

This programme is carried out together with:

**LIETUVOS BANKAS** 



**Bachelor** in Social Sciences



3 years, full-time



Average salary of our graduates in 2022 – 2291,6 Eur (average national salary of 2022 – 1789 Eur)



Vilnius University among the TOP 16% of **Universities in the World** 

#### For graduates from Lithuania:

0,4

Mathematics

0,2

Either History, IT, Geography or Foreign language

0,2

Other subject

0,2

Lithuanian Language and Literature

- National Exams
- National exams or yearly average grades + Admission interview in English



# Quantitative **Economics**

Are you interested in economics, finance, mathematics Do you want to understand how our or data analysis? societies function and how their economic and financial systems can be improved? Do you want to learn how to work with data? Do you want to learn about mathematical and econometric modeling of socio-economic phenomena? If you answered at least two of the above questions with yes, the three-year, English taught BSc in Quantitative Economics may be just the right programme for you.

### **PROGRAMME OVERVIEW:**

- > the only three-year English-taught bachelor programme in Economics in the country;
- > designed and delivered jointly with researchers at the Bank of Lithuania;
- > taught by research-active lecturers and professors with PhDs from leading Western universities worldwide;
- > combines of the CORE project, OpenStax and other state-of-the-art open-sources with the quantitatively rigorous training in economics and
- > provides rigorous training on a par with the world's top programmes;
- > social partners' scholarships available for the best students;
- > social partners: Bank of Lithuania, Nasdaq.

## **CAREER OPPORTUNITIES:**

- > Finance Analyst;
- > Economic Analyst;
- (Big) Data Analyst;
- Forecaster.

Average Quantitative Economics programme graduates employability in 2022 - 85.87 %

"We are after graduates with rigorous quantitative skills, economic intuition, and capacity to distill complex economic ideas into simple words."

#### Dr Vitas Vasiliauskas,

Former Chairman of the Board (Bank of Lithuania)

"Successful navigation within the financial services industry that has been rapidly changing due to financial technologies requires abstract thinking including understanding of economic and finance theories, problem solving and IT skills, and good intuition all the competences to be nurtured within the BSc in Quantitative Economics programme."

#### Sigitas Mitkus,

Adviser to the President of the Republic of Lithuania

# **SCHOLARSHIPS FOR QE** STUDENTS:









# **Programme structure\***

| Course  | Credits |
|---|---------|
| 1 semester  | 25.0    |
| Compulsory courses  | 25.0    |
| Mathematical Methods I                                      | 5.0     |
| Statistical Theory I  | 5.0     |
| Economic Principles I                                       | 15.0    |
| 2 semester  | 35.0    |
| Compulsory courses  | 25.0    |
| Economic Principles II                                      | 15.0    |
| Mathematical Methods II                                     | 5.0     |
| Statistical Theory II                                       | 5.0     |
| Individual studies**  | 10.0    |
| 3 semester  | 30.0    |
| Compulsory courses  | 20.0    |
| Economic Theory I   | 10.0    |
| Econometric Theory and Practice I                           | 5.0     |
| Finance I   | 5.0     |
| Elective courses  | 5.0     |
| Labor Economics /<br>Behavioural and Experimental Economics | 5.0     |
| Individual studies**  | 5.0     |
| 4 semester  | 30.0    |
| Compulsory courses  | 30.0    |
| Economic Theory II  | 10.0    |
| Econometric Theory and Practice II                          | 5.0     |
| Finance II  | 5.0     |
| Computing and Data Analysis                                 | 5.0     |
| Further Quantitative Methods                                | 5.0     |

| Course  | Credits |
|---|---------|
| 5 semester  | 30.0    |
| Compulsory courses                                  | 30.0    |
| Applied Microeconomics                              | 5.0     |
| Applied Macroeconomics                              | 5.0     |
| Applied Finance                                     | 5.0     |
| Individual studies**                                | 15.0    |
| 6 semester  | 30.0    |
| Compulsory courses                                  | 30.0    |
| Internship  | 15.0    |
| Final Bachelor's Thesis (Study Field:<br>Economics) | 15.0    |

 $<sup>^{\</sup>star}\,\,$  Programme structure may be changed due to improvements of studies.

<sup>\*\*</sup> **Individual studies** are the studies freely selected by a student enrolled in the bachelor's degree study programme, which are an integrated part of the study programme.