

Who we are

Founded in 1819, ESCP is the world's oldest business school.

Through its integrated campuses in Berlin, London, Madrid, Paris, Turin and Warsaw, ESCP teaches a global approach to leadership rooted in European multiculturalism.

All ESCP students are educated according to the shared values of responsibility, boldness and creativity, underpinned by the strong belief that business can make a positive contribution to society.

Every year, ESCP welcomes more than 11,500 international students representing 140 nationalities. Its strength lies in a distinctive portfolio of programmes, all offering a multi-campus European experience.

ESCP also educates more than 6,000 executives and senior leaders navigating today's global technological and environmental challenges.

Building on these strengths, ESCP aims to become the first European University of Management by 2030.

Our mission: To inspire and educate accountable, bold and creative business leaders who will have a positive impact on society and our planet.



ESCP by the numbers

200+ years of experience in education, entrepreneurship and European management

A European identity built over 50 years thanks to six campuses in major European capitals

Global recognition
#1 Master in Finance (Financial Times 2026)
#3 EMBA (Financial Times 2025)
#6 Master in Management (Financial Times 2026)
#4 European Business School (Financial Times 2025)
#1 Business School of the Year (Poets & Quants 2025)

165 prestigious academic agreements with universities and business schools around the world and across disciplines

11,500 students trained each year, representing **140 nationalities** and **6,000+ managers** in executive education programmes

A network of **95,000 Alumni** who are independent ambassadors of ESCP in over 193 countries

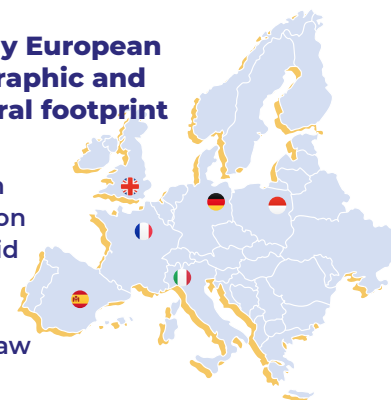
225 professors representing more than 45 nationalities

50 degree programmes including: Bachelors, Master in Management, Masters of Science, MBA, Executive Masters, Executive MBA, PhD and Executive PhD DBA Extension School programmes Executive Education programmes

A financially and legally **autonomous** school

A truly European geographic and cultural footprint

- Berlin
- London
- Madrid
- Paris
- Turin
- Warsaw



Open to the world

A network of 150 prestigious partners in 50 countries, including:
• North America: MIT | DUKE University | Columbia University | University of Texas at Austin | Simon Fraser University
• Asia: CEIBS | Fudan University | Tsinghua University | HKUST | IIM Ahmedabad

ESCP also has a campus in **Dubai**.

What sets ESCP apart: 7 key strengths

- 1 ESCP is the world's oldest business school.
- 2 Co-founded in 1819 by Jean-Baptiste Say, the French economist who coined the word entrepreneurship, ESCP has encouraged students to embrace the boldness of *entrepreneurship* for more than 200 years.
- 3 ESCP's unique pan-European model, rooted in the tradition of the European Enlightenment, places multiculturalism and interdisciplinarity at the heart of its programmes.
- 4 All ESCP programmes take place across at least two European campuses and enable students to earn up to five degrees, thanks to national accreditations in each of the six European countries where ESCP is established.
- 5 ESCP's academic excellence is recognised through four leading international accreditations: AACSB, EQUIS, EFMD MBA and EFMD EMBA.
- 6 Beyond developing expertise, ESCP educates students to become fulfilled, open-minded global citizens with strong critical-thinking skills and a clear understanding of major global technological and environmental challenges.
- 7 ESCP also inspires economic and political decision-makers: academic research is shared through institutes and research chairs, as well as with decision-making bodies and the media, helping to contribute to progress in society.

Bold & United: the 2026–2030 strategic plan, includes the creation of ESCP School of Technology in 2027 and ESCP School of Governance in 2029. Together, these two schools, joined by ESCP's historic business school, will support ESCP's ambition to become the first European University of Management by 2030, with a portfolio of hybrid programmes designed to develop the skills of the future.

Hybrid learning pathways for tomorrow's skills

ESCP offers a comprehensive portfolio of generalist and specialised degree and certificate programmes for students and professionals.

Generalist degrees aligned with the European "BMD" (Bachelor-Master-Doctorate) model:

- ESCP's **Bachelor** programmes are three- or four-year undergraduate degrees delivered across three campuses. They are designed for high-achieving students seeking an international academic experience from the very beginning of their studies. In just **ten years**, ESCP's BSc in Management has already educated more than **10,000 international students**.
- ESCP's flagship programme, the Master in Management (MiM), is accessible after French preparatory classes for 420 top-level students. They are joined one year later by 800 international students. The programme is **ranked #6 worldwide and #5 in Europe by the Financial Times in 2026**.
- The **MBA** and the **Executive MBA** (ranked **#3 worldwide and #1 in Europe in 2025**) are designed for experienced professionals and senior executives aiming to accelerate their careers.

ESCP x AI

In 2024, the partnership between ESCP and OpenAI marked an important step in integrating artificial intelligence into the School's teaching and research. By combining learning, practical applications and the development of an ethical framework for AI use, ESCP is strengthening its contribution to understanding artificial intelligence and its impact on both academia and the professional world.

An enhanced multi-campus student experience



To meet evolving technological and environmental standards, ESCP has launched a major transformation of its campuses. Projects include renovations in London, an extension in Berlin, the construction of a new site in Turin and an acquisition in Madrid.

In Paris, an ambitious renovation of the historic Avenue de la République campus, led by the Paris Île-de-France Chamber of Commerce and Industry, began in 2024. The project aims to bring together ESCP's heritage and a more sustainable, modern campus experience.

- ESCP offers a **PhD** for full-time researchers and an **Executive PhD** for senior professionals who wish to engage in applied research.

Specialised degrees:

ESCP offers 28 **Master of Science programmes** for students and working executives across all management disciplines and a wide range of sectors.

Certificates and short programmes:

ESCP also provides short continuing-education and certificate programmes, delivered in person or online, available as off-the-shelf or customised offerings to help managers and executives develop their skills in line with company needs.

Open research

ESCP's five **LIGHTS institutes** bring together research and debate around five major themes: Inclusive and humanistic leadership; Innovation and entrepreneurship; Geopolitics and business; Tech & Deep Tech; Sustainability.

A European incubator:

The **ESCP Blue Factory** supports students and professionals across ESCP campuses as they develop and launch the European businesses of tomorrow.

A committed leadership team



Prof. Thomas Jeanjean, Executive President & Dean

A graduate of École normale supérieure Paris-Saclay, Thomas Jeanjean holds the French agrégation in economics and management and a PhD from Paris Dauphine University. He began his career as a Professor of Accounting at HEC Paris before joining ESSEC Business School. From 2021 to 2026, he served as Deputy Director General for Education at the Paris Île-de-France Chamber of Commerce and Industry, where he led the educational strategy for a portfolio of 14 schools covering fields including management, engineering, design, culinary arts and technology. His career combines academic research, experience in higher-education governance and the leadership of large-scale transformations.



Prof. Francesco Rattalino, Senior Executive Vice-President for Academic Affairs

Francesco Rattalino holds a PhD from the University of Turin and is an alumnus of Harvard Business School's GLOCOLL programme. He became Dean of ESCP's Turin Campus in 2013. Under his leadership, student numbers increased sixfold and the campus obtained foreign-university status from the Italian Ministry of Education, Universities and Research. His research focuses on strategy execution, family businesses and internationalisation. He has also worked for major multinational companies in the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, the United States and Italy.



Prof. Cécile Kharoubi-Rakotomalala, Senior Executive Vice-President for Inclusion, Diversity, Student Experience and Extension School & Dean of the Paris Campus

Cécile Kharoubi holds a joint PhD from Paris Dauphine University and ESSEC Business School and is a Professor in ESCP's Finance Department. Her research focuses on financial risk modelling and management, as well as the hedge-fund industry. She has published numerous academic articles on these topics. She also leads the Financial Markets specialisation within ESCP's Master in Management programme.



Prof. Cédric Denis-Rémis, Executive Vice-President for Executive Education and Corporate Relations & Dean of ESCP School of Technology

Cédric Denis-Rémis holds a PhD from École des Mines de Paris and has built his career at the intersection of technological innovation, entrepreneurship and higher education. He previously served as Vice-President of PSL University, with responsibility for development, innovation, entrepreneurship and executive education. Before that, as Deputy Director of Mines Paris-PSL, he founded and led the Institute for Higher Education in Innovation and Entrepreneurship (IHEIE). He has also led several international academic initiatives, particularly in China, including the China-EU Institute for Clean and Renewable Energy and the Shanghai Jiao Tong-ParisTech Institute of Technology.



Prof. Maria Koutsovoulou, Dean of Faculty

Maria Koutsovoulou holds a PhD in Psychology from Université Paris Descartes – Paris V. At ESCP, she brings her teaching and research experience to both students and professionals participating in Executive Education programmes. She specialises in negotiation, leadership and organisational behaviour, with a particular interest in trust and identity. Her approach places particular emphasis on human and collective dynamics.



Anais RAVET, Secretary General

A graduate of Sciences Po and ESCP Executive Education, Anais Ravet has dedicated her career to education in an international context. After working on the development of Alliance Française in China and supporting the international education mission of the Paris Île-de-France Chamber of Commerce and Industry, she joined ESCP in 2019 as Director of Studies for the Master in Management. Following her role as Chief of Staff to the Dean, where she supported the development of the Bold & United strategic plan, she has been Secretary General of ESCP since May 2026.