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Thinking globally in Barcelona

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A community of just over 200 students, in which there is a real possibility to forge lasting friendships and professional contacts.



Specializing in the field of international studies, IBEI's research is cross-cutting and interdisciplinary, and often has immediate policy relevance.

Letter from the President and the Director

Narcís Serra & Jacint Jordana

2018 has been a year of progress for IBEI. A significant number of new research projects and grants from competitive sources have been obtained this year. In this regard, one of the highlights would be GLOBE, a Horizon 2020 collaborative project about future trends in global governance that will be coordinated by IBEI. In parallel, IBEI has started to accept PhD students from UAB, UB and UPF programmes, who collaborate in our research projects under the supervision of IBEI faculty. Such developments, among others, reinforce the interactions between research and learning activities, shaping the distinctive character of IBEI as a community of scholars strongly committed to discovering and learning.

The progressive consolidation of a varied offer of graduate programmes in international studies at IBEI has been complemented with the establishment of a new Master's Programme in Research in International Studies, a two-year programme that was granted initial accreditation this year. The Master's programmes in International Development and in International Security, launched a few years ago, have now become solid pillars of our

teaching offer, reinforcing and energizing, as specialist programmes, our commitment to developing a world-class graduate school in international studies.

Student satisfaction with our Master's programmes has continued improving, and a number of initiatives and actions have been undertaken to provide a better learning experience to all participants in the Master's programmes offered at IBEI. In particular, a special effort has been made to familiarize students with professional skills and practices, launching a practitioner lecture series and expanding our offer of professional workshops. Reinforcing such connections is a top priority for IBEI as a way of promoting the professional success of our graduate students.



Narcís Serra,
IBEI President



Jacint Jordana,
IBEI Director

Graduate Programmes

4 Master Programmes



Master's in International Development



Master's in International Relations



Master's in International Security

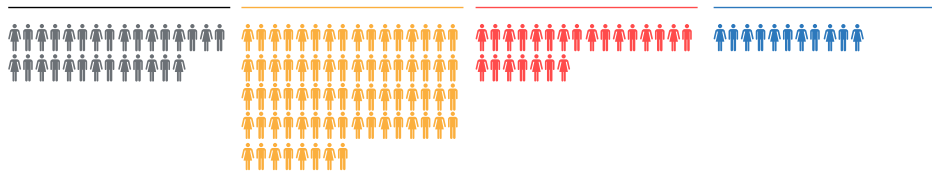


Erasmus Mundus Master's in Public Policy (Mundus MAPP)

The Master's degrees are assessed and certified by the Catalan University Quality Assurance Agency (AQU) and officially accredited by the Spanish Council of Universities and the European Higher Education Area.



134 Students (total intake) Class of 2018-19



29

Master's in International Development

71

Master's in International Relations

23

Master's in International Security

11

Erasmus Mundus Master's in Public Policy (Mundus MAPP)

210 Total master students 2018

New intake students



Previous year students



Student profile 2018-19 (intake)

Average age



26 Years

Nationalities



41

Gender



57% Female **43%** Male

Most represented countries



Spain, USA, UK, Germany, Brazil & Italy

Student profile by masters (intake)



Master's in International Development

Average age

26 Years

Gender

79% Female **21%** Male



Master's in International Relations

Average age

26 Years

Gender

58% Female **42%** Male



Master's in International Security

Average age

27 Years

Gender

35% Female **65%** Male



Erasmus Mundus Master's in Public Policy (Mundus MAPP)

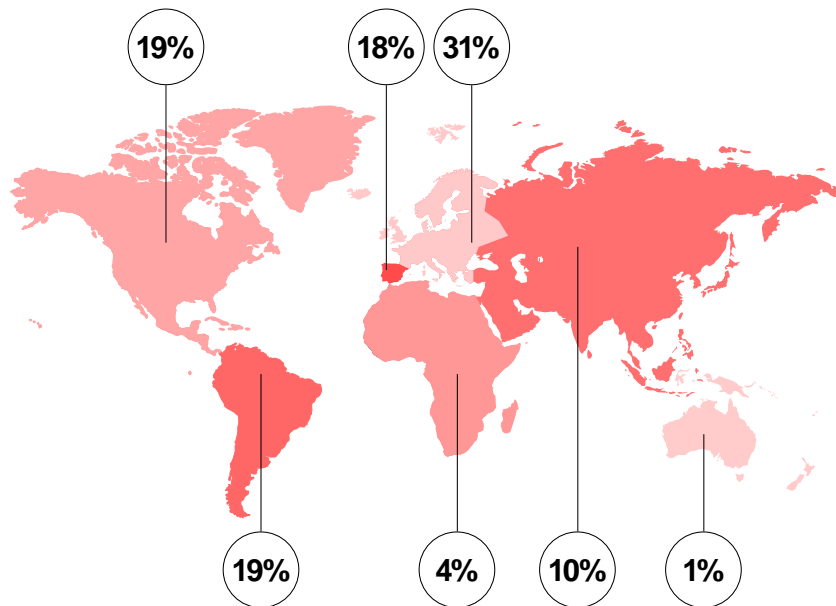
Average age

27 Years

Gender

36% Female **64%** Male

Students by origin



+60 Elective courses



Master's
in International
Development



Master's
in International
Relations



Master's
in International
Security



Erasmus Mundus
Master's in Public Policy
(Mundus MAPP)

Professional Internship Programme

Curricular
internships in 2018

45

Extracurricular
internships in 2018

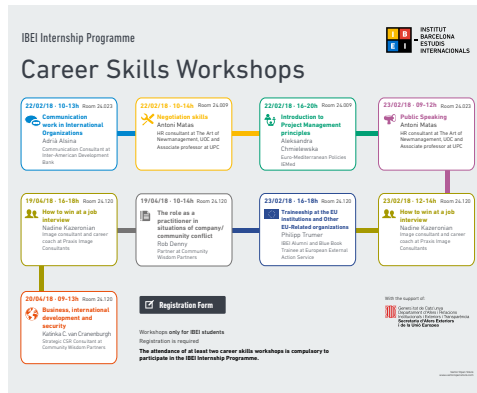
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Total internships conducted
by IBEI students in 2018

60

| Barcelona | Rest of Spain | Abroad |
|-----------|---------------|--------|
| 44 | 3 | 13 |

Career Skills Workshops



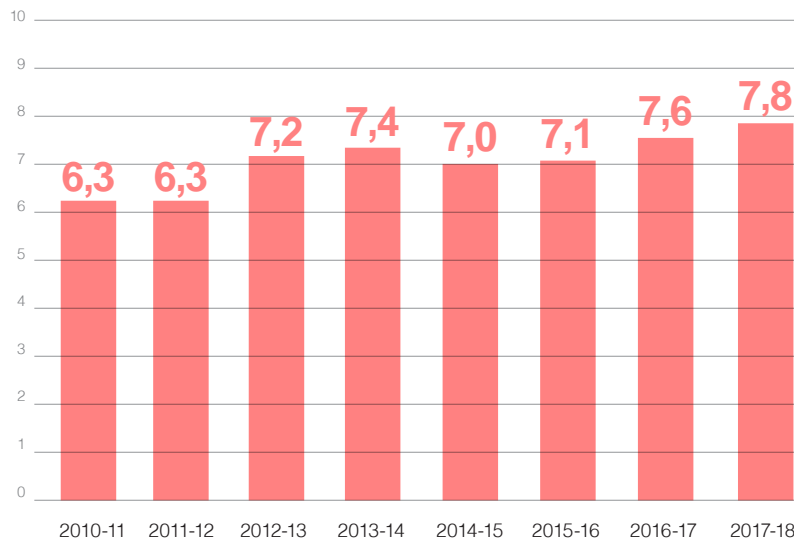
Throughout the master's degree, seminars are offered to provide knowledge related to skills such as oratory, project management, negotiation and protocol, communication, etc.

Practitioner Seminar Series



The aim of these conferences is to offer students the opportunity to engage with international professionals about their personal work experience, the organizations they represent, and to learn about possible career paths in international governmental and non-governmental organizations.

Global Satisfaction with the Masters



Financial Aid and Scholarships

IBEI, in collaboration with other institutions, offers the possibility to apply for scholarships that partially or completely cover the registration fee for the master's programmes

Sabadell
Fundación

Fundación
Carolina

Fundació
Catalunya
La Pedrera

indra



Co-funded by the
Erasmus+ Programme
of the European Union



Other Programmes

3 Summer Schools



Barcelona Summer School in Global Politics, Development and Security

With the support of



In collaboration with



Global Affairs Summer Scholars Programme, jointly organized with the Barcelona International Public Policy Hub (BIPP HUB)



5th Summer School on the Digital Transformation in Latin America

3 Executive courses

Taught in collaboration with Escuela de Gobierno y Políticas Públicas de la Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú (PUCP) under the framework of the Barcelona'gov academic network



Leadership and public management



Strategic and operational planning and articulation



Strategic leadership in public management and citizen security policies



1 Autumn School



The Challenges of Internet Governance
Co-organized together with the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN) and the Consorci de Serveis Universitaris de Catalunya (CSUC).



With the support of



1 Online Course



International Relations, Geopolitics and Global Governance
Jointly offered by IBEI and Universitat Oberta de Catalunya (UOC)



Alumni

Mentorship Programme

136

**Alumni volunteered
to become mentors**

94

**New students
as mentees**

Alumni Professional Stories

Ada Mulloí

Master's in International Relations 2013-2015

Freelance Journalist and Coordinator of a publication on the MENA region

Barcelona, Spain

“My advice to all prospective IBEI students would be: take the Master's really seriously and give the best of yourselves in every assignment and project – it is always worth it, and you will learn a great deal, even about the most unexpected topics that maybe were not among your main interests when you were thinking of studying at IBEI.”

Víctor Rico Reche

Master's in International Relations 2012-2013

Policy Officer at the European Commission

Brussels, Belgium

“Through this master, I had the opportunity to work as an intern at the Embassy of Spain in South Korea. Immediately after that internship, I found a job in a Korean company and I stayed working in Seoul for almost two years.”

Xavier Palacios

Master's in International Relations 2012-2013

Freelance – Political Analyst

Spain - Cyprus

“In addition to providing me with a solid academic foundation, this programme allowed me to gain a better awareness of current global political trends in international relations and how to understand them. IBEI also prepares you for working in multicultural environments, a key issue for students who want to pursue a professional career abroad.”

Alumni Professional Stories

Guillaume Berret Coppi

Master's in International Relations 2014-2015
Project Officer at the World Association
of the Major Metropolises – Metropolis
Barcelona, Spain

“I enjoyed the quality of the program and classes, the implication of the professors to provide intellectually stimulating contents, the kindness of the administrative staff always ready to help. I also enjoyed that other students were coming from other background than IR or political science, that openness made the debates in class always interesting!”

Lisa Stegall

Master's in International Relations 2014-2015
Project Manager Economic & Social Development Middle East at KfW Development Bank
Frankfurt, Germany

“The Master's in International Relations definitely prepared me for the political dimension of my work and helped me understand the history and background of the ongoing conflicts in the region I am now working in.”

Virgina (Hui) Zhang

Master's in International Relations 2012-2013
MBA/MA at Wharton Business School & Lauder Institute
of the University of Pennsylvania
Philadelphia, USA

“My education at IBEI prepared me to deal with the sophisticated dynamics existing between governments, indigenous groups, and other stakeholders. The development courses at IBEI laid out a solid foundation for me to understand the infrastructure sector in Latin America, and the cases we studied in classes turned out to be highly applicable when dealing with similar situations in real life.”

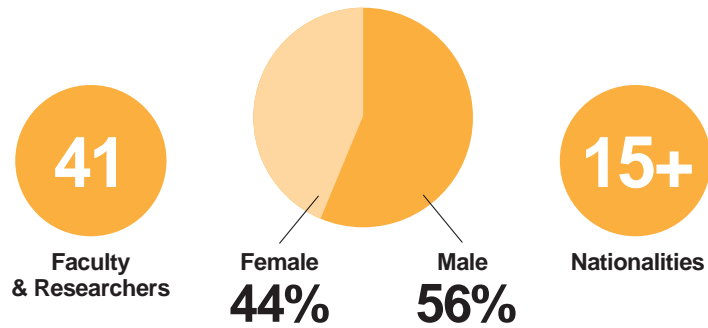
Juan Carlos Triviño-Salazar

Erasmus Mundus Master's Program in Public Policy 2008-2009
Postdoctoral Researcher Juan de la Cierva-Formación IBEI
Barcelona, Spain

“It has been one of the most life-rewarding experiences I have ever had. I arrived in a very young institution with a very energizing teaching staff that everyday motivated and expanded my way of thinking. The proximity of the teachers and the cohesiveness of my class were important elements that enriched my experience.”

Faculty & Research

Faculty & Research



Researchers 2018

| | |
|---|----|
| University Associated & Full Professors | 6 |
| Associate Professors | 5 |
| Tenure-track Professors | 6 |
| Postdoctoral Fellows | 13 |
| Research Assistants & PhD trainees | 11 |

New Research Fellows



Diego Badell Sánchez
Predoctoral Fellow FPI



Ivan Cerrillo Martín
Research Assistant



Joan Clos
Distinguished Fellow



Fernando Hortal
Research Assistant



Alba Huidobro Torres
Predoctoral Fellow FPI



Shashwat Kumar
Predoctoral Fellow,
Marie S. Curie European
Training Network, H2020



Anna Kyriazi
Postdoctoral Researcher
Juan de la Cierva-
Formación



Adrià Rivera Escartin
Predoctoral Fellow FPU



Charles Roger
Assistant Professor



+50

Affiliated faculty

18

Faculty & Research Visitors to IBEI

6

IBEI Researchers visiting other institutions

Training & Scientific events

39

Research Seminars

25

International Speakers

14

Lectures

18

Workshops

22 Ongoing research projects

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Institute for Self-Government Studies (IEA)

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Agency for Management of Universities and Research Grants (AGAUR)

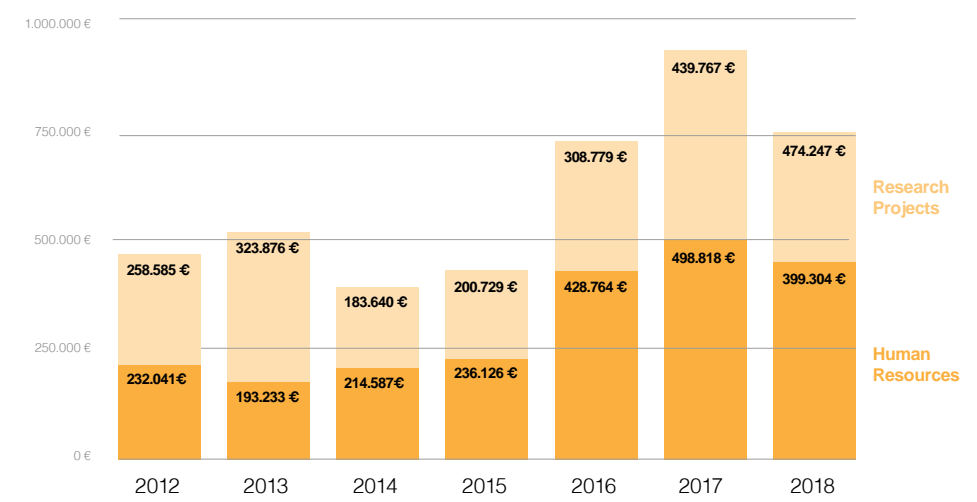
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Spanish Research Agency (AEI)

4

European Commission

Competitive Research Funding



Publications 2018

| | |
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| Papers published in high impact peer-reviewed journals (Q1-Q2) | 15 |
| Papers published in other peer-reviewed journals | 3 |
| Books and monographs | 4 |
| Book chapters | 7 |
| Books reviews | 2 |

Scientific Council

Jacint Jordana

Director, IBEI
Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Pere Vilanova

Professor, Universitat de Barcelona

Caterina Garcia

Professor, Universitat Pompeu Fabra

Juan Jesús Pérez

Professor, Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya

Ana Sofia Cardenal

Professor, Universitat Oberta de Catalunya

Martin Shaw

Research Professor, IBEI
Emeritus Professor, University of Sussex

Laura Chaqués Bonafont

Senior Research Associate, IBEI
Professor, Universitat de Barcelona

Juan Díez Medrano

Senior Research Fellow, IBEI
Professor, Universidad Carlos III Madrid

Esther Barbé

Senior Research Fellow, IBEI
Professor, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Robert Kissack

Head of Studies & Associate Professor, IBEI

Matthias vom Hau

Research Coordinator & Associate Professor,
IBEI

International Academic Council

Javier Solana

ESADE Center for Global Economy
and Geopolitics (ESADEgeo)

Carles Boix

Princeton University

Susana Borrás

Copenhagen Business School

John Braithwaite

Australian National University

Jean Grugel

University of York

Christopher Hill

University of Cambridge

Knud Erik Jørgensen

Aarhus University

Mary Kaldor

London School of Economics
and Political Science

Stathis Kalyvas

University of Oxford

Nico Krisch

Graduate Institute for International
and Development Studies Geneva

José Maria Maravall

St Antony's College (Oxford).
Universidad Complutense de Madrid

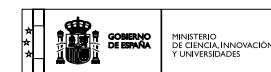
José Antonio Ocampo

Columbia University

Michael Zürn

Berlin Social Science Center (WZB).
Freie University Berlin

Research Funding Sponsors



About IBEI

Economic Data



3,3 budget

(in millions €)

Income 2017-18

Other Income

1,1%
35.477,17 €

Board of Patrons

11,0%
363.436,67 €

Research Projects

30,1%
997.409,22 €

Training Activities

57,9%
1.921.481,52 €

Total Income 3.317.804,58 €

Expenditure 2017-18

Structure

10,4%
340.746,65 €

Research Activities

12,2%
398.916,20 €

Training Programmes

26,6%
869.856,86 €

Faculty and Administration Staff

50,8%
1.662.727,52 €

Total Expenditure 3.272.247,23 €

New Agreements

2

Executive and other educational programmes agreements

4

Exchange agreements

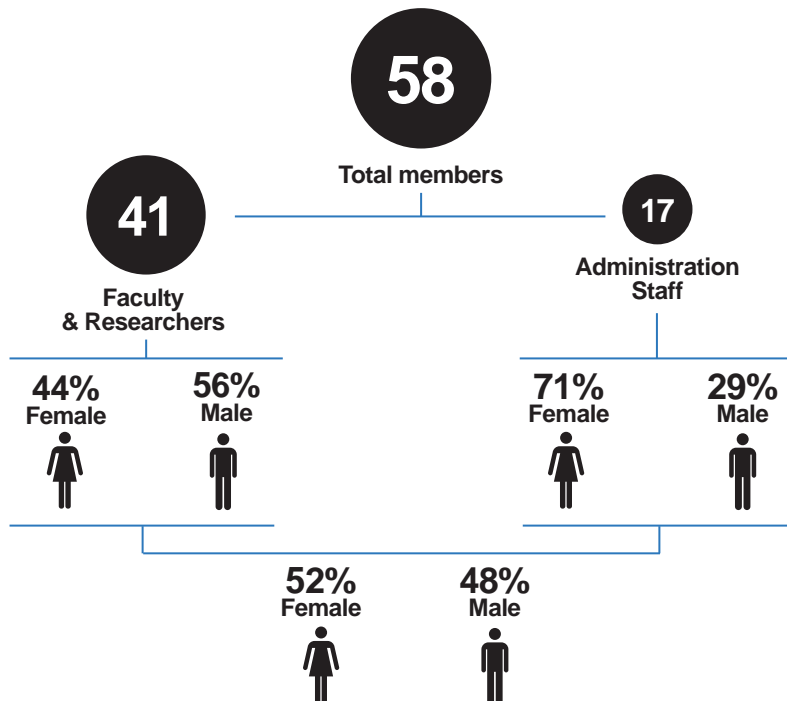
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Internship agreements with private & public institutions

Board of Patrons



Total number of Staff



Social Media & Web (December 2018)

Twitter Followers



2.576

Facebook Followers



3.631

People who visited
the web in 2018



105.599

Visits



188.395

Pages per visit
on average



3

Highlights

1

At the beginning of 2018 IBEI reorganized its research activities by forming 5 cross-cutting and interdisciplinary **research clusters**:

- **Globalization and Public Policy**
- **Norms and Rules in International Politics**
- **Institutions, Inequality and Development**
- **Security, Conflict and Peace**
- **States, Diversity and Collective Identities**



2

Five new pathways in the Master's in International Relations:

- **Conflict, Threats and Violence in Global Politics**
- **Global Governance**
- **International Environmental Policy**
- **International Political Economy**
- **Mediterranean Area Studies**



3

IBEI participated at the **XXXVI International Congress of the Latin American Studies Association (LASA)**, which took place in Barcelona in May 2018.



4

On September 2018 IBEI launched a new online self-registration and **Virtual Academic Office** for the Master's Degrees.



5

IBEI students developed new initiatives in 2018: **ARGUS** (an IBEI's student-run journal on Global Affairs, monthly presenting the students' perspectives on IR) and **BRAINSTAGE** (an interactive interview platform formed by IBEI students).



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In October 2018, the CEO of the **Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN)**, Göran Marby, gave a lecture on the challenges of “regulating” the cyberspace at IBEI. The lecture was part of the Autumn School on “The Challenges of Internet Governance”, jointly organized by the Internet Corporation for Assigned Names and Numbers (ICANN), the **Consorci de Serveis Universitaris de Catalunya (CSUC)** and IBEI.



7

Together with the Universitat Oberta de Catalunya (UOC), in 2018 IBEI offered a new online specialization course in **International Relations, Geopolitics and Global Governance**.



8

In 2018 IBEI started the HRS4R process (on 15 January 2019, IBEI was awarded the **HR Excellence in Research** distinction by the European Commission).



HR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH



9

In December 2018 the agreement for the **H2020 collaborative project Global Governance and the European Union: Future Trends and Scenarios (GLOBE)**, coordinated by IBEI, was signed.

Over the next 3 years, the project will focus on the issues defined as strategic priorities in the 2016 EU Global Strategy: trade and development, security, the politics of climate change, migration and global finance.



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