

FACT SHEET 2021 - 2022

University of Antwerp - Faculty of Business and Economics



University of Antwerp
Faculty of Business
and Economics

Let's shape the future

University of Antwerp

The University of Antwerp (UAntwerp) has a history dating back to 1852. In October 2003, three universities in Antwerp were brought together to form the University we know today. UAntwerp is a public research university and has a wide array of faculties, departments, programmes, centres and many affiliated organisations.

Antwerp is an international city, known as the **economic cornerstone of Flanders**. It has a rich cultural heritage and is located in the heart of Europe.

Rector

Prof. dr. Herman Van Goethem

Faculties and institutions

UAntwerp hosts **9 faculties** and **2 institutions**:

- Business and Economics
- Applied Engineering
- Arts
- Design Sciences
- Law
- Medicine and Health Sciences
- Pharmaceutical, Biomedical and Veterinary Sciences
- Sciences
- Social Sciences
- Antwerp School of Education
- Institute of Development Policy and Management

Students 2021-2022

In 2021 - 2022, a total of **23 074 students** study at the University of Antwerp. Of those students, 23.6% are international, representing **130 nationalities**.

Rankings

- QS World 2021: **233**
- QS 50 under 50 2021: **20**
- Times Higher Education World 2021: **143**
- Times Higher Education Millennials 2020: **5**
- Times Higher Education Young 2021: **11**
- Times Higher Education Global Employability Ranking 2020: **155**
- Shanghai World University (ARWU) 2021: **201-300**
- Best Global University 2021: **212**

Alumni

80 000+

University code

B ANTWERP 01

Website

www.uantwerp.be



Faculty of Business and Economics

The history of the Faculty of Business and Economics (FBE) can be traced back to 1852. Since then, it has evolved into the **most international economic faculty** in Flanders. FBE's campus is uniquely located in the heart of Antwerp's vibrant and historic city centre.

FBE's mission is to shape new generations of competent graduates and academics, and develop them into critical-thinking researchers, executives, entrepreneurs and policy makers, with an ethical awareness and a global mind set.

FBE offers **5 bachelor, 12 initial master, 1 advanced master and 1 doctoral programme(s)**.

Dean

Prof. dr. Koen Vandenbempt

Departments

Academic research, education and services are carried out by **7 departments**, to which we welcome international researchers and professors on a regular basis.

The departments are:

- Accountancy and Finance
- Economics
- Engineering Management
- Management
- Management Information Systems
- Marketing
- Transport and Regional Economics

Students 2021-2022

In 2021 - 2022, a total of **2 969 students** study at the Faculty of Business and Economics. Of those students, 19% are international, representing 77 nationalities.

Alumni

20 000+ active members

Network

FBE has close ties with an extensive socio-economic network, including the Antwerp Management School (AMS), the City and Province of Antwerp, the Port of Antwerp and the diamond, fashion and chemical industry.

Accreditations

The (inter)national accreditations that FBE has received from **NVAO, AACSB** and **EFMD** testify to the high quality of education and research. This recognition ensures students will be able to have a wide range of international opportunities on all continents.



Since 2002



Since 2005



Since 2010

International honor society



since 2016

International collaboration opportunities

With 115 active distinguished exchange partner institutions from 41 countries around the world, FBE offers an extensive range of opportunities, including:

Student mobility

- Student exchange
 - » Erasmus
 - » Partner agreements
- 4 initial Master's degree, double degree
 - » Master of Science in Business Economics (60 ECTS)
 - » Master of Science in Economic Policy (60 ECTS)
 - » Master of Science in Digital Business Engineering (120 ECTS)
 - » Master of Science in Financial Business Engineering (120 ECT)
- Summer schools
 - » Companies Crossing Borders
 - » From Mine to Finger, a deep dive in the world of diamonds
 - » Experience Entrepreneurship
 - » Fashion Management in Antwerp and Paris
 - » Urban Logistics
- Non-degree customised programmes for student cohorts
- International week on sustainability ('I-week') from 7-11 March 2022

Joint PhD mobility

- Joint or double PhD

Faculty mobility

- Faculty exchange

Programmes in English

- Bachelor in Social-Economic Sciences (180 ECTS)
- Master of Science in Business Economics (60 ECTS)
- Master of Science in Economic Policy (60 ECTS)
- Master of Science in Digital Business Engineering (120 ECTS): new as of 2022 - 2023
- Master of Science in Financial Business Engineering (120 ECT): new as of 2022 - 2023
- Advanced Master of Science in Maritime and Air Transport Management (60 ECTS), with AMS
- PhD of Applied Economics

Academic year

The academic year begins end of September and runs until early July. It consists of two semesters, each comprising 13 weeks of instruction, an examination period and a holiday period. There are two periods of examinations (January and June). Students who have not passed these first exams get a second chance during the second examination period (August).

A normal workload for 1 semester is 30 ECTS credits. We expect incoming students to take at least 20 ECTS credits. The deadline for nomination is October 15th for the spring semester and April 15th for the autumn semester.

Language requirements

Courses are offered in Dutch and English. Students have to prove proficiency in English by submitting one of the following language certificates:

- ITACE, FCE, Erasmus+: minimum level B2
- TOEFL: minimum score 80
- IELTS: minimum score 6.5

Additionally, students can prove proficiency if they obtained at least 60 ECTS credits in an English-language bachelor or master programme. The board of admission may still ask for additional proof, demonstrated by a language certificate.



Contact



Faculty of Business and Economics
Stadscampus, Gebouw A, lokaal A.003
Prinsstraat 13
2000 Antwerpen
Belgium

Tel. +32 3 265 47 97
Fax. +32 3 265 47 99
www.uantwerpen.be/fbe

Contact information

Dean

Prof. dr. Koen Vandenbempt
koen.vandenbempt@uantwerpen.be

Vice Dean

Prof. dr. Ann Jorissen
ann.jorissen@uantwerpen.be

Director International relations & development

Ms. Lena Candries
lena.candries@uantwerpen.be







International mobility coordinator

Hervée Claeys
exchange.fbe@uantwerpen.be

Administrator English Master's programmes

Ms. Christine Vanspeybroeck
master.fbe@uantwerpen.be

Follow us on social media

-  Universiteit Antwerpen - Faculteit Bedrijfswetenschappen en Economie
-  Faculteit Bedrijfswetenschappen en Economie UAntwerpen
-  UAntwerpen
-  @uantwerpenfbe
-  @uantwerpenfbe
-  @UAntwerpenFBE



University of Antwerp
| Faculty of Business
and Economics