



Intercultural Management and Communication (120 ECTS)

The Master's Programme in Intercultural Management and Communication (IMCo) is your key to global understanding. This full time two-year programme combines cultural and communication studies with management studies. Its aim is to educate professionals who will work in networked societies and who will develop and apply organizational knowledge with expertise in communication in multicultural contexts.

The programme offers you the opportunity to develop into a specialist in managing diversity and communication processes in intercultural settings. With students coming from all over the world, you will live and study in a genuinely multilingual and multicultural environment. You will be taught by international teachers who are experts in their fields and who use innovative teaching methods which enhance community building and take into account the individuality of each learner.

You will learn:

- How to manage intercultural and multilingual communication in multicultural environments.
- The ways in which multiculturalism structures societies.
- The principles of how cultures function and how cultural identities are constructed.
- To approach culture and multiculturalism from the perspective of philosophy and ethics.
- Understand the mechanisms of communication and the role of digital media in a networked society.
- To navigate confidently and smoothly in a multicultural, multilingual world.

Multiculturalism, communication and cultural management are the focus of the Programme. The studies are divided into three basic modules:

- Cultures and Communication: Intercultural Communication, Comparative Cultural Studies, Philosophy of Multiculturalism, Communication Skills
- Management: Management and Leadership, Project Management and Organizational Communication
- Contemporary Culture: Semiotics of Culture and Media, Language, Society and Interaction, Popular Culture and Literature, Identity and Multiculturalism

With a Master's degree from the programme, you will be a specialist in intercultural communication and qualified for working in both public and private organisations, for example as an international coordinator, project manager, human resources manager, information officer, public relations specialist, researcher or educator.

The programme manager for the Master's in Intercultural Management and Communication is Daniel Rellstab. For further information about the programme see <http://www.uva.fi/en/education/master/imc/>.



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CULTURE AND COMMUNICATION 22 ECTS

IMCO3001	Comparative Cultural Studies, 5 ECTS
FIL02302	Philosophy of Multiculturalism, 5 ECTS
IMCO3002	Intercultural Communication, 7 ECTS
IMCO3003	Academic Communication Skills, 5 ECTS

INTERCULTURAL MANAGEMENT 20 ECTS

IMCO3004	Management and Leadership, 5 ECTS
IMCO3005	Organisational Communication, 5 ECTS
IMCO3006	Project Management, 10 ECTS

CONTEMPORARY CULTURE 20 ECTS

IMCO3007	Semiotics of Culture and Media, 5 ECTS
IMCO3008	Language, Society and Interaction, 5 ECTS
IMCO3009	Popular Culture, 5 ECTS
IMCO3010	Text, Identity and Multiculturalism, 5 ECTS

MASTER OF ARTS THESIS 30 ECTS

IMCO3099	M.A. Thesis: Research Seminar, 10 ECTS
IMCO3100	M.A. Thesis, 20 ECTS
KNÄY3001/3002/3003/3004/3005	M.A. Essay Exam, 0 ECTS

GENERAL STUDIES 3 ECTS

OPIS0060	Personal Study Plan, 1 ECTS
OPIS0025	Information Skills 1, 1 ECTS
OPIS0026	Information Skills 2, 1 ECTS

LANGUAGE STUDIES 5 ECTS

KSUO5111	Finnish for Foreigners 1, 5 ECTS
Or an optional course for native Finnish speakers	

OPTIONAL STUDIES 20 ECTS

For example:

KSUO5112	Finnish for Foreigners 2, 5 ECTS
CCS3002	Cultural Currents, 5 ECTS
CCS3003	Classic of Cultural Studies, 5 ECTS
CCS3004	Gender Studies, 5 ECTS
CCSE3023	Period Literature, 5 ECTS
KEY3005	Popularization, 5 ECTS
FIL02005	Ethics, 5 ECTS
IMCO3090	Internship
OPIS0012	Exchange studies