

# Joint Master in EU Trade & Climate Diplomacy

Learn how to drive sustainability  
into EU global policy

## Introduction

The **Joint Master in EU Trade & Climate Diplomacy** seeks to provide analytical and negotiation skills through evidence-based studies and practical project work on critical areas of the program: Sustainability & Climate, Trade & Investment, and Digital Cooperation. The curriculum focuses on how to act, reflect, and participate in strategic trade and climate policy negotiations between Europe and other geopolitical powers with a wide range of economic and digital intelligence tools.

## Objectives

The program arms students with critical thinking and deep technical knowledge of complex bi and multilateral rule-based agreements in order to become an asset for the public, nonprofit, and private sectors in diverse fields that include policy analysis, security analysis, trade and economic development, foreign affairs and diplomacy, international finance, digital and environmental policy.

## Participants

The program is intended for a new generation of policymakers from a wide range of national and cultural backgrounds that strive to enforce the EU's leadership in fair trade and climate action while serving a broader sustainability agenda of social justice.

## Program Description

**ECTS: 60**

### Term I

EU Governance

#### Rome, Luiss

October 2022 to January 2023

- | European Politics in the 20th Century
- | Policies and Policymaking in the European Union
- | EU Institutions
- | European Macroeconomics
- | The Foreign Policy of the European Union

### Term II

EU Climate Diplomacy

#### Berlin, CIFE

February to April 2023

- | EU Law for Biodiversity Conservation, a Sustainable Development Approach
- | Science Diplomacy
- | New Climate Diplomacy and EU Climate Action
- | Sharing Economy and Socially Just Ecological Transition

### Term III

EU Trade & Investment Diplomacy

#### Nice, CIFE

April to June 2023

- | Trade Diplomacy and EU Policymaking
- | Innovative Forms of Collective Action in the Digital Society
- | Europe's AI and Digital Connectivity
- | Economic Diplomacy, EU External Investment for the Sustainable Development Goals

### Cross-Module

Applied Research & Project Management

October 2022 - June 2023

This term is dedicated to

applied research and project management. Students participate in applied research throughout the Rome, Berlin and Nice sessions. The module includes project work, practical case studies and thesis writing.

## Classes

Classes generally take place on weekdays. The course tries to allow students one free day per week for individual study.

## Dates

October 2022 - June 2023

## Faculty

The program is led by **Giovanni Orsina**, Director of the Luiss School of Government and Full Professor of Contemporary History and **Arnaud Leconte**, Program Director at CIFE (Centre International de Formation Européenne) and Professor of Sustainable Economics and Finance.

The faculty also includes:

- | **Christian Blasberg**, Adjunct Professor of European Political History and academic coordinator of the Luiss School of Government's international programs.
- | **Piero Esposito**, Researcher in Macroeconomic Governance, International Trade and Competitiveness of European Countries, Luiss School of European Political Economy.
- | **Cristina Fasone**, Assistant Professor of Comparative Public Law, Department of Political Science, Luiss University.
- | **Giacomo Luchetta**, Lecturer of EU Policies and

Policymaking, Luiss School of Government and Senior Consultant at Economisti Associati.

- **Ramona Samson**, Policy Adviser at Directorate-General for Research & Innovation, at the European Commission
- **Pascal Delisle**, Head of Economic, Development, Environment and Digital Issues of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations in Geneva
- **Sami Zeidan**, Legal Advisor of the Delegation of the European Union to the UN in Geneva
- **Marta Ballesteros**, Brussels Associate Senior Manager, Milieu Law and Policy Consulting
- **Antje Bruns**, Head of the Governance & Sustainability Lab at Trier University in Germany
- **Lothar Ehring**, Senior Expert at the European Commission, Directorate-General for Trade

## Career Service

A dedicated Career Service Office supports students' future employment focusing on three objectives:

- providing students training and tools in order to be effective in their employment search
- providing knowledge about the job market and careers to facilitate the definition of students' professional goals
- promoting contact with employers interested in offering curricular internship experiences

The Career Service Office is also available to support students in:

- preparation for important job interviews
- decision-making related to specific professional choices

## Events

Thanks to Luiss University's numerous events, students can interact with the job market, make contact with accredited professionals and participate in recruiting processes with employers, especially during our Career Days:

- **Career Day for Social Impact** – hosting representatives from the worlds of NGOs, institutions and international organizations
- **Brussels Day** – hosting more than 50 top Italian law firms from all fields
- **Luiss Career Day** – hosting nearly 100 companies, banks and consultancy firms
- **Career Day for Legal** – companies, international organizations and institutions from the heart of the EU

## COSTS

Tuition is € 11,000

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Students must have obtained a three-year bachelor's degree

### Documentation required for online application

- detailed CV with list of academic courses and professional experiences
- motivation letter explaining the candidate's interest in the program
- university transcript
- one reference letter (or contact of a potential referee)
- where applicable, a certificate of English proficiency (TOEFL, IELTS or by another recognized language institute)
- a copy of the applicant's national identity card or passport

## CONTACT INFORMATION

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