Master in Information Engineering (MEINF)
University of Porto/Faculty of Engineering
Pre-admission application deadline: March 15, 2012

The University of Porto is seeking international candidates for the Master in Information Engineering (MEINF), which is taught entirely in English.

INESC Porto (the coordinating entity of INESC TEC) is partner in this new Master in Information Engineering (MEINF) offered by the University of Porto.

INFORMATION ENGINEERING

The Master in Information Engineering (MEINF) is a programme you would not want to miss!

MEINF is offered by the Faculty of Engineering at University of Porto, Portugal.

MEINF aims at offering specific formation in the generation, distribution, analysis and use of Information in engineering systems. MEINF educates engineers to be able to design, build and test engineering systems centered in information and knowledge processing.

Students will learn to design, analyze and implement mathematical models to be applied to complex systems of the industrial or corporate world, and to create efficient strategies to optimize their performance. Throughout their
training, students will acquire both the theoretical and methodological tools which will be applied in all fields of engineering, with applications in economics, environmental sciences, life sciences, and other domains.

MEINF targets both national and international audiences and is designed for excellence and competitiveness at the international level. It aims to prepare selected students for leadership in research and development careers in industry, academia and independent entrepreneurial initiatives.

Who can apply
MEINF is directed to graduates in Engineering and Science, who want to become Leaders in information in engineering systems.

Application

Candidates to the MEINF Program can be pre-admitted before they can start the application procedure.

Applicants
The following may apply for MEINF Program:
  a) Holders of a Bachelor's degree or legal equivalent;
  b) Holders of a foreign Higher Education degree conferred after a first cycle of studies structured in accordance with the Bologna Process by a State that implemented this process;
  c) Holders of a foreign Higher Education degree that is recognized as meeting the objectives of a Bachelor's degree by the Scientific Committee of the MEINF Program;
  d) Those with an academic, scientific or professional curriculum recognized as attesting to their ability to attend this cycle of studies by the Scientific Committee of the MEINF Program.

Pre-admission documents
- Pre-admission form
- 2 letters of recommendation (optional)
- Copy of academic transcripts
- Curriculum Vitae
- Copy of Passport

Please send all documents, requests and correspondence to meinf@fe.up.pt with subject "pre-admission application"

*Notes for Applicants from foreign higher education institutions*:
For qualifications obtained abroad you will be required to produce an original document in either Portuguese, English, French or Spanish, duly signed and certified by the respective institution’s highest academic body.

If the document is not translated into one of the above mentioned languages then it must be authenticated by the official education authorities of the respective country and recognized by the Portuguese consular or diplomatic authorities. Alternatively, it must hold the Apostille of the Hague Convention. The same should happen with regard to translations of documents whose original language is not Spanish, French or English.

**Ranking Criteria**
- Admissions to the program are based on the basis of applicant's objectives and experience, academic qualifications, professional career, behavioral and relational skills, commitment and interest in the program.

**Tuition**
- Tuition is 999 EUR per year.

**Scholarships**
- Some scholarships covering tuition and living stipend are available and will be awarded based on merit.

**Deadline**
- Pre-admission documents can be sent from February 1st to March 15th 2012.

Applicants will be notified by email of their admission to the MEINF Program one month after the reception of pre-admission documents.

For more information, go to [http://www.fe.up.pt/meinf/](http://www.fe.up.pt/meinf/)

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