



**University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU)
in Donostia-San Sebastián**

This Master's degree in multilingualism and education (EMME) will help you stand out from the crowd and boost your professional opportunities. You will become more motivated and learn a lot about languages in education and you will become both an expert and a researcher in the field of multilingualism.

The aim of EMME is to promote excellent teaching and high quality research that inspires both students and faculty. Critical thinking and analytical skills are stimulated in a program that provides key concepts and challenges of multilingualism and education.

As our student you will:

- Become a specialist at an advanced level in multilingualism and education
- Deeply understand psycholinguistic, sociolinguistic and educational aspects
- Gain in your capacity to solve problems
- Develop a stronger critical analytical attitude
- Be able to implement innovation processes
- Acquire the ability to design multilingual educational programs
- Become a skilful and qualified researcher in the area

The program consists of advanced courses (60 ECTS), a trainee-program (30 ECTS) and a Master Thesis (30 ECTS). Upon completion of the Master the students are encouraged to continue with a PhD degree. This European Master is organized in collaboration with the University of Groningen (The Netherlands).

The Master follows a multilingual policy. The language of instruction of the two compulsory courses is English, and optional courses can be in Basque, English or Spanish. Students can communicate and submit their work in any of the three languages.

Dates:

Pre-registration: From April 2013

New academic year from September 2013

Please feel free to contact us for further information:

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Why study the European Master in Multilingualism and Education (EMME)?

This unique Master's program will provide the opportunity to develop your interest in language learning, language planning and language use in education. You will acquire skills that will enhance your employability and provide the necessary training for a doctorate.

Seven good reasons to study EMME

1. Your time at UPV/EHU will be a wonderful academic experience. You will be taught using various theories and methods. You will obtain a deep understanding of multilingual education and it will give you tools that you need for practice. You will also be able to participate in innovative projects or solve various problems for schools. EMME includes among its staff very prestigious internationally known researchers from the University of the Basque Country and other universities.
2. An important aim of EMME is to provide students with opportunities to combine classroom learning with prior knowledge and experience and in their second year to apply it in a practice trainee-program in an educational context. You can decide to carry out your practice and complete your Master thesis in Donostia-San Sebastian or in other countries by taking part in an exchange program. You can continue your studies in your country of origin under the supervision of EMME faculty.
3. You will have the opportunity to listen to and interact with leading scholars in multilingual education through the Donostia Lectures on Multilingualism series.
4. You will be studying in one of the best universities in Spain. The University of the Basque Country (UPV/EHU) has been awarded the International Excellence Campus qualification. This is the highest distinction awarded by the Spanish Ministry of Education.
5. You will have the opportunity to learn Spanish and Basque. The University of the Basque Country provides free language classes to EMME students.
6. You will have the opportunity to live in one of the most beautiful cities in Europe. Donostia-San Sebastian is a multilingual city and will be the European Capital of Culture in 2016.
7. The registration fees for EMME are very competitive.

Studying EMME will be a wonderful life time experience!



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