

## **According to the Financial Times, the programme of the Faculty of Business Administration at VŠE is the fourteenth best in the world**

**Prague, September 13, 2021 – The programme Master in International Management, which is taught in English at the Faculty of Business Administration of the Prague University of Economics and Business (VŠE), ranked fourteenth in the current ranking "Financial Times Masters in Management 2021". This is historically the best placement of the programme in this ranking and a shift of eight places up compared to last year. In addition, as in previous years, it is the best-rated programme in the region of Central and Eastern Europe.**

[Master in International Management/CEMS](#), a two-year master's degree programme is offered at VŠE in joint degree form. Graduates receive not only the title of engineer, but also the internationally recognized CEMS MIM certificate, Master in International Management. The strategic alliance CEMS, based in Paris, brings together the best "business schools" from thirty-four countries around the world and seventy globally operating companies. The specifics of the programme are, in particular, close cooperation with corporate partners, such as Škoda Auto, Plzeňský Prazdroj and Hilti, and significant foreign outreach. Students of the programme must complete an internship abroad and spend one semester at a selected member university of the CEMS alliance. Graduates are mainly employed in managerial positions in international companies.

*"The Financial Times Ranking is the most recognized ranking in the field of management and is very closely monitored by all those who are familiar with the field of international education. The excellent result of the Master in International Management programme will strengthen both the good name of the faculty and the prestige of the entire University. Thanks to the long-term success of the programme, we are in the company of the best schools in the world. The Faculty of Business Administration can be rightfully proud,"* appreciates the result the Rector of VŠE Hana Machková.

The first place in the ranking was defended by the Swiss University of St. Gallen. The second position has long been occupied by HEC Paris, France and the third place is the Irish University College Dublin: Smurfit. All three universities, like VŠE, are members of the CEMS alliance.

The Financial Times ranking is based on a number of criteria. Of particular importance are the career advancement of programme graduates, the diversity of the school, the international experience of programme graduates and the level of research activities of the evaluated school.

The complete Financial Times Masters in Management 2021 ranking is available [here](#).