



# UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI PALERMO

**Department: null**

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**DEGREE COURSE IN BUSINESS ECONOMICS**

**- BUSINESS MANAGEMENT -**

## **Educational objectives**

Graduates will acquire:

1. Scientific methods and contents in the business, economic, mathematical-statistic and juridical ambits which are needed for an advanced knowledge of all types of companies, according to a dynamic interaction among their respective existence conditions, from start-up to closing down and the ordinary and extraordinary functioning;
2. The needed advanced business-economic knowledge which is applicable to all business macro-classes (private, public and non profit) and to the most diffused sector classes (industry, commerce, services and public administration), dimension classes (small, medium, large), technology classes (backward, mature, advanced) etc... with an overall orientation towards change and development according to international and multi-cultural perspectives;
3. The professional competences for employment and self-employment, in the administration macro-areas related to organisation, management, study and governance, as well as in the respective functional sub-areas, with an overall orientation towards higher qualification positions and managerial and strategic responsibilities;
4. Written and spoken command of at least one European Union language, besides Italian, with respect also to subject-related vocabularies.

Class educational objectives, as well as the specific course objectives drive the educational programme towards advanced knowledge (also useful for further higher education programmes, such as 2nd level University Master Courses, Doctoral Programmes and lifelong learning) as well as to adequate competences for high job positions, through the continuous monitoring of quality and the constant interaction with the most important social and institutional interest.

In addition, due to the extreme versatility of current corporate issues and the variety of possible job opportunities, it's necessary to provide highly articulated educational programmes, to better develop the sub-functional areas of administrative macro-areas.

With this background, the degree course, unique in its class, achieves the maximum allowed constancy for educational activities in non- business ambits and, conversely, the highest possible differentiation for the activities related to the business sector. The course might provide different curricula and educational packages with respect to some fundamental strands of knowledge and skills which are currently particularly important, such as, for instance, corporate systems governance, business communication and management of companies.

## **Professional opportunities**

Graduates may carry out the following activities:

- Organisation, management, analysis and governance up to top administration levels;
- Consultancy at large and regulated professional activities as accountants and chartered accountants (after a three-year internship and national qualification examination), auditors (after at least two-year practice and national qualification examination) and tax advisers (selection by qualifications or examination, after 2 to 5 years of experience in the area or in similar areas)
- Qualified employment or self-employment for purposes of public (control, address, governance and the like) or private (assistance, representation, defence and the like) interest as well as research, teaching and training activities in the public and private sectors.

## **Final examination features**

The final examination is centred on issues related to the educational objectives and aims at enabling the formulation of an overall evaluation of the acquired knowledge and mastery of competences and of the learning outcomes in accordance with European standards. It consists of the preparation, presentation and discussion of an original dissertation written under the guidance of one or two supervisors and is related to doctrinal studies or to the results of applied or experimental research in one or more course subjects.

Subjects 1 ° year	CFU	Per	V\W	SSD	TAF
02723 - ECONOMICS OF INNOVATION <i>Epifanio(PA)</i>	6	1	V \ 1	SECS-P/06	B
15516 - PLANNING AND CONTROL SYSTEMS	10	1	V \ 1		

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Subjects 1 ° year	CFU	Per	V\W	SSD	TAF
- APPLIED PLANNING AND CONTROL SYSTEMS <i>Tomaselli(PA)</i>	4	1		SECS-P/07	C
- GENERAL PLANNING AND CONTROL SYSTEMS <i>Vergara(PO)</i>	6	1		SECS-P/07	B
14358 - PRODUCTION TECHNOLOGIES AND COMMODITY ECONOMICS <i>Milazzo(CU)</i>	8	1	V \ 1	SECS-P/13	C
07939 - BUSINESS ECONOMICS (ADVANCED COURSE) <i>Sorci(PQ)</i>	9	2	V \ 1	SECS-P/07	B
15951 - INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS <i>Bellante(PQ)</i>	6	2	V \ 1	SECS-P/08	B
15947 - STATISTICAL METHOD FOR BUSINESS DECISIONS <i>Agro'(PA)</i>	6	2	V \ 1	SECS-S/01	B
02466 - ECONOMIC LAW - INTEGRATED COURSE	9	3	V \ 1		
- FINANCIAL MARKETS <i>Bavetta(PA)</i>	6	1		IUS/05	B
- INSURANCE COMPANIES AND BANKS <i>Bavetta(PA)</i>	3	1		IUS/05	C
Optional subjects	8				C
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Subjects 2 ° year	CFU	Per	V\W	SSD	TAF
14327 - ECONOMICS OF MARKET <i>Tesoriere(PA)</i>	6	2	V \ 1	SECS-P/06	B
15952 - MANAGEMENT OF UTILITIES <i>Bellante(PQ)</i>	8	2	V \ 1	SECS-P/08	B
15517 - PROCESS MANAGEMENT	10	3	V \ 1		
- GENERAL PROCESS MANAGEMENT <i>Dominici(PA)</i>	6	1		SECS-P/08	B
- COMMERCIAL DISTRIBUTION <i>Mocciaro Li Destri(PO)</i>	4	2		SECS-P/08	C
08044 - ENGLISH LANGUAGE -ADVANCED COURSE <i>Romeo(PA)</i>	4	3	V \ 0		F
05917 - FINAL EXAMINATION	18	3	G \ 0		E
Free subjects	12				D
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## OPTIONAL SUBJECTS

Optional subjects	CFU	Per	V\W	SSD	TAF
11308 - BUSINESS STATISTICS AND MARKET ANALYSIS <i>Andolina(RU)</i>	8	3	V \ 1	SECS-S/03	C
11307 - QUALITY MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL <i>La Rosa(PQ)</i>	8	3	V \ 1	SECS-S/03	C

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