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“The CERGE-EI MAE program combines practical hard skills, useful soft skills, and tailored personal development.”

Robert Johnson  
2017 Graduate

## About CERGE-EI

### First-rate research

- Faculty publish in top research journals
- Research seminars, public lectures delivered by leading economists
- Students often join in faculty research projects as full partners
- Students and faculty are successful in international grant competitions

### Diverse community

- Students from more than 30 countries with a variety of backgrounds: economics, mathematics, physics, computer science, and business
- Faculty members from more than 17 countries
- Reading groups, coffee breaks, food parties, student trips, sports club events, Graduation Gala, Economics Discovery Hub

### Unique location

- In the center of Prague, a 5-minute walk from Wenceslas Square
- Beautiful study environment in the historic Schebek Palace
- Excellent facilities: Jan Kmenta Library, Digital Media Center, Student Club and lounges

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Charles University is among the top 100 universities in economics by the 2019 Global Ranking of Academic Subjects.

5%

Research Papers in Economics (RePEc) ranks CERGE-EI in the top 5% of economic departments/research institutions worldwide.

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Alumni live and work in more than 32 countries

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# Master in Applied Economics

- 📅 1-year intensive program
- 🤝 100% of alumni employed within 6 months of graduation
- 🌐 Students from 22 countries worldwide

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## About the program

- One-year tuition-based program in English
- Curriculum focused on data science and real-life applications
- Chartered US degree nostrificated in the Czech Republic
- Small group setting with an individual approach
- Tailored personal development and career services
- Project-based collaboration with business and institutional clients
- Fast track to employment

### Preparatory Semester and Math Review Week

(July – mid-September)

- Online courses in Mathematics, Economics, and Programming in R
- Intensive overview of mathematics

### Discovery Week

(mid-September)

- Group project for selected NGO
- Human-centered design approach

### FALL Semester

(mid-September – mid-December)

- 3 core courses (Macroeconomics, Microeconomics, Quantitative Methods I)
- Business Communication and Negotiation I
- Personal Development and Career Services I

### SPRING Semester

(January – March)

- 1 core course (Quantitative Methods II) + 3-4 electives (e.g. Behavioral Economics, Machine Learning Techniques and Applied Finance)
- Business Communication and Negotiation II
- Personal Development and Career Services II

### SUMMER Semester

(mid-April – mid-July)

- 3-4 electives (e.g. Corporate Finance, Strategic Thinking and Forecasting and Stress Testing)
- Hands-on group project with a business client

## Admissions

### Deadlines

- 30 November with early-bird admission (tuition rate of 7,500 USD)
- 31 March with regular admission (tuition rate 9,500 USD)
- Scholarships and fellowships available

### Requirements

- BA or MA degree or equivalent in economics or related fields
- Solid background in mathematics (calculus and algebra)
- Proficiency in spoken and written English

### Admissions Process in 3 steps

- Submission of online application, including letter of motivation, 2 recommendations and photocopies of documents
- Math test (45 minutes, 5 problems)
- Admissions interview (in person or via Skype)