TYPE
Monetary and Financial Economics [605EC]	6	ECON-02/A	B
International Macroeconomics [073EC]	9	ECON-01/A	B
Financial Econometrics [079EC]	6	ECON-05/A	B
Corporate Finance [567EC]	9	ECON-09/A	C
Statistical Methods with Applications to Finance [569EC]	6	STAT-01/A	C
Elective courses*	12		D
Computer Science [018EC]	3	INFO-01/A	F
<b>One activity of your choice between:</b>	5		F
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Traineeship [570EC]</li> <li>• Workshop [126EC]</li> <li>• Foreign language proficiency requirement (choose between the following: French B1 [649EC], German B1 [651EC], Spanish B1 [650EC] or English Level C2 [668EC] certified by an internationally recognised institution</li> </ul>			
Final exam-thesis [998EC]	4		E

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## PREREQUISITES

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Accounting is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Corporate Finance</li><li>• Financial Markets and Institutions</li><li>• Issues in Financial and Management Accounting</li></ul>
Microeconomics is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Financial Econometrics</li><li>• International Macroeconomics</li><li>• Macroeconomics</li></ul>
Macroeconomics is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Financial Econometrics</li><li>• Industrial Organisation</li><li>• International Macroeconomics</li><li>• Monetary and Financial Economics</li></ul>
Mathematics is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Financial Econometrics</li><li>• Financial Mathematics</li><li>• Statistics</li></ul>
Statistics is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Financial Econometrics</li><li>• Statistical Methods with Application to Finance</li></ul>
Financial Mathematics is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Financial Econometrics</li></ul>
Introduction to Italian Law is a prerequisite for:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Italian and European Company Law</li></ul>



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