

INTERNATIONAL ANTI-CORRUPTION ACADEMY

Empowering Professionals

Master in Anti-Corruption Studies

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 20 JUNE 2022

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION DEADLINE: 30 MAY 2022

THE PROGRAMME

- Interdisciplinary two-year programme in anticorruption and compliance with 120 ECTS credits, enabling enrolment into PhD programmes
- Part-time, flexibly designed for working professionals
- Seven modules, each module consisting of several synchronous and asynchronous interactive learning materials
- Small classes, interactive teaching methods, group works, case studies, games, and stakeholder discussions.

ADMISSION

Have at least three years of relevant work experience or a proven history of academic research in areas related to anticorruption and/or compliance, broadly understood.

Candidates who do not have working experience yet and are applying directly from the bachelor's degree, should have their undergraduate degree qualification such as economics, law, political science, sociology, or any other filed related to MACS studies.

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LECTURER EXPERIENCE



Lloydette Bai-Marrow Anti-Corruption & Economic Crime Lawyer

The MACS course is a rigorous and intensive programme of study. I was particularly impressed by the breadth of material covered and the highly effective use of practical exercises to embed learning. The students are exposed to teaching of the highest calibre and from a broad spectrum of experts. The MACS class of 2018 were an incredibly diverse group of dedicated and skilled professionals from all over the world. They worked incredibly hard during each Module and would return home exhausted but it was clear to see that this programme was already making a difference to their professional lives. They were all excited and expectant about future opportunities once they had conclude the course. It was a delight and an honour to be part of the teaching faculty on this flagship and premier programme of study.



Max Kaiser Aranda Anti-Corruption Director Mexican Institute for Competitiveness (IMCO)

Corruption is a complex disease that erodes democratic governance. It requires first a comprehensive understanding, and then a holistic response. The MACS creates professionals with the capacity to understand the phenomenon and approach it in a creative and multidimensional manner.



Alexandra Malina Manea Legal Counsel, World Bank, Office of Suspension and Debarment

Through its programmes in general and the MACS in particular, IACA is becoming a key player in the global efforts against corruption. The MACS curriculum reflects well the understanding that corruption needs a multidisciplinary and complex approach. The programme also strongly encourages knowledge exchange not only between the trainer and the students but also between the students themselves. This is particularly valuable because students come from different countries and sectors and I have directly observed how exchanges between them catalyze creative analysis of entrenched problems and they all benefit from exposure to different local settings.

STUDENT EXPERIENCE



Prem K. Gautam

Deputy Inspector General, Central Bureau of Investigation, India MACS 2016 - 2018 graduate

The MACS programme at IACA provided me with a unique opportunity to analyse corruption from different perspectives, where anti-corruption laws and best practices from various parts of globe are learnt, discussed and debated in an amazing learning environment in the company of highly qualified and motivated anti-corruption professionals under the guidance of renowned and best academicians/subject matter experts. An inspiring, enriching and truly international anti-corruption course!



Mirte Van Den Berge Strategic Analyst / Deputy Head Intelligence Centre, Security and Integrity Management, ABN AMRO Bank, Netherlands MACS 2016 - 2018 graduate

The MACS programme has a solid structure, analysing corruption from all relevant angles. The programme is truly multidisciplinary and offers state of the art insights on fighting corruption through discussions with renowned academics and practitioners. The course has been highly relevant for my career. In my job I benefit a lot from the knowledge and international network I developed during the MACS programme.



Mohammed Alabsi Head of Financial and Cyber Crime Unit Gulf Cooperation Police Council Kingdom of Bahrain MACS 2014 - 2016 graduate

Completing graduate studies in the same area as my work will enhance my use of development tools to fight corruption. Since starting my studies at IACA, I have come to know many people of different nationalities and specializations. This has contributed to the exchange of information, views, and experiences, enhanced my knowledge, and opened up other possible cooperation aspects.

