



"This is the second graduate program that I have chosen to study because I felt a lack of deeper knowledge and understanding of EU development during my involvement in political and social life in Latvia. This program gives a wonderful opportunity to those who plan their future career in politics or within European institutions to gain the necessary knowledge in just one year. Study courses include both theory and practice, thus allowing students to enhance their understanding of the processes, goals and aims of EU."

*Olga Gogina, student from Latvia*



"The Master in European Integration at the University of Belgrade has two main advantages. During the first semester, students have the possibility to gain a general knowledge of EU policies and laws, while in the second they are free to explore more specific areas thanks to a rich offer of optional courses. This was particularly helpful for someone, as myself, coming from a background different than legal. At second, all MEI courses are based on a dialectical approach meaning that debates and discussions during classes represent a central moment within the student learning process. These elements, combined with high academic standards and a helpful attitude toward students, make the Master in European Integration a unique learning opportunity."

*Cristian Riva, student from Italy*



"The competence of the professors, the diversity of taught courses, as well as the level of academic coaching at this master's program provides an excellent opportunity for all students to increase their knowledge in European political and legal issues, which is becoming increasingly important in today's world. This program fully met my expectations and it was a pleasure attending it."

*Arifandy Refrawan, student from Indonesia*



"The MEI program at the University of Belgrade has been a great opportunity for me to meet students from around the world and learn about the process of joining the European Union. Here in Belgrade I have found a very accommodating faculty, a wonderful city, and very open and inviting students. I would encourage many other students to enroll in the MEI program in order to understand this new and interesting field of study."

*Kevin Bassney, student from USA*



"The LL.M. study program in European Integration is a great opportunity for lawyers to deepen their knowledge in European law. The combination with economic, political, international and normative elements provided a solid and broad interdisciplinary comprehension of European law. I was studying in a historical meaningful atmosphere in the center of Belgrade, which facilitated inter alia the understanding of (geo-)political relations. The engaged professors contributed to my academic development by stimulating discussions and encouraging us as students. I can therefore recommend the study program at the law faculty in Belgrade to every foreign student interested in European and/or International Law."

*Paul Meder, student from Germany*



*MEI students in front of the European Court of Human Rights in Strasbourg, July 6, 2016*

"If you are interested in high academic standards, sharp critical perspectives and a vibrant place to live and study with students from all over the world, the Master in European Integration of the University of Belgrade is the right place for you."

*Prof.Dr. Dragica Vujadinović,  
Head of the Master in European Integration*



*Strasbourg, European Parliament, study trip 2013*

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## One Year and Two Year Master's Academic Studies in English

# MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION

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## MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION

Fourteen years ago, the University of Belgrade Faculty of Law started implementing the Master's Academic Studies - MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION (MEI 60 ECTS). According to the criteria for National Academic Accreditation, 60 students can enroll each academic year in MEI 60 ECTS.

Since the academic year 2013/14, the program has also received accreditation for a two year MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION (MEI 120 ECTS), according to which up to 10 students with a Bachelor's degree (valid 180 ECTS) can enroll each academic year.

The aims of this master's study program are to offer adequate knowledge and capabilities for working in both legal and non-legal jobs related to the integration into the European Union. The knowledge of the laws and politics of the European Union is used in state administration, the business, information, education and civil sector, as well as in research and scientific institutions.

The educational process is conducted by prestigious academics from the University of Belgrade, Faculty of Law, in cooperation with the visiting professors from the EU Consortium of Faculties. Additional courses and visiting lectures are organized each academic year, and the students receive certificates for attending them.

The official language of MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION is English.

The eligibility requirements for the one year MEI (60 ECTS) are a Bachelor's Degree, with at least 240 ECTS, from the law faculty or a faculty of social sciences-humanities.

The eligibility requirements for the two year MEI 120 ECTS are a Bachelor's Degree, with at least 180 ECTS, from the law faculty or a faculty of social sciences-humanities.

After successful completion of MEI 60 ECTS or MEI 120 ECTS, a student acquires the academic degree: Master of Laws in European Integration.

International students who intend to enroll in MEI must complete the procedure of diploma recognition before official enrollment.

The full description of these one year and two year master's programs is available in the Rulebook for MEI 60 ECTS and MEI 120 ECTS, at [pogestei.ius.bg.ac.rs](http://pogestei.ius.bg.ac.rs).

## STUDY CURRICULA

### Mandatory courses:

1. Practical Skills (Research Methodology, English Terminology, Internet Skills) (3 ECTS)
2. Introduction to the Legal System of the EU (5 ECTS)
3. Introduction to the Political System of the EU (5 ECTS)
4. Introduction to the Economic System of the EU (5 ECTS)

### List of optional courses (8 ECTS each) :

1. Judicial System of the EU
2. EU Private International Law
3. EU Company Law
4. EU Tax Law
5. EU Competition Law and Policy
6. European Human Rights Law
7. Labor and Social Law of the EU – Human Rights Aspect
8. EU Environmental Law and Policy
9. EU Trade Policy and Law
10. EU Securities Law
11. European Private Law
12. International Relations of the EU
13. Geopolitical Perspectives and Consequences of the EU Enlargement
14. Common Agricultural Policy of the EU
15. Immigration and Asylum Policy of the EU
16. Accession of Serbia to the EU
17. Internal Market Law

Each student shall be obliged to write and defend the master thesis (18 ECTS) at the end of the study program

## INTERNATIONAL CONSORTIUM

Master's Academic Studies - MASTER IN EUROPEAN INTEGRATION represents the result of the [TEMPUS JEP project "Post-Graduate Studies on European Integration - POGESTEI"](#), which was developed from 2003 to 2008 in cooperation with the Consortium members of the European Union:

- Faculty of Law – University of Maribor/Slovenia (as the grantholder);
- Faculty of Law - European University Viadrina, Frankfurt/Germany;
- Faculty of Law - University of Insubria, Como/Italy;
- Faculty of Law - University of Salzburg/Austria;
- Faculty of Political Sciences – University of Trieste/Italy;
- Institute for Ethnic, Regional and Sociological Studies – ECERS/Slovenia;
- Institute for Ethnic and Regional Studies – ISCOMET/Slovenia.

