

MENTE ARGENTINA MASTER DEGREE PROGRAM IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS 2024/2025

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INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS 2024/2025



Embark on a transformative 15-month journey with Mente Argentina's Master's Program in International Relations. This program offers you the chance to dive deeply into specialized areas of international relations tailored to your personal interests. Graduates will emerge with a comprehensive understanding of international politics, global economics, and international security, with a particular focus on Latin America.

The Graduate Degree Program in International Relations at Mente Argentina offers an enriching 15-month academic journey designed for those aiming to deepen their expertise in international politics, global economics, and international security, with a special emphasis on Latin America.

This program allows you to tailor your studies through specialized concentrations that align with your personal interests and career goals. You will benefit from a curriculum that combines rigorous academic training with a global perspective, preparing you to design strategies and proposals for foreign affairs. It positions you for diverse career paths, including academia, international politics, non-governmental organizations, diplomacy, and beyond.

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW 2024-2025

UNIVERSIDAD DE BELGRANO (UB)

The Master Degree's hybrid teaching format provides you with the flexibility to manage your academic and personal commitments effectively. The core of the program is delivered through live online classes, allowing you to engage with top-tier faculty and peers from around the world. To enhance your learning experience, there are a few mandatory full-day in-person sessions per semester in Buenos Aires. These sessions are crucial for direct interaction with faculty and fellow students, enriching your academic journey and expanding your professional network.

COMPREHENSIVE 15-MONTH CURRICULUM: DIVE INTO A ROBUST CURRICULUM COVERING INTERNATIONAL POLITICS, GLOBAL ECONOMICS, AND INTERNATIONAL SECURITY, WITH A FOCUS ON LATIN AMERICA.

SPECIALIZED CONCENTRATIONS: TAILOR YOUR STUDIES WITH SPECIALIZED CONCENTRATIONS THAT MATCH YOUR PERSONAL INTERESTS AND CAREER GOALS.

HYBRID TEACHING FORMAT: BENEFIT FROM A FLEXIBLE LEARNING MODEL THAT COMBINES SYNCHRONOUS LIVE ONLINE CLASSES WITH ESSENTIAL IN-PERSON SESSIONS.

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While residing in Buenos Aires is not mandatory for the entire duration of the program, we highly recommend it. Living in the city allows you to fully immerse yourself in the local culture, participate in networking events, seek employment, and improve your Spanish through interactive, culturally immersive activities.

At Mente Argentina, we are dedicated to supporting you every step of the way—from enrollment to successful graduation. Our program offers comprehensive support to ensure a smooth transition, including visa assistance, exclusive housing in Buenos Aires, personalized one-on-one orientation upon arrival, and on-site support throughout your stay.

From the moment you arrive, you'll be connected with other international students participating in various Mente Argentina programs, fostering a supportive and engaging community. We are here to guide you through your academic journey, whether you're seeking employment opportunities or looking to enhance your Spanish language skills, providing you with the resources necessary to achieve your goals and enjoy a unique immersion experience in Buenos Aires, Argentina

CULTURAL IMMERSION & NETWORKING: RESIDE IN BUENOS AIRES TO FULLY EXPERIENCE THE CITY'S CULTURE, BUILD PROFESSIONAL CONNECTIONS, AND ENHANCE YOUR SPANISH THROUGH ENGAGING ACTIVITIES WITH PEERS.

SUPPORTIVE COMMUNITY: BENEFIT FROM A VIBRANT INTERNATIONAL NETWORK WITH EXCLUSIVE HOUSING, CULTURAL EVENTS, AND PERSONALIZED SUPPORT FOR A SUCCESSFUL AND ENRICHING ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

HOST UNIVERSITY IN ARGENTINA & COURSE DESCRIPTIONS 2024/25

UNIVERSIDAD DE BELGRANO (UB)

The Master's Degree in International Relations is designed to offer a well-rounded and intensive academic experience. The program is structured into distinct areas to provide a thorough education in the field, ensuring that you gain expertise across various dimensions of international relations:

- **Core Courses:** 4 fundamental courses that lay the foundation of your studies.
- **Complementary Courses:** 4 additional courses that broaden your knowledge and perspective.
- **Practical Studies Area:** 2 courses focused on applying theoretical knowledge in practical settings.
- **Methodological Studies Area:** 4 courses designed to enhance your research and analytical skills.
- **Secondary Studies Area:** 4 elective courses from other graduate programs, allowing you to tailor your studies to your specific interests and career goals.

The program encompasses a minimum of 544 hours of coursework, complemented by 160 hours of personalized guidance from a dedicated tutor for your thesis and final assignment, ensuring you have the support needed to successfully complete your degree.

Explore the detailed course offerings and syllabi below. If you have any questions or need further assistance, feel free to reach out—we're here to help you every step of the way!

UNIVERSITY OF BELGRANO: UB



Universidad de Belgrano was founded in 1964 by Dr. Avelino Porto and has grown to become one of Argentina's leaders in higher education. It currently offers more than 50 undergraduate and graduate level degrees to its more than 15,000 local and international students.

Its facilities include fully-equipped classrooms, libraries, cafeteria, bookstore and computer labs, most of these housed in a modern building in an upper-middle class residential neighborhood (Belgrano) only a quick subway or bus-ride away from Buenos Aires' historic and governmental district. The University has over 180 exchange and academic cooperation agreements with universities across the world hosting approximately 2,000 international students each year.

COURSE DESCRIPTIONS & SYLLABI 2024/25

International Relations Theory	Statistical Analysis
Int. Organizations and Global Governance	Qualitative Methodology
Argentina and Latin American Foreign Policy	Diplomacy and International Negotiations
International Law and Human Rights	Professional Research Seminar
International Agenda	Master's Thesis Workshop
Int. Security: Prevention and Risk Analysis	Int. and Latin American Economic Issues
Management of Public or Private International Organizations	Contemporary International Politics
Elective Courses - Secondary Area (MO-AES) 1, 2, 3, and 4	

[EXPLORE THE DETAILED COURSE OFFERINGS AND SYLLABI HERE](#)

HYBRID TEACHING FORMAT

In line with a decree from the Minister of Education of Argentina for all private and public universities, the University of Belgrano has adopted a hybrid teaching format for our Master's Program in International Relations. This approach combines synchronous live online classes with a few essential in-person sessions.

PROGRAM DELIVERY DETAILS

Mode of Instruction: The core of the program will be delivered through live online classes accessible globally, scheduled from Monday to Friday, 7 PM to 10 PM.

In-Person Requirement: To enrich the learning experience, there will be 3-4 mandatory full-day sessions per semester in Buenos Aires, integral for direct interaction with faculty and peers.

Flexibility: Although it's not mandatory to reside in Buenos Aires for the entire program, we highly recommend doing so. Being in the city enhances your opportunity to immerse in the local culture, engage in networking, and seek employment. Staying locally also allows you to improve your Spanish language skills and vocabulary through mandatory in-person Spanish language courses and culturally immersive activities with other Mente Argentina Participants.

Visa and Residency: The hybrid format of the program is fully compatible with student visa requirements. Students are encouraged to arrive early for intensive Spanish courses and have the flexibility to travel in and out of Argentina according to their academic and preferred schedule.

THIS FLEXIBLE EDUCATIONAL MODEL ENSURES THAT YOU CAN MAINTAIN PERSONAL COMMITMENTS WHILE GAINING A RICH ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE.

SCHEDULE, CALENDAR & START DATES 2024/2025

The Mente Argentina Master's Degree in International Relations begins three times a year.

CLASSES RUN MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY, WITH 3-4 HOURS OF INSTRUCTION EACH DAY.

NEXT START DATES 2024/2025		
Month	Start Date	End Date
September 2024	September 23, 2024	December 12, 2025
March 2025	March 24, 2025	June 12, 2026
June 2025	June 23, 2025	September 11, 2026
September 2025	September 22, 2025	December 11, 2026

MASTER PROGRAM IN INT. RELATIONS: ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Ready to take the next step in your academic journey? Here's what you'll need to apply:

Create Your Account: Start by creating an [account](#). This will allow you to manage your application, track your progress, and submit required documents.

Complete the Online Application: Complete the first few steps including some personal contact and academic details, desired start date along other necessary details.

Upload Your Documents: Prepare and upload the following documents to complete your application:

- Bachelor's Degree or Equivalent: Proof of a completed undergraduate degree (4 years or equivalent).
- Two Letters of Recommendation: Provide recommendations from academic or professional references who can speak to your qualifications and potential.
- Statement of Purpose: A brief essay (half to one page) outlining your reasons for applying, your academic and career goals, and what you hope to achieve through the program.
- Resume/CV: Include details about your educational background, work experience, and skills.

If you have any questions or need assistance during the application process, don't hesitate to reach out. We're here to help you every step of the way.

MASTER DEGREE PROGRAM IN INT. RELATIONS FEE

PROGRAM OPTIONS / PROGRAM FEES

PROGRAM FEE 2024/2025		
Program Option	Shared Apartment (Single Room)	Private Apartment (Single Apartment)
Master Degree Program in International Relations - 15 Months -	USD 23.690	USD 29.690
Master Degree Program in International Relations + 4 Weeks Intensive Spanish Program - 16 Months -	USD 25.690	USD 32.090
Master Degree Program in International Relations + 8 Weeks Intensive Spanish Program - 17 Months -	USD 27.490	USD 34.290
Master Degree Program in International Relations - 3 Months -	USD 9,390	USD 10,590

NOTE: FOR STUDENTS CHOOSING TO STAY LESS THAN 15 MONTHS IN BUENOS AIRES, THE REDUCED FEE INCLUDES 3 MONTHS OF ON-SITE IMMERSION. THE FULL TUITION FOR THE 15-MONTH DEGREE IS ALSO INCLUDED, WITH THE REMAINDER OF THE PROGRAM COMPLETED ONLINE OR FROM ANY OTHER LOCATION, WHETHER YOU'RE TRAVELING OR SPENDING TIME BACK HOME.

PROGRAM FEES NOTES AND OPTIONS

- Full Tuition Fees: The tuition fee of USD 4,500 for the entire 15-month Master's Degree in International Relations is fully included in the program fee along with all required fees. No additional payments are required.
- Reduced Stay Option: If you plan to stay in Buenos Aires for more or less than 3 months, please contact us for a tailored quote.
- Flexible On-Site Period: You may choose to split your on-site stay in Buenos Aires (e.g., dividing the 3 months at different times throughout the year).
- Payment Plan: Inquire about available payment plans if needed.

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE PROGRAM FEE 2024/2025

MASTER DEGREE PROGRAM IN INT. RELATIONS – PROGRAM FEE DETAILS

- **Guaranteed Admission & Enrollment:** Reserve your spot in the Master's Degree program with guaranteed placement and dedicated guidance from your Mente Argentina advisor to ensure a smooth enrollment process.
- **Student Visa Assistance:** Receive comprehensive help with navigating and fulfilling student visa requirements.
- **Official University Transcripts, Diploma & Certificates:** Obtain your official academic credentials from the university, including transcripts, diploma, and certificates upon successful completion of the program.
- **Exclusive Accommodation:** Stay in top neighborhoods like Palermo, Belgrano, Barrio Norte, or Recoleta, with all utilities and expenses included.
- **Full Access to Mente Argentina Tours & Activities:** Explore Buenos Aires like a local with a range of complimentary tours, outings, and activities that offer you the chance to connect with both locals and fellow participants.
- **Private Airport Transfers:** Both private airport pick-up and drop-off are included.
- **Welcome Orientation:** Personalized one-on-one welcome orientation upon arrival.
- **Mente Argentina Welcome Kit:** Includes a local SIM card, SUBE transportation card, welcome guide, city maps, and additional essentials.
- **Health Club Membership:** Enjoy a free gym membership with access to all gym classes.
- **Local SIM Card:** Included in your welcome kit, along with a borrowed smartphone if needed.
- **ISIC Global Discount Card:** Mente Argentina ISIC global discount card for additional savings.
- **Conversation Exchange Partner Passes:** Receive passes to attend conversation language exchange events, where you can practice your Spanish with local partners.
- **24/7 On-site Support:** Our dedicated program coordinators and on-site team are available around the clock to assist with everything you might need.
- **Mente Argentina Community:** Join a vibrant community of participants from around the globe, building lasting friendships and professional networks.

LEARN MORE ABOUT WHAT'S INCLUDED: [UNIQUE BENEFITS](#) || [TOURS AND ACTIVITIES](#)

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS PROGRAM + INTENSIVE SPANISH

If you're looking to enhance your Spanish skills before embarking on the Master's Degree Program in International Relations, you have the flexibility to arrive early and participate in our intensive Spanish courses. This optional component is designed to help you immerse yourself in the language and better adapt to life in Buenos Aires.

You can start your Spanish lessons several weeks before the program begins and choose between group classes or individual lessons. Group classes, conducted Monday through Friday for 4 hours per day, are held in small groups of up to 8 students, providing a supportive learning environment. Alternatively, we offer private one-on-one lessons for a more personalized approach. Our highly qualified teachers deliver interactive and engaging lessons, ensuring that your language learning experience is both effective and enjoyable.

This flexibility allows you to acclimate to Buenos Aires, improve your Spanish, and be fully prepared for your academic journey in the Master's Degree Program.

COMBINE YOUR PROGRAM WITH ANOTHER PROGRAM!

Enhance your academic and professional experience by combining the Masters Degree Program in International Relations with our International Internship Program or any other Mente Argentina offering.

We provide significant discounts for participants who choose to enroll in multiple Mente Argentina programs simultaneously or consecutively. If you're interested in creating a customized experience that blends academic learning with practical internship experience or other enriching programs, please reach out to us for a personalized quote.

- [EXPLORE MENTE ARGENTINA PROGRAMS](#)

HAVE A QUESTION?

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE DON'T HESITATE TO REACH OUT TO US.

YOU CAN CONTACT US [HERE](#) OR VIA EMAIL AT HOLA@MENTEARGENTINA.COM

READY TO APPLY?

AS A FIRST STEP, PLEASE CREATE AN ACCOUNT [HERE](#). AS SOON AS YOU CREATE AN APPLICATION, YOU WILL BE ASSIGNED A PROGRAM ADVISOR WHO WILL GET BACK TO YOU TO HELP YOU FINALIZE YOUR ENROLLMENT.