BANKU AUGSTSKOLA

BA SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND FINANCE

MASTER OF CYBERSECURITY MANAGEMENT

Awarded degree:

Professional Master's degree in **Business Administration** (EQF and LQF level 7)

Qualification: Information security manager

Length of studies:
- **2 years** *with professional (P) qualification* or
- **2,5 years** *with academic (A) qualification*

Language of studies: English

Study programme accredited till : 30.09.2027.

Available state-funded study places.

The programme is designed for graduates who seek to understand cybersecurity in depth and to apply security techniques in consultancy, strategic, business or management context.

Strengths of the Programme:

- offers analytical and critical solutions to global cyber threats including legal, ethical and policy issues in this field
- developed by internationally recognized foreign experts
- the curriculum is integrated with CISM domain standard

Internship:
- 6 weeks (P)
- 26 weeks (A)

Final work:
Master's thesis

➤ The content of the programme integrates the competences necessary for both the information Security Manager and cyber security management

➤ Implemented at the BA School of Business and Finance since 2015 and is regularly updated according to industry trends

Cybersecurity Module:

- Information Security Governance
- Cybersecurity and Critical Infrastructure Protection
- Cybersecurity Policy, Legal and Ethical Aspects, etc.

Management module:

- ICT Strategic Governance
- Information Security Risk and Compliance Management
- Leadership
- Projects, Change, Professionals Management, etc.

Technical Module

- Personal Data Protection
- Information Security Incident and crisis management
- Information Security Methods
- Cybercrime Investigations

Elective Courses:

- CSX Cybersecurity fundamentals
- Latvian language (for foreign students)
- Information Security For End-Users
- Security Culture

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☼ Programme graduates:

➡ Will gain competencies and practical skills of the cybersecurity policy, disaster recovery plans design, risk management;

➡ Using different approaches, concepts, methods and techniques will be able to handle crisis and incidents.

☼ Learning goals

➡ To provide persons with an opportunity to acquire the profession "Information Security Manager" and to prepare them for professional activities to ensure information security and cybersecurity management in the company.

About Latvia

Latvia, located on the shores of the Baltic Sea, offers a unique blend of high-quality education, affordability, and vibrant multiculturalism. This country offers excellent education at comparatively low tuition fees and living costs, making it an attractive destination. The welcoming atmosphere encourages a diverse international student community, with abundant opportunities for research, internships, and post-study work. Latvia's rich culture, diverse landscapes, and complex history make it appealing for study, while it focus on innovation, technology, and sustainability also. Whether you're from the East or West, North or South, Latvia offers a truly unique environment where traditions from around the world converge, making it a pearl among the Baltic States.

🌐 International study opportunities:

- study or study abroad for between 2 and 12 months in the ERASMUS + student exchange program
- participate in international project weeks organised by partner universities

🛏 Living and acommodation facilities

➡ BA School of Business and Finance offers hostel facilities located in the same building as study rooms.
  - available washing and drying machines

➡ is only a 30 minutes walk to the city center and 40 minutes drive to the beach

➡ easy public transportation system, stores across the street

➡ free access to gym, library, 24/7 study rooms

BA School of Business and Finance is a state accredited higher education institution located in Riga, Latvia

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