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DIGISOC – Digital Society, Social Innovation and Global Citizenship

The European Joint Master's in Digital Society, Social Innovation and Global Citizenship (DIGISOC) is a collaborative, interdisciplinary, and international study programme designed to train a new generation of highly qualified socio-digital innovators capable of leading and managing digital transformation processes in diverse societal contexts. Offered as part of the EURIDICE Project, DIGISOC combines advanced digital competencies with in-depth social innovation knowledge, focusing particularly on three critical sectors of society: *Education, Communication*, and *Culture.*

At DIGISOC students benefit from:

- an excellence-oriented, research-based, and highly interdisciplinary teaching programme;
- a diverse learning environment, innovative teaching methods, and international mobility;
- a joint transnational education, resulting in a joint degree and joint micro-credentials;
- a hybrid, seamless, collaborative and challenge-based educational environment.

Career perspectives and Job opportunities

DIGISOC graduates will be trained as responsible professionals, as well as future leaders, with a strong international perspective, motivated and capable of facing new social challenges that digitalisation poses to our societies but also of exploiting the opportunities that it offers to promote forms of social innovation that respond to an ethical, sustainable and inclusive perspective. Graduates acquire a comprehensive set of skills that blend specialised technical knowledge with the ability to think critically and act ethically. This unique combination prepares professionals for a wide range of career paths in consulting, digital innovation and transformation, project and product management, research, as well as academic and leadership roles at a national and international level in public, private and third sector organisations in these fields.

About DIGISOC

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Type of Degree: **Master of Science (MSc)**
Duration: **2 years (4 semesters)**
ECTS-Credits: **120**
Language: **English**
Requirements: **Bachelor's degree or equivalent English Certificate B2 Level**
Application: **online**
Admission procedure: **90 students per year selected through an Admission Test**

Study Plan

COURSES	CREDITS	MODE
YEAR 1		
Joint Summer School I	8 ECTS	In person
Theorising Digital Society	12 ECTS	hybrid
Global Citizenship and Sustainable Futures for the Digital Age	12 ECTS	hybrid
Digital Technologies for Social Innovation	12 ECTS	hybrid
Design for Social Innovation	8 ECTS	hybrid
Joint Summer School II	8 ECTS	In person
YEAR 2		
One of the following courses: - Culture and Digital Humanism - Public Pedagogy for Digital Citizenship - Digital Communication	20 ECTS	hybrid
Elective Modules *(to be chosen preferably from a portfolio of courses offered by DIGISOC Associated Universities)*	10 ECTS	hybrid
International Service Learning or Internship	10 ECTS	In person
Master's thesis	20 ECTS	In person

Summer School and International Mobility

International mobility is a key feature of DIGISOC and its inter-university hybrid campus. Enrolling at DIGISOC means attending at least two onsite European Summer Schools throughout the duration of the study programme. DIGISOC Summer Schools offer unique opportunities to interact with renowned scholars and professionals in the field of socio-digital innovation, meet academic staff and students from other countries and cultures, and develop specialised skills and intercultural and transferable competencies.

Collaboratorium and Hybrid Learning

A unique feature of DIGISOC is its Collaboratorium for Blended International Hybrid Learning, a new educational concept which combines onsite in-person interaction and collaboration, scaling possibilities of online teaching and student collaboration. The DIGISOC Collaboratorium is both a learning environment made of interoperable digital solutions and a phygital infrastructure (physical and digital), designed to empower students, enhance smooth collaboration in groups and create an associated sense of a learning community.

International Internship and Service Learning

At DIGISOC, students are required to carry out an Internship trough a social innovation project linked to the specialisation path chosen at the beginning of Year II. Although a list of possible projects will be available, students may come up with their own ideas.
Alternatively, students may be involved in an International Service-Learning programme, that allow them to engage in organised service activities that address community needs, to get involved in practical learning experiences and cross-cultural interactions, to participate in regular reflection sessions, and to gain a deeper appreciation of global and intercultural issues.