EUSMAT opens a new call for Erasmus Mundus Scholarships for the AMASE Master Programme

Motivated good students can apply for joining the AMASE Master Programme, which provides Erasmus Mundus scholarships for carrying out this two-year international Master in Advanced Materials Science and Engineering. The application for the 2014 intake is now open.

The Joint European Master Programme in Advanced Materials Science and Engineering (AMASE) is aimed at students who have already obtained their Bachelor’s in Materials Science, Materials Engineering or other related engineering sciences, as well as Physics, Chemistry or other natural sciences.

The programme is carried out by Saarland University (Saarbrücken, Germany), the National Polytechnic Institute of Lorraine (Nancy, France), the Technical University of Catalonia, (Barcelona, Spain) and Luleå University of Technology (Luleå, Sweden). Within AMASE, students spend the first year in one of the partner universities (entrance university) and the third semester at another university of the consortium. For the fourth semester, which includes the Master thesis, the student can decide to stay in the second university or return to their entrance university.

Through this exchange of cultures, the student gains vast advantages on the academic labour market, profits from personal growth and learns at least one new language. A particularity of the AMASE programme is that the teaching languages are the national languages of the different countries, except Luleå where the teaching language is English. Language courses, as well as training in intercultural communication, are provided during the course.

Tuition fees for the programme are 1.500 € per semester for students from European countries and 4.000 € per semester for the other students. Basic health and social insurance is included in the fees. To support students, the European Commission through the Erasmus Mundus Programme provides scholarships for especially gifted and motivated students. Non-European students can get: up to 8.000 € for travel costs, setting up accommodation and any other type of costs; 1.000 € monthly allowance; and payment of tuition fees. European students can receive a monthly allowance of 500 € and the payment of tuition fees. Deadline for applying for Erasmus Mundus financial contribution is the 15th of January 2014.

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