

**TOPICS FOR THE ORAL ENTRANCE EXAMS OF MASTER  
PROGRAMME**  
**relevant for training programme starting**  
**in February and September, 2015**

**MASTER IN INTERNATIONAL ECONOMY AND BUSINESS (FULL-TIME PROGRAMME)**

**RELEVANT INFORMATION!**

The applicant chooses one of the given topics and prepares for the exam based on the compulsory reading material of that topic. The applicant may amplify his/her knowledge in the field through further reading. In the course of the oral exam, the Entrance Exam Committee asks questions related to the chosen topic. Language of the entrance exam is English.

**Topics:**

**1. European integration**

- Ten historic steps
- Enlarging the EU and neighbourhood policies
- The single market
- The euro
- Building on knowledge and innovation
- The EU in the global economy

*Compulsory reading material:*

Fontaine, Pascal (2010): *Europe in 12 Lessons*. Publications Office of the European Union, Luxembourg.

**2. The global economy**

- Global economic and financial developments
- Global interconnections
- Low-income countries
- Confronting the ongoing global crisis
- Quota and governance reforms

*Compulsory reading material:*

IMF (2014): *Annual Report 2013: Promoting a More Secure and Stable Global Economy*. International Monetary Fund, Washington DC. )<http://www.imf.org/external/pubs/ft/ar/2013/eng/>