





MASTER'S
PROGRAMME AND
EXECUTIVE SEMINARS

Diversity and Inclusion -

DIVERSITY & INCLUSION

The MIND Master's Programme and Executive Seminars are unique because of their positioning on the national academic scene. The goal is to produce professionals able to manage diversity (whether in the workplace or in the community at large) through the lens of inclusion, sustainability, and generating value for the economy and society.

The Master's Programme provides 360° training; the Executive Seminars, on the other hand, are designed for those wanting to take a tailored approach to their continuing education. One can attend individual seminars and create an *ad-hoc* study programme, based on one's own individual needs.

EDUCATIONAL OBJECTIVES

The Master's Programme and Executive Seminars allow one to:

gain an understanding of institutionalised exclusion, complex organisations, and the role of communication:

cultivate skills in promoting diversity and inclusion with a view toward generating a paradigm shift, especially with respect to the workplace, to HR management, and to corporate and social sustainability;

design and implement corporate and community inclusivity policies to respond to challenges in a global society.

With both the private and public spheres in constant evolution, continuing education is more critical than ever. One must take a holistic approach to developing the skill set needed to tackle the challenges of today and tomorrow.

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SEMINARS AND PROGRAMME CONTENT

SEMINAR 1 - FROM PREJUDICE TO ADJUDICATION: CONFLICT MANAGEMENT AND RESOLUTION IN INTER-PERSONAL INTERACTIONS	8
The rules of inclusion in inter-personal relationships and individual diversity Individual safeguards and the right of self-determination; Rules in the distribution of goods and services; Affirmative action; Legal protection against discrimination.	4
(De)construction of stereotypes and biases Psychological profiles of discrimination; Valuing the person; Self-perception and self-esteem; Conflict management: empathy.	3
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SEMINAR 2 - DIVERSITY MANAGEMENT AND THE WORKPLACE	9
The rules of inclusion in the workplace and individual diversity The rules in private-sector employment; The rules in public-sector employment; Protections against disenfranchisement and ostracism; Affirmative action in the workplace; Work-life balance policies; Smart working.	4
Personnel management Flex-working, celebrating differences and soft skills; Teamwork and creative problem-solving; Leadership-development programmes.	4
SEMINAR 3 - COMPLEX SYSTEMS AND DIVERSITY & INCLUSION	6
Institutional rules and supra-national rules on inclusion and individual diversity Equality under the Constitution; Garrisons against discrimination; Resources to combat discrimination available under international and European law; Legal challenges relating to multiculturalism;	3
Complex systems in the private and public sectors Private-sector complex-system dynamics and organisation; Public-sector complex-system dynamics and organisation.	3
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SEMINAR 4 - SOCIAL INNOVATION THEORIES AND PRACTICE: TOOLS AND SUCCESS STORIES	7
The rules for individual inclusion in economic relationships and individual diversity Rules of advertising and social communication; Antitrust; IAP.	2
Institutional and corporate social communication Language as difference and as an inclusion factor; Image as a vehicle for exclusion and an opportunity for inclusion; The role of storytelling, social communication, and business communication; Communication in the workplace; Political communication	3
Social policies Affirmative-action policies; The legal/institutional side to inclusion; Group, relationships, and cooperative work	1

DURATION AND ORGANISATION

The Master's Programme takes place over 18 months, from January 2020 to June 2021; students earn 60 CFU (Credit Hours). The programme contemplates 240 in-class educational hours, and 72 remote-learning hours. Executive Seminars vary in length and are modular, so students can choose the ones that meet their interests.

The programme includes lectures, labs, discussion sections, individual project work, group work, internships/stages, and a final Master's Thesis.

In-class lectures are held over 12 weekends as follows:

- Fridays, 4-8 p.m.
- Saturdays, 8:30 a.m. 6:30 p.m.
- Sundays, 8:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m.

COURSE CALENDAR

- 1. Friday 17 Sunday 19 January 2020
- 2. Friday 28 February Sunday 1 March 2020
- 3. Friday 27 March Sunday 29 March 2020
- 4. Friday 17 Sunday 19 April 2020
- 5. Friday 29 Sunday 31 May 2020
- 6. Friday 9 Sunday 11 October 2020
- 7. Friday 20 Sunday 22 November 2020
- 8. Friday 15 Sunday 17 January 2021
- 9. Friday 26 Sunday 28 February 2021
- 10. Friday 16 Sunday 18 April 2021
- 11. Friday 28 Sunday 30 May 2021
- 12. Friday 25 Sunday 27 June 2021

COURSE MATERIALS

These are available online at: https://elearning.uniud.it

COURSE LOCATION AND ACCOMODATIONS

University of Udine, Udine Campus Locations. Special rates are available through local hotels.

ADMISSION INTO THE MASTER'S PROGRAMME

Graduates of any three-year (or longer) are eligible for the **Master's Programme**. Candidates must submit a personal statement, and their academic and professional CV.

A minimum of 15 and a maximum of 35 students may enrol. The University reserves the right to cancel the Master's Programme due to lack of or underenrolment.

Anyone with a Level II Secondary School Degree is eligible for the **Executive Seminars**. Applications to the Master's Programme must be submitted online by 11:30 on 12 December 2019 at www.uniud.it/mastermind

The application for the individual Seminars, available at www.uniud.it/mastermind must be received by the Educational Programming Office by 10 January 2020

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TUITION AND FEES

Tuition and fees for the **Master's Programme** total € 3,900.00 (which includes the required tax-revenue stamps), payable as a down payment and final payment. Tuition and fees are tax-deductible on one's tax return; professionals may apply a tax credit in the same amount, as permitted by applicable law.

Executive Seminar tuition is € 1,200.00 per seminar.

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE

University Master's Degree Level I - Diversity & Inclusion - "MIND".

Course Certificate, Diversity & Inclusion – MIND, for the Executive Seminars.

STATE ATTORNEYS' PROGRAMME CREDITS

For those enrolled in the Superior School for State Attorneys, the **Master** will be transferred in as 33 academic credits.

SCHOLARSHIPS

One € 1,000 scholarship funded by the Bar of Udine.

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FINANCIAL AID

Some tuition rebate (20% - 40%) vouchers are available for those who qualify for the ESF [European Social Fund] "Post-Baccalaureate Master's Programme at FVG [Friuli Venezia Giulia] Regional Universities Voucher"; the funding is currently under review and awaiting approval from the FVG Region. Check back soon for more information.



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