

Joint European Master in International Migration and Social Cohesion

The postgraduate programme in International and Intercultural Studies at the University of Deusto offers a Master's degree in International Migrations and Social Cohesion. A PhD programme is offered in International and Intercultural Studies, also taught through the Pedro Arrupe Human Rights Institute.

A consortium of European universities (Amsterdam, Deusto, University College Dublin, Latvia, Osnabrück and Poitiers) offer the Joint European Master's in International Migrations and Social Cohesion (MISOCO). This has been recognised as an Erasmus Mundus programme by the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency of the European Commission (EACEA).

These studies focus on in-depth knowledge of international migrations and integration of immigrants in destination societies. The main aim is to equip participants with the necessary competences to carry out quality research and analysis on international migrations and population movements taking place in the world today. Examination of social cohesion strategies and processes now being implemented are key aspects of the programme. This degree also prepares students to begin professional practice, either designing or implementing immigration policy at local, regional, national or European levels. Graduates from the Master's degree are equipped to take up high level positions such as: managers, administrators, advisors, consultants, etc. in governmental institutions as well as NGOs and associations.

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