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**SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS, BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION  
AND LEGAL STUDIES**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Admission of Graduate Students  
“MSc in Banking and Finance”**

1. The School of Economics, Business Administration and Legal Studies of the International Hellenic University invites interested parties to apply for the Postgraduate Programme of Studies "MSc in Banking and Finance" for the academic year 2017-2018. All courses are taught exclusively in English.  
The Academic Supervisor of the Postgraduate Programme of Studies is Assistant Professor Stergios Leventis, Director of the Programme and member of the General Assembly of the School. The academics teaching on the programme come from universities both abroad and in Greece.
2. The postgraduate studies for this MSc programme lead to the acquisition of a Master's Degree. The programme's curriculum requires the attendance of taught courses for two academic semesters and the submission of a master's dissertation. The duration of the full-time study programme in order to obtain the MSc degree is one (1) full calendar year. For students who so wish, there is also the possibility, upon request, of attending the programme on a part-time basis. In this case, the duration of the MSc will be 24 months.
3. The International Hellenic University accepts, after a careful selection process, graduates from Greek universities or equivalent institutions from abroad and from Technological Educational Institutions in related subject areas under the provisions of Law 3391/2005, Article 4, paragraph 2, as supplemented by paragraph 2 of article 18 of Law 3577/2007.  
The MSc in Banking and Finance is designed to provide specialised knowledge of the principles and applications used in Banking and Finance, together with the associated theoretical and technical skills, thorough knowledge of statistical applications in the field of Banking and Finance, understanding of international Banking and Finance topics through a multicultural view and a focus on financial issues of various business sectors.

4. The selection of postgraduate students will be undertaken in accordance with the provisions of current legislation based on the relevance of the subject of the candidate's first degree with the subject area of the postgraduate programme, the grades received in first degree qualifications, the grades received on the thesis and undergraduate courses related to the MSc Banking and Finance, the candidate's certified proficiency in the English language, the candidate's curriculum vitae and recommendation letters.
5. Interested parties are invited to submit their application by October 10<sup>th</sup> 2017 or until places are filled, by following instructions at the link <http://www.ihu.edu.gr/index.php/admissions.html>. Application documentation must include the following:
  - *A detailed curriculum vitae*
  - *Copy of the first cycle degree*
  - *Copy of the transcript of grades*
  - *Certification of English Language proficiency is demonstrated by submitting one of the following titles proving very good level: IELTS (6.5 or above), TOEFL (90 or above), TOEIC (850 or above). In case of absence of these, other certificates are also acceptable which prove, however, excellent knowledge of English, according to those standards designated by the Greek Authority ASEP. Candidates who do not possess the relevant certification may submit an application on the understanding that, in order to be allowed to commence Postgraduate Studies, they must submit such a certificate by October 10th, 2017*
  - *Two recommendation letters in signed and sealed envelopes. Alternatively, the referees can send the signed recommendation letters to [infoseba@ihu.edu.gr](mailto:infoseba@ihu.edu.gr) by their official institutional email address*
  - *Two passport size photographs*
6. Further information is available from the Secretariat and the Programme Advisors of the School of Economics, Business Administration and Legal Studies of the International Hellenic University (tel. 2310 807528, 807520, web site [www.ihu.edu.gr](http://www.ihu.edu.gr)).

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The Dean of the School

Emeritus Professor Giorgos Stamou