

My experience

My University

- An International environment: 1st University in France with the highest number of foreign students. More than 5,000 foreign students from 164 countries
- Equal opportunities: since 1965, the only State University on the French Riviera (District of Alpes-Maritimes) with a multidisciplinary offer
- History and modernity: from its historic roots back in 1639 to high technology with its campus located in the Sophia Antipolis Science and Technology Park.
- More than 25,000 students and 1,200 teachers-researchers.



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My School

- Since 1966, The academic reference in chartered accounting, finance, management, and business administration.
- A strategic geographic location with the 2nd international airport in France, the Sophia Antipolis Science and Technology Park, the nearby Principality of Monaco, and the proximity of Italy.
- 1,200 students including 470 of foreign nationality, and an international teaching staff.
- Highly career-oriented degrees: more than 100 professional contributors and mandatory internships in all curricula.



Postgraduate Degree

DBA

Doctorate in Business Administration



Step up to international academic recognition and empower your professional experience through research



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Program Overview

This high level diploma will teach the participants to conceptualise their knowledge and acquired experience and to diffuse them for sharing purposes in the form of a professional PhD. It fulfils the double mission of higher level education – the elaboration and transmission of knowledge.

The DBA is a diploma for professionals. As such it will be of interest to professional managers in enterprises or liberal professions who at a moment in their career would like to take a step back from their day-to-day activities and formalise their experience in specific management areas following a robust and methodical approach that uses well-proven and validated scientific methods.

Competencies

- Understand the epistemological foundations of management science
- Elaborate a problem on a specific theme
- Construct a pertinent study plan for a research project
- Build a written or oral presentation that follows academic and social science codes and standards
- Master investigative methods and the associated statistical tools.
- Master documentary research (internet, bibliographic databases....)
- Understand how to use the principle data bases in the research area of interest
- Understand the major theoretical currents and the respective authors in the specific domains

Targeted professions and job opportunities

ROME Codes:

- M1301 Management of large private and public enterprises
- M1402 Management Consulting
- M1403 Socio-economic studies/consulting
- M1705 Marketing
- M1207 Treasury and Finance

Curriculum

1st year

Code	Subject	Hours
UE 1	Research Fundamentals	
	<i>Research methodology</i>	20
	<i>Qualitative methods</i>	20
	<i>Quantitative methods</i>	20
UE 2	Seminars and conferences	20
UE 3	Specialised research seminars	
	<i>Marketing</i>	10
	<i>Finance and accounting</i>	10
	<i>Strategy and organisations theory</i>	10
	<i>Knowledge management</i>	10
UE 4	Research presentation workshops	20

2nd year

Code	Subject	Hours
UE 5	Specialised research seminars	20
UE 6	Research presentation workshops	20

3rd year

Code	Subject	Hours
UE 7	Specialised research seminars	20
UE 8	Research presentation workshops	20
UE 9	Thesis defence	-

TOTAL HOURS OF INSTRUCTION 220

Admission

I apply

The candidates are pre-selected on the basis of the following 3 cumulative criteria:

- **Necessary pre-requisite to be eligible: to have been awarded a 4-year Bachelor's degree or equivalent (240 ECTS Credits or 120 US Credits)**
- **Academic results and distinctions**
- **Quality of professional project**

Following examination of the application, pre-selected candidates will be interviewed.

Candidates in continuing education: must hold a degree equivalent to 4 years of higher education and have at least 5 years professional experience, and must satisfy specific application criteria (2 years of study interruption, have a salary, individual leave of absence for education.....). They should contact ASURE Formation for further details about the application process and the validation of prior job experience (VAE/VAP).

How much will it cost me

The fees are composed of:

- **National fees**
Set by the French Ministry of Higher Education and Research. All students must pay these national fees. The exact amount is published by the Ministry in mid-July.
- **Social Security contribution**
Must be paid by French and foreign nationalities (excluding EU) who are aged less than 28 on 1st October. The following are exonerated: students from EU countries who are covered in their country of origin, family members of SNCF employees, students working at least 96 hours per month, and all students aged 28 years and older on 1st October.
- **Sport and Culture Fee**
This fee is voluntary (amount: 30€). It gives access to the University sports facilities and the right to reductions on cultural activities.
- **Tuition fees**
Please consult the IAE web site.