

WHY SHOULD I APPLY?

You should apply if you are looking for a professionalizing and mission/field-oriented international master programme offered by an institution with high academic standards in training and research. If your training needs include practical skills, besides relevant theoretical knowledge, as well as internship/field-experience with prestigious international organisations, this academic programme is surely the right choice for you.

KEY FEATURES

- 1 year post-graduate professionalizing and field-oriented programme.
- Interdisciplinary nature of the programme with a methodology characterized by a combination of theory and practice.
- Lecturers and trainers chosen among high level academics, diplomats, international civil servants and NGOs activists, offering a wealth of academic and field experience.
- Mandatory internship/field experience in leading organisations working in the areas of human rights protection/promotion, conflict prevention/resolution, humanitarian assistance and development cooperation, either in the field or at Headquarters.
- Career service, including specific sessions on career coaching.
- International and multicultural student environment.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applicants shall enter their application online at www.humanrights.santannapisa.it
Applications deadlines are as follows:

- 1st round of selection: 15 July 2019
- 2nd round of selection: 18 September 2019

PROGRAMME

MODULE I

international law,
international human
rights law, international
humanitarian law,
conflict studies, business and
human rights, HRs
philosophical dimension,
theories and techniques of
conflict management, career
coaching

MODULE II

human rights field operations,
human rights law II, international
PK & PB operations, international
humanitarian operations,
international election observation
missions, project management,
conflict management II, personal
safety and security, stress
management, first aid

THESIS

written dissertation
related to the
internship
experience

INTERNSHIP

min. 3 months internship/field experience

WHO CAN APPLY

The Master is open to a maximum of 28 candidates.
8 places out of 28 are reserved for **non EU candidates**. Candidates must meet the following minimum requirements:

- (1) Have **an (at least) three-year** university degree or equivalent. Students expecting to graduate before December 31, 2019 are also eligible.
- (2) Understand, speak and write **English** at least at LEVEL B2, (CEFR for Languages, CoE).

MASTER DIRECTION

Dr. Emanuele Sommaro, Lecturer in International Law at the Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, is the Director of the Master. Dr. Elisa Piras, Research Fellow in Political Philosophy, is the Didactic Coordinator.

ACADEMIC CREDITS

A maximum of 66 academic credits will be awarded upon successful completion of the programme.

CAREER SERVICES

The master programme is committed to assist students in finding valuable work experiences and employment contacts. A regular information service regarding recruitment opportunities within international organisations and NGOs is offered.

TUITION FEE & FACILITIES

The tuition fee for the full programme is **7.500 euros**, payable in two installments. It covers the following: attendance costs, didactic material (in electronic format), tutorship, lunch (on class and exam days), access to all facilities of the Scuola. It does not include accommodation costs in Pisa and during the internship, nor travel or visa-related costs.

An **early bird discount** is reserved for candidates applying for the first round of selection, 15th July 2019. For early birds, the course fee is **6.500,00 euros**.

PARTIAL TUITION FEE WAIVERS

A limited number of partial waivers will be made available to selected candidates coming from non-OECD countries. Candidates may apply for the partial waiver by motivating their request in detail on their application.

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SCUOLA SUPERIORE SANT'ANNA

The **Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna** is a public University and a centre of academic excellence which promotes education and research through under- and post-graduate studies and PhD programmes in the field of Social and Applied Sciences.

The Master is organised in collaboration with the International Research Laboratory on Global Security and Human Rights and the International Training Programme for Conflict Management of the DIRPOLIS Institute of the Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna.



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DESCRIPTION

The Master in Human Rights and Conflict Management is designed to provide students from different cultures and backgrounds with a deep understanding of the linkages between human rights and conflict management theory and practice. The curriculum, strongly field oriented, prepares participants to work with NGOs, governments, aid agencies, the UN system and regional organisations, as well as to operate in the context of complex emergencies.

STRUCTURE

The Master is a one-year post-graduate programme. It starts on January 14, 2020 and runs until Spring 2021. The Programme encompasses about 400 hours of classroom lectures and 480 hours of internship, in addition to individual studying and to the preparation of a written thesis. Classroom lectures are usually from Monday to Friday and run from January 2020 to the end of July 2020. The internship lasts three or more months, starting from August/September 2020.

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