

FAQs German-Polish Double Degree Master (JGU applicants)

1. How does the application process work and what are my chances?

Our Double Degree study courses form an excellence program at Master's level with increased demands on the participants. The five places available can be awarded to students of the Master of Sc. in Management, the Master of Sc. in Accounting and Finance as well as the Master of Sc. in International Economics and Public Policy.

Beside the achievements from the Bachelor's program, the selection criteria include the quality and significance of the required motivation letter, possible experience abroad (for example through internships, employment, ERASMUS, etc.) as well as possible university and non-university commitment. In addition, the overall impression of the submitted application papers are taken into account.

If your documents convince us, interested applicants are invited to a personal interview.

2. Can I get any field reports from former program participants?

Of course, simply send us an email to fb03-international@uni-mainz.de.

3. By when do I have to apply for the Double Degree Master's program?

The annual application deadline is February 1st.

4. I start my regular Master's program in the summer semester. Can I still participate within the Double Degree program?

Yes, summer semester starters are just as welcome! However, since the study start in Warsaw is only possible in the winter semester, the duration of your Master's program is automatically extended to at least 5 semesters. The annual application deadline for summer semester starters is also February 1st.

5. Do I need to complete certain modules at JGU during my first year in order to participate in the Double Degree program?

Yes, all Double Degree students follow a certain study plan that is specially designed for the integrated program. Please contact us on time so that we can discuss your individual study course with you.

6. Am I required a certain English language level for an application, e.g. proved by a TOEFL, IELTS test, and by when must I have such a test?

Yes, you have to prove your English language level via an internationally recognized language certificate no later than the date of enrolment in Warsaw. This certificate should not be older than two years. If you don't hold such certificate at the time of application, you can submit it later.

7. How many students are accepted to the Double Degree program every year?

Every year, up to five students of JGU (Management, Accounting & Finance and International Economics & Public Policy) and five students from the partner university SGH (Management and Finance & Accounting) are accepted to the program.

8. Is it possible to extend the study program?

Yes, you can also extend your studies in the Double Degree program and, for example, only complete your Master's thesis in the fifth semester, provided that all respective enrolment requirements at both universities are met.

9. At which university do I write my Master's thesis?

Here you can freely choose between JGU and SGH. In any case, the respective regulations of the university of the supervisor (time schedule, correction deadlines, etc.) apply. As far as possible, the second reviewer comes from the partner university.

10. Which period of time do I spend abroad within the program?

The stay abroad in Warsaw usually lasts about 10 months (September to June). If necessary, however, the stay can be extended due to possible retake exams or similar.