Recanati Graduate School of Business Administration

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Deadlines:

Nomination deadline:
For the 2013 fall term: July 10th 2013.
For the 2014 spring term: November 20th 2013.

Required Documents:

Formal exchange nomination sent by home school, exchange application, record of studies, CV, two passport photos.

Study program:


**Sofaer iMBA** is a full-time program for international MBA. The program offers English courses and the exchange student participate in some of the courses. [http://imba.tau.ac.il/](http://imba.tau.ac.il/)

Courses:

Fall: [http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=1064](http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=1064)
Spring: [http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=879](http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=879)

*An updated list will be published soon

Exchange Students with a sufficient background in economics can also take courses at the Eitan Berglas School of Economics and all students can take courses at the School for Overseas Students and at the Buchmann Faculty of law.

[http://econ.tau.ac.il/graduate/english_studies.asp?theSubject=graduate](http://econ.tau.ac.il/graduate/english_studies.asp?theSubject=graduate)
[http://international.tau.ac.il/](http://international.tau.ac.il/)
Faculties/Colleges: Management

Language of Instruction: Hebrew. 2.5% of courses are given in English (see above).

English requirement: A high level of English Proficiency. The TOEFL exam is required for students from schools not affiliated with PIM. We require a minimum of 100 on the internet based test and 250 on the computer based test.

Language courses: Hebrew language courses are offered to exchange students at the Hebrew Studies Unit of TAU. [http://www.tau.ac.il/~hebrew/](http://www.tau.ac.il/~hebrew/).

Academic/Experience Requirements: Students with professional experience will benefit the most from their studies at Recanati.

Full-time Workload: Each term at Recanati runs 13 or 14 weeks and is divided into two modules. Exchange students are expected to take 4-6 credits of courses per term. Most of the courses are one credit, a credit being equivalent to two academic hours of lectures once a week, for 14 weeks. For the concentrated 7-week module, the time is four academic hours. One credit at Recanati is equivalent to 4.3 ECTS.

Learning Expectations: Most of the classes given in English accommodate 25-50 students each. The process of study combines frontal lectures with case studies and teamwork. The evaluation of class participation and attendance differs from class to class and is made at the teacher's discretion.

Grading: The TAU grading system is based on a scale of 0-100 scores: 95-100 = excellent, 85-94 = very good, 75-84 = good, 65-74 = fairly good, 60-64 = fair, 60-0 = fail. Transcripts are sent by mail to both the school and the students.

Exams: Exams are held during the month following the end of each term. A special schedule is offered to Exchange Students who are not able to take the exams on the original dates. All exams are written ones.

Term dates for the academic year 2013/2014:

Calendar The School opens two terms to Exchange Students (fall & spring). Both terms are divided into two modules, 7-weeks each.

Fall 2013: Arrival: 7-10 days before the term starts.

October 13th - January 19th
1st module: October 13th - November 29th (*Tentative)
2nd module: December 2nd - January 19th (*Tentative)
For the list of courses offered during the 2012 fall term, please view the link. [http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=1064](http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=1064)

Other relevant dates:
- Orientation program: a week before the first week of each term
- Course registration: A tentative run in September. Final run on the 2nd week of the term.
- Holidays: December 1st - Hanukah vacation.
- These dated to not include the exam period.

Spring 2014: Arrival: 7-10 days before the term starts.

February 17th - June 13th
1st module: February 17th – April 8th (*Tentative)
2nd module: April 23rd – June 13th (*Tentative)
For the list of course offered during the 2012 spring term, please view the link.
http://recanati.tau.ac.il/Eng/?CategoryID=879

Other relevant dates:
- Orientation program: first week of each term
- Course registration: A tentative run in February. Final run on the 2nd week of the term.
- Holidays: March 16th - Purim vacation.
  March 9th - April 22nd - Passover vacation.
  May 6th - Israel’s Independence Day.
- Memorial days: April 27th Holocaust Memorial Day.
  May 5th - Israel’s fallen soldiers’ Memorial Day.

Summer programs or short-term programs:
Each module of the fall term can serve as a short Exchange Program (lasting 7-weeks only).

Living Expenses:
- On campus dormitories: $400 per month (shared room - not offered every year).
- Off campus housing: $500 - $700 per month (a room in a rented apartment)

Academic Expenses:
Academic expenses: $50 per term.

Other Expenses:
- Living expenses: $1200 (transportation, food, pastime, etc.)
- Students’ activities: $100 (optional)
- Sport Club: $300 (optional)

Health insurance:
Exchange Students are required to have health insurance either from home or from an Israeli company. Estimated cost is $1.4 per day.

Visa:
The letter of acceptance may be used to obtain a student visa, or alternatively students may enter Israel on a three-month tourist visa, which can be subsequently extended to cover the remainder of their stay in Israel. The tourist visa is given at Israel’s Ben-Gurion Airport.

Facilities:
TAU's magnificent 220-acre campus is noted for its aesthetic appeal, its lush foliage, attractive buildings and majestic lawns, where students bask in the sunshine between classes. Several libraries and computer centers are available and usable. Social activities are plentiful and the campus sports and recreation center provides a broad range of activities.

Recanati has an up-to-date technological and electronic infrastructure that enables use of the latest teaching techniques. The classrooms are connected through a local area network, equipped with audio-visual, amplifying and screening systems. Throughout the building we have a local wireless network, for students who carry laptops.

Student Services:
The Office of Exchange Programs offers special cultural and social activities to Exchange Students during their one term at Recanati.

Orientation:
An orientation program is offered during the first week of each term.

Internships:
Many companies in Israel demand at least a full year internship and some knowledge of Hebrew. As for this reason, not many exchange students are looking for internships. However, some students contact the foreign embassies or other foreign companies and find short internships.

Career services:
The Office of employment guidance offers a range of services designed to assist MBA students with career planning and job placement. The office provides career assistance to exchange students, including career counseling, resume-writing assistance, access to the office’s publications.
and access to the Career Resources Center which features corporate research information, job postings and corporate contacts.

Exchange Coordinator Services: The Office of Exchange Programs is very much oriented to ensuring that Exchange Students enjoy their stay at Recanati and does its best to attend to special personal needs and requirements.

Info Dissemination: Students can get information regarding the Exchange in Recanati through the web site, by email or by regular mail.