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Istanbul Commerce University

ISTANBUL COMMERCE UNIVERSITY

MASTER PROGRAMS
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Adopting the concepts “Local Identity, Global Vision” as a principle, Istanbul Commerce University aims to educate students, who recognize local values as well as comprehend the global perspectives with the awareness of the importance of ethical values along with the qualifications of participation, spirit of sharing, observation, and competitiveness.

Located at the central and distinguished places of Istanbul, the city defined as the cradle of civilization, Istanbul Commerce University is a foundation university established in 2001, as the social responsibility project of the Istanbul Chamber of Commerce Foundation for Educational and Social Services.

With this background, Istanbul Commerce University which combines the university with business world, has been preparing its students to the future with more than 200 faculty members who are experts in their fields. Istanbul Commerce University invites and welcomes international applications from all over the world.

"If there was only one country in the world, its capital would be Istanbul" says Napoleon Bonaparte. Istanbul Commerce University provides its students with the opportunity of having a high quality education in the central places of Istanbul.

In a multicultural atmosphere enriched by a deep historical background for international students, the students enrolled in our university will have a chance to enjoy their education life abroad. Along with welcoming and comfortable environment of Istanbul, our students will learn through entertainment, socialize with different people from all around the world, and discover new cultures and new lifestyles.

Designed and located for the mentioned purposes above, Istanbul Commerce University has four separate campuses with high standard facilities, wide exhibition areas and recreation sites.

**OUR UNIVERSITY IN NUMBERS**

- Istanbul Commerce University is 11 years old.
- Four campuses at the central locations of Istanbul
- 5145 registered students in undergraduate and associate degree programs
- 781 registered students in Master’s and Doctoral programs
- 205 full-time faculty
- Six faculties and one vocational school
- Nine research and training centers
- Graduate education in three graduate schools
- 55 student clubs
- Conference halls for 1200 persons
- Newest campus in Sütülce located on 39,000 sqm indoor place
- The library of Sütülce Campus, located on 3160 sqm indoor place, serves with 124,000 books and e-books.
**Duration of Education:**
Duration of Education for Master degree programs is 4 semesters.

**Language of Instruction:**
The medium of instruction is mainly Turkish for Master’s Degree Programs.

**Health Insurance:**
Health Insurance will be provided to the international students who are granted full scholarship. The international students with partial scholarship and non-scholarship students need to issue their own health insurance.

**Tuition Fees**
All Master Programs:
- (Pre)-registration fee: 70 $ (VAT included)
- Tuition fee per lecture: 650 $ (VAT included)
- Master thesis fee: Computed as two course fees
- Studentship registration fee (for each semester registered): 70 $ (VAT included)

**Scholarship Opportunities**
Full and partial scholarship opportunities at different ratios are available for only Foreign Country citizens with the appreciation and evaluation of Admission Committee and with the confirmation of Board of Overseers. Full scholarship covers university tuition fees.

**Evaluation of Applications**
Applications are evaluated by “International Students Evaluation Commission” composed of at least five professors and formed by the rector of the university.
GENERAL CONDITIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION TO MASTER’S DEGREE PROGRAMS

1. Applicants with a foreign nationality,
2. Applicants who are Turkish citizens at birth but gain the permission of expatriation from Turkish citizenship from the Ministry of Internal Affairs and the applicants certificating that they own the certificate (Blue Card), related to the use of the rights given by the 5203 numbered law, gained by their under age children registered in their certificate of expatriation from Turkish citizenship,
3. Dual nationality holders who have a foreign nationality at birth but gain a TR citizenship later on,
4. Applicants who hold a TR nationality, complete the last three years of their high school education in a foreign country except TRNC,
5. Applicants who hold a TRNC nationality and reside in TRNC and complete their secondary education in TRNC should have GCE AL exam results.

HOW TO APPLY?
Applications are made by delivering the required documents stated below within the date announced on the web site of the university by hand in person, via internet or by post.

APPLICATION DATES
Application dates are announced on December and July for Graduate Programs on the web site of our university.

ONLINE APPLICATION
Online Applications can be made via International Office at international@ticaret.edu.tr
DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR APPLICATION

1. Application form,
2. Three passport size photos.
3. Results of one of the valid ALES or GRE, GMAT exams,
4. Valid certificate of equivalence by The Council of Higher Education for diplomas received from Foreign Country higher education foundations,
5. TOMER certificate (B2 and above) showing that he/she has the knowledge of Turkish to follow the graduate programs or he/she should be successful at the placement test carried out by the university,
6. Reference letter,
7. Turkish or English translation of undergraduate diploma,
8. Turkish or English translation of undergraduate transcript and the document showing the lecture contents,
9. For the applications to the programs taught in English, Score report showing that he/she received at least 65 points from UDS/KPDS Exam (or the minimum scores from one the following tests: TOEFL-IBT: 78, TOEFL-CBT: 207, TOEFL-PBT: 540-543, IELTS: 4,5).

DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR REGISTRATION

(Registration are made by the Secretariat of Graduate Schools)

1. Original or notary certified copy of the exam results of one of the valid ALES or GRE, GMAT exams (for the applications to thesis programs only),
2. Original or notary certified copy of valid certificate of equivalence by The Council of Higher Education for diplomas received from Foreign Country higher education foundations,
3. Original or notary certified copy of TOMER certificate (B2 and above) showing that he/she has the knowledge of Turkish to follow the graduate programs,
4. Original or notary certified copy of education visa to be received from Foreign Delegations,
5. Notary certified copy of the pages displaying official identity or passport showing credentials,
6. Residence permit,
7. Bachelor’s diploma and its notary certified copy in English or Turkish,
8. Bachelor’s transcript and its notary certified copy in English or Turkish.
9. Undergraduate transcript and its notary certified copy in English or Turkish. For the applications to the programs taught in English, Score report showing that he/she received at least 65 points from UDS/KPDS Exam (or the minimum scores from one the following tests: TOEFL-IBT: 78, TOEFL-CBT: 207, TOEFL-PBT: 540-543, IELTS: 4,5).

Applicants who do not have a Turkish Language Certificate and/or score report of ALES (except for UDS/KPDS) can enroll by taking conditional acceptance. In this situation, they sign a written contract stating that they will fulfill their pre-enrollment liabilities.
I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

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II. EDUCATION INFORMATION

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III. TEST RESULTS AND CERTIFICATES

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IV. LANGUAGE SKILLS

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V. OTHER INFORMATION

Please provide any information you consider relevant to your application (hobbies, volunteer activities, etc.)
VI. CHOICE OF DEPARTMENT

List all the departments you are applying to in order of preference. Check the scholarship type if you want to apply to the scholarship department. Please note that scholarship quotas are limited and highly competitive. Only the students with outstanding academic records are eligible for scholarship.

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VII. FAMILY INFORMATION & ECONOMIC DATA

If you apply for scholarship, we recommend you to provide the information on your family members and relevant economic data. If you are not applying for scholarship, you may skip this part.

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I certify that the information given above is correct and accurate to the best of my knowledge. Fraudulent representation or falsification of information will result in termination of my application / enrollment and any scholarship granted.

Application Date: .... / .... / 2013
Signature: