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We take pride in our history

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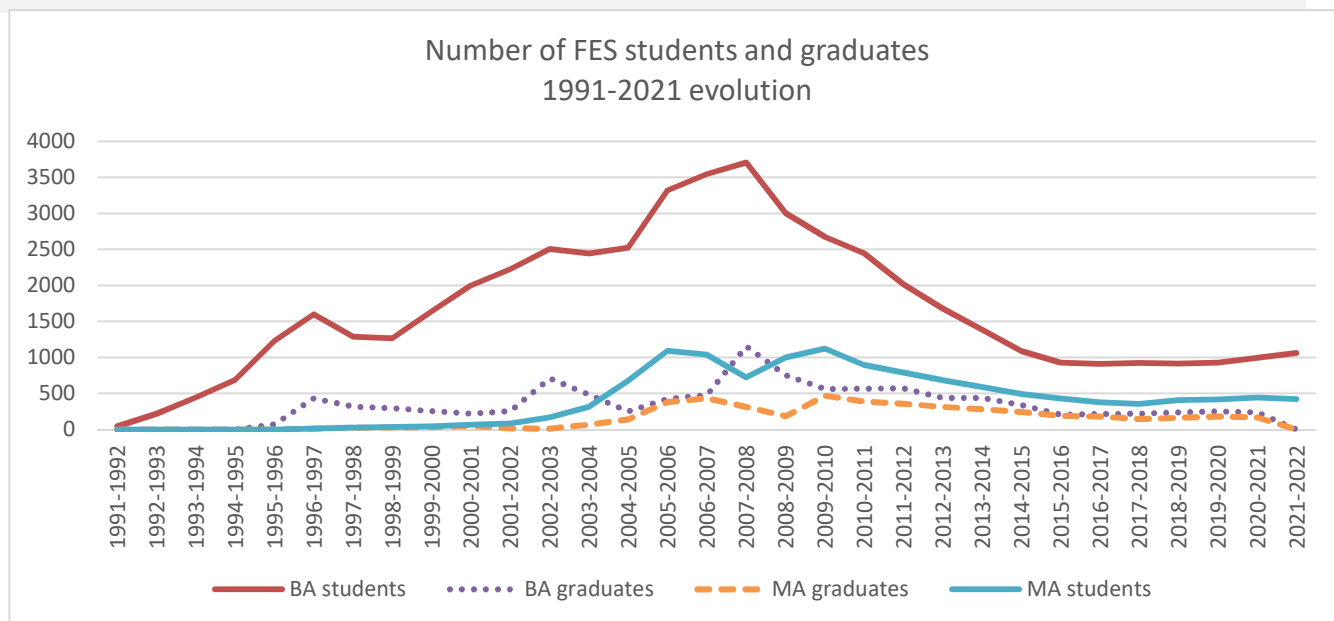


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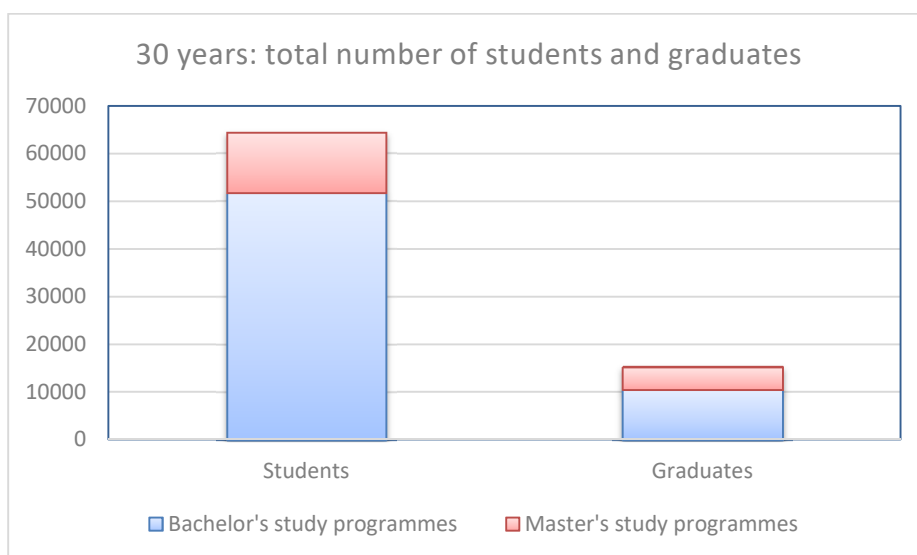
The year Oradea higher education in Economics came into being is 1991, the year in which the Faculty of Philology and Sciences within the University of Oradea founded its Economic and Juridic Sciences Department, which harnessed two programmes – 1) Marketing and 2) Tourism and Services, with a total amount of 41 students. In the academic year 1992-1993, the department morphs into the Faculty of Economic and Juridic Sciences. Aside from the original two programmes, another one is created – Management. The high demand of specialists in the field of Economics in the North-Western part of the country catalysed, in the next academic year (1993-1994), the foundation of new Study programmes: Accounting and Administration Informatics, Finance and Insurance, International Transactions.

In 1995, the Faculty of Economic Sciences becomes a self-contained faculty within the University of Oradea, separating itself from Juridic Sciences. Starting with the academic year 1999-2000, the students could opt for distance learning.



In the 30 years from its genesis, the Faculty of Economic Sciences developed perpetually on the foundation of its 6 fields of study (Business Administration, Accounting, Finance, Management, Marketing, International Economics and Business), whose cornerstone was laid in 1991-1994, becoming, thanks to the success in the local and regional market of its alumni, a prestigious higher and lifelong learning education institution for Economic Sciences in the North-Western region of Romania.

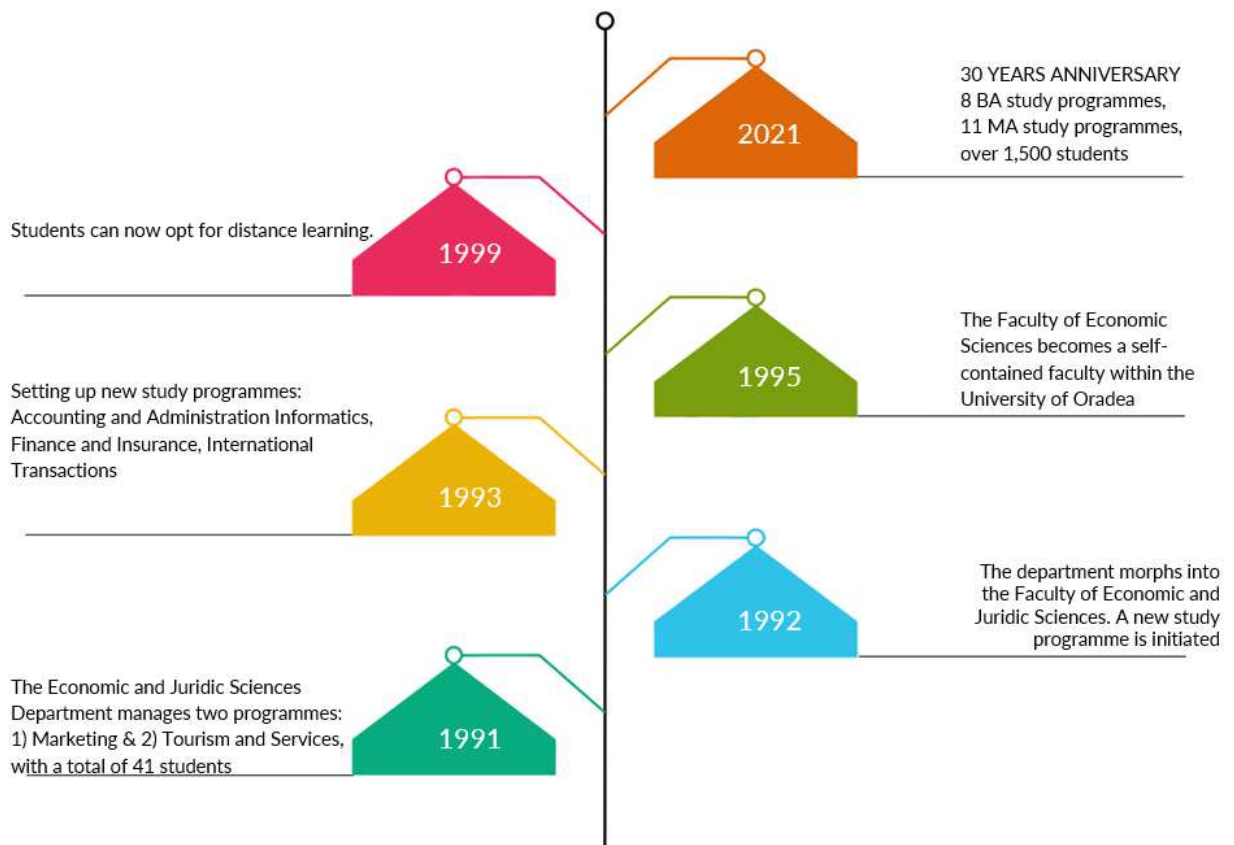
Starting 41 students and two study programmes, the Faculty of Economic Sciences currently trains over 1500 students within its 19 different Bachelor's and Master's study programmes and 3 doctoral fields. The largest number of students was registered in the academic year 2007-2008, when the Faculty of Economic Sciences had over 4400 students. Currently, the Faculty's curriculum includes 6 BA programmes (International Business; Accounting and Administration Informatics; Economics of Commerce, Tourism and Services; Banks and Finance; Management; Marketing), 2 English BA programmes (International Business and Business Administration), 11 MA programmes (Internal and International Business Administration of SMEs; Regional Business Administration; Accounting, Audit and Business Management; Tourism and Hospitality Business Administration; Banks, Insurance and Finance; Organizational Management; Marketing and Business Communication; European Economics Relations; International Business Administration in English, Business Administration in English and Advanced Management in English) and a Doctoral School in the fields of Business Administration, Economics and Finance.



In the 2021-2022 academic year there are 1062 bachelor students and 420 master students.

In its 30 years of existence, the Faculty of Economic Sciences had the honor of having 64324 of students enrolled and is proud of its 15207 graduates.

Faculty of Economic Sciences timeline



The Faculty of Economic Sciences today

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The Faculty of Economic Sciences today

The Faculty of Economic Sciences currently trains over 1500 students within its 19 different Bachelor's and Master's study programmes and 3 doctoral fields. The faculty's educational offer includes:

- 6 BA programmes in Romanian: International Business; Accounting and Administration Informatics; Economics of Commerce, Tourism and Services; Banks and Finance; Management; Marketing
- 2 English BA programmes: International Business and Business Administration
- 11 MA programmes: Internal and International Business Administration of SMEs; Regional Business Administration; Accounting, Audit and Business Management; Tourism and Hospitality Business Administration; Finance, Banks and Insurance; Organizational Management; Marketing and Business Communication; European Economics Relations; International Business Administration in English, Business Administration in English and Advanced Management in English
- Doctoral School in the fields of Business Administration, Economics and Finance.



THE TEAM

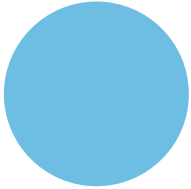
The team consists of tenured teachers, associate teachers, researchers, administrative staff without whom we would not have managed to get here. FES also appreciates the constant support from the university.

The faculty includes 4 teaching departments, 1 research center and an administrative department.

In the 30 years, the Faculty of Economic Sciences has made great progress, being a follower of continuous improvement. And we have ambitious projects and bold goals for the future.

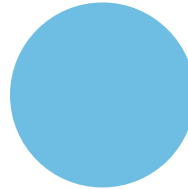
The Ingredients of Success

All departments and structures of the faculty work together in the best interests of the students.



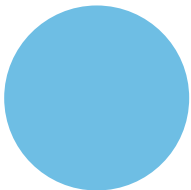
Department of Economics and Business

This department has 13 full members and manages 2 bachelor's programs, 3 master's programs and 2 doctoral school fields.



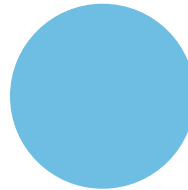
Department of International Business

This department has 16 full members and manages 2 bachelor's programs and 3 master's programs.



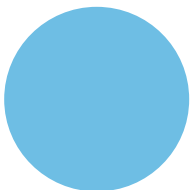
Department of Finance and Accounting

This department has 16 full members and manages 2 bachelor's programs, 2 master's programs and 1 doctoral school field.



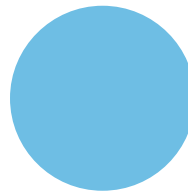
Department of Management and Marketing

This department has 14 full members and manages 2 bachelor's programs and 3 master's programs.



Research Center for Competitiveness and Sustainable Development

Research Center for Competitiveness and Sustainable Development (RCCSD) started its activity in 2007 with the aim of directing the research activity of the FES members.



Technical, Economic and Administrative Staff

This structure offers support to the faculty management and teachers and has an important role in ensuring the proper carrying out of administrative activities.

Word of Dean



Professor Alina Bădulescu, Ph.D.

Dean of the Faculty of Economic Sciences

This year, our Faculty marks also their 30th anniversary, which is an opportunity for me to tell you a few words about it. The Faculty of Economic Sciences is one of the 15 faculties of the University of Oradea, and it is constantly in top 3 faculties as number of students, regional impact, internationalization, research etc. It is committed to actively act as an important player on educational and research sectors on regional and national level. Since 1991, the FES has grown constantly and diversified its educational offer. Currently, we have almost 1,400 enrolled students, and a complete educational offer, including bachelor, master, doctoral studies, continuous learning, post-graduate programs etc. At bachelor level, we organize 8 study programs: 6 in Romanian and 2 in English, at master level, we organize 8 programs in Romanian and 3 in English, and we have a Doctoral School with 3 fields: Economics, Finance and Business Administrations, with 60 PhD students. Most of all, we are proud that most of the managers and staff of multinational corporations, banks, SMEs located in this area are alumni of our faculty.

We want this academic record to evolve upwards in order to strengthen the reputation of the faculty and to meet the exigencies and standards of the European Higher Education Area. We are aware that our success and the success of our graduates, in the conditions of Romania's integration in the European Union, is based on the development of competitive advantages. Therefore, our actions aim at permanently encouraging the active partnership between the faculty and the business environment in the interest of the local community, increasing the quality of the educational programs offered and developing international relations. We have been engaged for almost 30 years in building academic excellence, both through teaching and scientific research, closely pursuing our mission to train highly trained specialists in economics, with professional and scientific knowledge, skills and skills at the level of European and international performance, and in accordance with the requirements of the qualifications market.

Team members



**Professor Diana Sabău-Popa
Ph.D.**

**Vice-dean of the Faculty of
Economic Sciences**

For me, the Faculty of Economic Sciences at the University of Oradea means an important pillar of my education, because here, over 20 years ago, I climbed the steps of learning towards those of training the professional I am today on a multitude of levels: professor, expert accountant, financial auditor, and tax consultant. It represents that *oasis in the desert* that you are heading to quench your thirst, but in which you find an *unexpected treasure*.

Currently, as a university professor, I want to achieve what my then-teachers and my colleagues today have accomplished in completing my education: to learn, to guide, and to answer the questions of my students who have come to our faculty in search of a path. to which to go in the professional realization.

30 years of Higher Economic Education at the University of Oradea. It is a youthful age, and we are talking about generations of teachers and personalities, who have trained generations of exceptional specialists, the latter, in turn, ensuring continuity.

On its 30th anniversary, the Faculty of Economics, University of Oradea was and remains a promoter of student-centred education, which involves professional competence, the development of the faculty-student-business partnership, to ensure quality and the performance of the educational act, as well as the adaptability of the educational offer to the requirements of a constantly changing labour market.



**Associate Professor Mirabela
MATEI Ph.D.**

**Vice-dean of the Faculty of
Economic Sciences**

The 30th anniversary of the establishment of economic higher education in Oradea is a good opportunity to introspect, to remember. As an alumnus and teacher, I can say that FES has been a part of my life for a significant part of its history. When I was in high school, I knew that I wanted to study at the Faculty of Economic Sciences, University of Oradea. And I studied hard enough to make my wish come true. Later, when I was studying at the FES, I knew that I wanted to stay here as a teacher. For a person who liked to be surrounded by books and would not appreciate routine work, I knew that being a teacher would be a good thing for me. So, when I was given the chance to join the teaching staff of FES I didn't hesitate. And I'm glad I made that choice. I am grateful because I can be part of a faculty eager to progress and that I have a job where every day is different, where you can learn something every day and where, surrounded by students, you always feel young. Today, with responsibilities in areas such as management of student and social activities, research management, internationalization, and quality, I hope to be able to contribute to the further progress of the faculty. Happy anniversary FES!



**Professor Maria-Madela
ABRUDAN PhD.
Head of Management-
Marketing Department**

On this anniversary moment - 30 years of economic higher education at the University of Oradea - The staff of the Management-Marketing Department is mindful of the mission accomplished due to the role played in the development of the local community through the professional and human quality of its graduates. We have transformed the mission to prepare economists for a dynamic, competitive labour market, in the vocation to train specialists in the fields of Management and Marketing - at bachelor and master level, leaders who through spirit and entrepreneurial skills have founded and run successful companies. On this anniversary moment, the Management-Marketing Department Staff rejoices and identifies with the triad of students - teachers - employers, developed during the three decades, governed by the values of Passion, Performance and Perseverance. Our team:

- is proud of the graduates who managed to prove that the student can become better than the teacher.
- is proud of all students who through an inquisitive curiosity try to discover the secrets of the sciences and art of Management and Marketing.
- is proud of all the partners from the economic and social environment who have been with us in all the projects carried out with and for our students, including by hiring graduates; is proud of all the teachers who understood their mission as teachers, beyond the well-performed tasks, as a true vocation.

On this anniversary moment, we are aware that the modelling of specialists in the fields of Management and Marketing has been for us a continuous challenge and a guiding mission that has honoured us all these years. Through the efforts made, the creativity and dedication of the teachers within our department, we consider that we have managed to ensure with perseverance and enthusiasm a modern educational process, anchored in the requirements of the present society.

On this anniversary moment, we make a solemn promise to successfully continue the training of future economists.

VIVAT, CRESCAT, FLOREAT!

Members of the Management-Marketing Department

Professor Maria-Madela Abrudan, Ph.D.

Professor Elena-Aurelia Botezat, Ph.D.

Associate professor Simona-Aurelia Bodog

Associate professor Mirela Bucurean, Ph.D.

Associate professor Dorin-Cristian Coita, Ph.D.

Associate professor Alexandru Constăngioară, Ph.D.

Associate professor Horia-Trandafir Demian, Ph.D.

Associate professor Naiana-Nicoleta Țarcă, Ph.D.

Associate professor Mirabela-Constanța Matei, Ph.D.

Lecturer Adela-Laura Popa, Ph.D.

Lecturer Remus-Dorel Roșca, Ph.D.

Lecturer Dinu-Vlad Sasu, Ph.D.

Lecturer Oana-Maria Secară, Ph.D.

Assistant lecturer Teodora Tarcza, Ph.D.

associated teaching staff: Professor Ada Mirela Tomescu, Ph.D.



***Associate Professor Dorin BĂC, PhD.
Head of Economics and Business Administration
Department***

The Faculty of Economics has reached the age of 30. It is a young faculty, but one that shows a lot of maturity, if we look at its evolution over time. The team of the Department of Economics and Business together with the other departments within the faculty was involved in the formation of the numerous generations of students, who stepped on its doorstep. The young people who chose our faculty were prepared to become economists, but at the same time they became the graduates we, as teachers, are proud of. An important step in recent years has been the internationalization and initiation of bachelor's and master's programs in English, which proves once again that our Faculty is always looking to the future!

Members of the Economcis and Business Administration Department

Professor Alina Bădulescu, Ph.D.

Professor Daniel Bădulescu, Ph.D.

Professor Olimpia-Iuliana Ban, Ph.D.

Professor Anca-Otilia Dodescu, Ph.D.

Associate professor Dorin-Paul Băc, Ph.D.

Associate professor Adrian-Gheorghe Florea, Ph.D.

Associate professor Ioana-Teodora Meșter, Ph.D.

Associate professor Ioana-Crina Pop-Cohuț, Ph.D.

Associate professor Ramona-Marinela Simuț, Ph.D.

Associate professor Mariana Sehleanu, Ph.D.

Lecturer Diana-Claudia Perțicaș, Ph.D.

Lecturer Afrodita Borma, Ph.D.

Assistant lecturer Anca Pup, Ph.D.



Associate Professor Liana MEȘTER PhD.
Head of International Business Department

30 years of economic education at the University of Oradea ... a moment of celebration and balance, an exam in the face of time. There are years when I trained as an economist, as a teacher, years when I met people whose lack I did not even know existed - dedicated teachers, ambitious students and dear colleagues. There are years that have meant a permanent concern to find ways and means to pass on knowledge to others, to generously open the way to professional achievement. There are years when, regardless of the obstacles, we grew up, we worked, we made mistakes, we corrected our mistake or at least we tried not to repeat it. There are 30 years of projects, initiatives, energy, creative attitude, good and very good results. There are 30 years that we want to be followed by many others, at least as beautiful and fulfilled ... Happy anniversary!

Members of the International Business Department

Professor Adriana Giurgiu, Ph.D.

Associate professor Liana-Eugenia Meșter, Ph.D.

Associate professor Nicoleta-Georgeta Bugnar, Ph.D.

Associate professor Leonard-Călin Abrudan, Ph.D.

Associate professor Ioana-Claudia Horea, Ph.D.

Lecturer Ciprian-Beniamin Benea, Ph.D.

Lecturer Monica-Ariana Sim, Ph.D.

Lecturer Andrea Hamburg, Ph.D.

Lecturer Rodica Bogdan, Ph.D.

Lecturer Andra-Teodora Catarig, Ph.D.

Lecturer Felicia Constantin, Ph.D.

Lecturer Anamaria-Mirabela Pop, Ph.D.

Lecturer Cristina-Laura Abrudan, Ph.D.

Lecturer Adrian Negrea, Ph.D.

Lecturer Adina Săcară-Onița, Ph.D.

Lecturer Andreea Fora, Ph.D.



Professor Ioan Dan MORAR, PhD.
***Head of Finance and Accounting
Department***

Members of the Finance and Accounting Department

- Professor Ioan-Dan Morar, Ph.D.
- Professor Ioan-Gheorghe Țara, Ph.D.
- Professor Marcel-Ioan Boloș, Ph.D.
- Professor Claudia-Diana Sabău-Popa, Ph.D.
- Professor Victoria Bogdan, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Corneliu-Cristian Bențe, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Dorina-Nicoleta Popa, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Daniela-Mărioara Zăpodeanu, Ph.D.
- Associate professor dr. Laurențiu Droj, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Carmen-Mihaela Scorțe, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Dana-Simona Gherai, Ph.D.
- Associate professor Sorina Ioana Coroiu, Ph.D.
- Lecturer Diana-Elisabeta Balaciu, Ph.D.
- Lecturer Luminița Rus, Ph.D.
- Lecturer Mărioara Beleneși, Ph.D.
- Assistant lecturer Ioana-Florina Coita, Ph.D.

Research staff of the Faculty of Economic Sciences

Scientific researcher Tomina Săveanu, Ph.D.

Roxana Hatos, PhD.

Administrative Staff

Florentina Urs, Chief secretary

Ioana Prodan, Chief administrator

Otilia Tomescu, secretary

Natalia Bot, secretary

Zsolt Ceghi, technical support

Iulia Pop, technical support

Cosmin Știr, technical support

Programmes of study within the Faculty of Economic Sciences

Bachelor Programmes (180 credits/6 semesters)		
No.	Field of study	Name of the program
1.	Business Administration	Business Administration (in English) Economics of Commerce, Tourism and Services
2.	International Economics and Business	International Business International Business (in English)
3.	Accounting	Accounting and Management Informatics
4.	Finance	Finance and Banking
5.	Management	Management
6.	Marketing	Marketing

Master Programmes (120 credits/4 semesters)		
No.	Field of study	Name of the program
1.	Business Administration	Business Administration in Tourism and Hospitality Industry Regional Business Administration Business Administration (in English)
2.	International Economics and Business	European Economic Relations Internal and International Business Administration of SMEs International Business Administration (in English)
3.	Accounting	Accounting, Auditing and Business Administration
4.	Finance	Finance, Banks, Insurance
5.	Management	Organizational Management Advanced Management (in English)
6.	Marketing	Marketing and Business Communication



30 (years anniversary) Alumni messages

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Messages from 30 FES graduates

15207 is the total number of FES graduates in its 30 years of existence.

30 of our alumni have shared their thoughts on the time period when they were



**Alexandra Drăghiciu,
HR Manager at Celestica
Romania**

I graduated the International Economics Relations Bachelor's Programme and the Organization Management Master's Programme within the Faculty of Economic Sciences, Oradea. I always fondly remember the years gifted to me during college, because they brought closer unknown things. Said years helped me discover fields I've grown very passionate for, fields I currently exercise in for a living.



**Ion Sorin Timiș,
Mayor of Borșa
(Maramureș)**

For more than 7 years now, I have been using everything I learned while studying at the Faculty of Economic Sciences as mayor of Borșa (Maramureș). The results can be seen not only in the many projects implemented for the people of Borșa, but in the tens of thousands of tourists visiting us annually. I am grateful for every lesson taught in school, for every friendship made and for every experience that molded me into the person I am today.



**Simona Vlad, Co-
Executive Director of
the Economic
department for the**

Now that a third decade of FES comes knocking, I fondly recall my university years. Years in which I bound beautiful, durable friendships and in which dedicated professors made their mark on my future professional development. Happy 30-year anniversary to the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea.



**Mirona Păcurar, Branch Director
for a major Romanian bank**

Now, with an anniversary occasion, I present with deepest consideration and gratefulness, a most honest "Happy 30-year anniversary" to the Faculty of Economic Sciences.

As a FES graduate, I can say that the years spent learning within this institution were defining for my career. Currently, I am working in the banking field, as a Branch Director for a major Romanian Bank.

For me, college meant a long series of challenges, but I wanted to tell the students that everything is possible with enough time and effort, perseverance managing to remove any impediment.

Deepest thanks to the professors for their dedication and implication, for offering us the opportunity of learning new things, of becoming strong characters and of picking our own path in life. I don't think there is anything more noble than moulding young minds into tomorrow's professionals.

I would like to express special thanks to Conf. univ. dr. Daniela Zapodeanu, who mentored me through completing my Bachelor's Thesis. Through her inspired advice, she helped me discover my love for the Banking System. As Napoleon Hill once said "One of the biggest secrets of success is establishing what you like to do the most, then finding a way of making a living out of it". Loving your job makes absolutely anything possible.

I am grateful for all the years I spent in college and for all the challenges that helped me discover new things and contributed to my development as a person.

Happy anniversary and may all achievements be upon you!

**Paula-Carmen Bâc (Roșca), Decision
Support Specialist at Celestica**

For me, my university years have a special meaning. These are the years in which I found my mentor, my husband, my best friend and professors who helped me discover and perfect my abilities. Here, I managed to excel as a student and started my own path in life with more confidence. I even got my first job through FES!



**Platon Judit, Economics Director
for Agroind Cauaceu Society SA**

My name is Platon Judit and I graduated the Accounting Audit and Business Administration Master's Programme of the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea in 2011.

Presently, I am an Economics Director for Agroind Cauaceu Society SA. In my professional development, the University gave me the opportunity of studying current Economics fields and facilitated my research through participation to scientific conferences along with personalities renowned in my field. After finishing my Master's studies, in 2014 I became Expert Accountant, member of CECCAR, thanks to an agreement signed between the University and CECCAR. In retrospect, I am deeply grateful to my professors for passing me their knowledge, dedication and passion towards Economics.

**Anda Filip, Project Manager &
Customer Service Team Leader for
Nidec**

For me, my college years were filled with feelings, discovery and experiences which helped me become the curious, independent and open person I am today.



Bala Patricia, teacher

In 2003 I graduated the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea, specializing in Marketing. I continued my studies, following the same faculty's Management Master's Programme.

The education I received helped me fulfil my lifelong dream of becoming a teacher. The University setting, together with the faculty and my colleagues played a highly important role in my development as a person.

Dumiter Andreea, Agrotouristic Bed and Breakfast Manager

My studies within the Faculty of Economic Sciences laid the foundation of my professional development. Today, quality specialty, economic and financial higher education is more needed than ever. As a student, I felt motivated to pursue a career in the field I studied by my professors. To become a professional, though, one needs perpetual theoretical and practical training.



Diana Bulzan, Marketing Manager at Premiere Productions.

I found my passion for Marketing while attending the Faculty of Economic Sciences.

I fondly remember my student years, my colleagues and professors. I am grateful I had the opportunity of exercising in the wonderful field of Marketing ever since I graduated. Thanks to this, I never really had to work, but instead apply the knowledge assimilated in college and continue learning (because in a field as vast and complex as Marketing, learning and innovation never stop. The satisfaction, however, is entirely worth it).

Marisca Marius, Front Desk Supervisor for Hilton

After graduating the ECTS Programme within the Faculty of Economic Sciences, I had the opportunity of establishing my theoretical basis within this field. The applied programmes and the opportunities offered by the faculty helped my first steps into working at the highest tourism level possible.



Boldan Ionuț-Marian, Management Consultant for Romactiv Business Consulting Society SRL

I graduated the Bachelor of Management program in 2016, continuing my studies at the Master's program in Internal and International Business Administration of SMEs. People learn every single day of their lives and the college years were not few. University is an essential step, necessary for the intellectual and personal development of the human structure. Moreover, it represents the road to professional maturity.

Currently, I have been working for 4 years in the field of European Funds Consulting, the knowledge assimilated throughout college helping me pass in a new phase of my life. I will forever be grateful to all the people involved in my personal and professional development.

Silviu Chiriac Owner, SC Emantes SRL

I sometimes wonder what my life would have been without education. The answer, in one single word – unfulfilled. Regarding education, the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea is, for me, a defining landmark, as it provided me with an exceptional career path.

I followed the Faculty's studies in the end part of the 90s and whenever I recall those moments I am instantly filled with this high vibration, but I also smile, remembering every treasured memory.

I bow, radiating gratitude, to all who contributed to my outstanding college years.



**Gavrău (Hadade) Mariana Cornelia,
Director at AMC Audit Accounting SRL**

My name is Gavrău (Hadade) Mariana Cornelia and I graduated Accounting and Informatics Administration in 2010. Currently, I am working as a Director at AMC Audit Accounting SRL.

The years I spent in the Faculty of Economic Sciences were not only formative and luminous, but critical to moulding me into the person I am today. I learned that I could do anything I put my mind up to, regardless of my upbringing. I learned that nothing is handed to you, but rather earned through hard work. Also, I learned that it is okay to fail sometimes, because those are the times you learn the most. Although, most importantly, I learned that one can't succeed by oneself, but rather through the help of teachers, colleagues and family.

Professors such as Carmen Scorțe encouraged and supported me through my tougher and successful times, such as participating in the National Accounting Olympiad in 2010 and 2012. Since graduating, I earned many more certificates, such as Auditor – CAFR & ASPAAS, Accounting Expert – CECCAR and Fiscal Consultant – CCF. Despite all this, the diploma I most proudly hang off the wall of my office is the one given to me by the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea.

**Diana Alina Foghiș, Owner of
the Palmeras Travel travel**

I am Diana Alina Foghiș and I graduated Tourism and Services from the Faculty of Economic Sciences. I continued my studies through the Tourism Master's Programme of the same faculty. For me, school fit perfectly with what I wanted and the switch between dream and reality was immediate. I own a travel agency called Palmeras Travel and I love what I do. I think that Tourism is the field that best fits me and in which I can evolve professionally and personally.



**Oana-Alexandra Meșter,
Executive Manager for Utopium**

I graduated the Marketing Bachelor's Programme, then followed in with my studies through the Marketing and Business Communication Master's Programme.

Perpetual learning, hard work and implication lay the foundation of our development as professionals. The Faculty of Economic Sciences, through all its extracurricular activities, truly forms tomorrow's professionals in the field of Economy and creates an elite community formed by the students, alumni and business environment.

A remarkable aspect I noticed in my 5 years at FES is the consistent willingness of the professors to combine the theoretical and practical in the teaching process.

The Faculty of Economic Sciences was, for me, a gateway towards a new field, Economics, outstanding experiences, beautiful friendships, and a lot of volunteering, all of which later helped me to find a job in the field.

"Learning sometimes is a road, but always a horizon" – Nicolae Iorga.

**Simona Pașc, Business Owner and
Multinational Corporation Employee.**

My name is Simona Pașc and I am a BA and MA graduate from the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea. I chose to specialize in the Economics of Commerce, Tourism and Services. For me, college marked the starting point for my first job and the debut of my professional development. I own a Business and am employed at a Multinational Corporation, yet I consider that I have many more extraordinary things to achieve. My wish to learn, optimism and enthusiasm are traits that define me. I think that the road to success is filled with challenges and obstacles, but every single step forward is an achievement in itself.



Roxana Morar, European Funds

Access.

My experience within the Faculty of Economic Sciences positively influenced my personal and professional development. Here I met dedicated professors who trained and stimulated us to always learn, always evolve.

I would like to offer my deepest thanks for the training I received in the course of the 3 years BA and 2 years MA Programmes, the skills, the fundamental and specialty knowledge I assimilated.

The International Affairs Bachelor's Programme and the European Economic Relations Master's Programme I graduated offered me great training in the fields of Economics and International Affairs, the acquired skills proving to be highly useful in the field I exercise in.

To wrap things up, I would like to offer my thanks yet again for the training I received, for my broadened horizons and the stimulation to perpetually evolve. As the Faculty of Economic Sciences has its 30-year anniversary, I would like to wish great professional and academic achievements to its faculty, students and alumni.



Georgeta Luca, teacher

"Hm, Marketing... sounds interesting!". That is how I started my studies in the Faculty of Economic Sciences within the University of Oradea, 25 years ago. After four years of hard work, successes and disappointments, I came to the conclusion that I made the best choice possible.

Immediately after my Bachelor's studies, I started teaching. Although I was intellectually prepared, I started this phase of my life with many doubts and fears – "What if I won't manage? What if the students won't understand me? What if...?". It turned out to be the exact opposite, I love and feel loved by my students. I simply can't put into words the pure satisfaction generated by outstanding results in competitions or Olympiads. These are my thanks – seeing my students soak in my lectures, seeing them trying and succeeding in having more meaningful and deeply intellectual conversations.

My conclusion? I can soundly say that I am one of the lucky ones who do what they love for a living. To be continued...



Raul Marcel Buboi, Industrial Service Acquisition Analyst for Exiros

The crucial role of each university is to be the solid bridge between its students and the business environment. Moreover, university must teach its students how to be valuable to said environment.

In my case, the Faculty of Economic Sciences not only did train me for my professional career, but also outstandingly played its bridge role. Through it, I managed to be recommended and started my professional pursuit only two weeks after graduating.

"A school does not reside in the walls it's built of, but rather in the spirit within it" – King Ferdinand I of Romania.



Paula Ioana Lele, Banking Clerk for Banca Comercială Română (BCR).

I spent 5 beautiful years at the Faculty of Economic Sciences, years of which I believe I made the most. In the time I spent here, I met outstanding people, lived unique experiences, made lasting friendships and most importantly developed in the person I am today. University was my take-off ramp. During my college years, I encountered many opportunities all around me, learning that each one I took brought me one step forward in my personal development.

FES was the place where I found support, empathy, friendship, evolution and a lot of hard work. If I had to go again, all the way from the start, I would do nothing differently.



Cristina Simoc (Coroi), BCR Unit manager

My name is Cristina Simoc (Coroi) and I graduated the Finance-Banks specialization of the Faculty of Economic Sciences in 2006. After that, I followed a Master's programme within the same Faculty. The University years have been the best ones of my youth, they were the years in which I developed as an adult and future professional in the field I chose. My career started in 2006 and since then, I worked for Banca Romana de Dezvoltare, Raiffeisen Bank and Banca Comerciala Romana, the latter being my current workplace. My satisfaction derives from the fact that I managed to fulfil my lifelong dream – working in the Banking System. Needless to say that the FES professors had a big contribution to my achieving said dream.

Deepest thanks to my dear professors and colleagues, who made this phase of my life one worth remembering.



Sefora Marcela Nemțeanu

As a Marketing BA and Marketing and Business Communication MA graduate, the 5 years I spent at the Faculty of Economic Sciences helped me discover the path to knowledge, helped me find the field I am most passionate about and my true calling.

Inspired by dedicated professors, I took learning the secrets of Economics step by step, during which time I found my passion for marketing and research. The professors' implication and effort to innovatively teach helped me deepen my understanding of the Marketing field with regards to its complexity and continuous evolution. The close guidance of the faculty, the application opportunities and project attendance helped me form the skills and traits that I, later, found extremely useful in the field I am currently exercising in.

Promoting knowledge, professionalism, implication and dedication towards its students place the Faculty of Economic Sciences along the valued developers of tomorrow's economists.



Iulia Boancă (Băgăian), Senior Decision Support Manager for Celestica Romania

My name is Iulia Boancă (Băgăian) and I graduated the Marketing Programme of the Faculty of Economic Sciences in 2008. I enjoyed my experience so much that I decided to spend 2 more years learning, during which I earned my double specialty Master's in Finance, Banks and Insurance and Marketing and Business Communication. FES didn't only teach me theoretical concepts, but also taught me not to be afraid of new things, that it's important to widen my area of expertise, to always be ready for change and always stay open to new opportunities.

Currently, I am working as a Senior Decision Support Manager for Celestica Romania, a job that gave me the opportunity of welcoming many of the Faculty's young alumni – people who grew under my tutelage, who managed to reach their professional maximum.



Mădălina Meze

I graduated the International Affairs Bachelor's Programme and the International Business Administration Master's Programme.

I am entirely content with my Faculty choice and immensely grateful to the Faculty and professors, who were ready to guide us. The whole University setting helped us transition to a job in the field, fact that played an enormous part in my development as a person and the development of my career.



Annamaria Rakoczi

University years are like a buffer between youth (life in Highschool) and adulthood, with all its challenges. Sometimes, the amount of new information might seem overwhelming, each exam session growing more daunting than the other, but it can surely be done! The professors provided all possible support towards passing my exams and so much more. They helped me assimilate certain notions crucial to the work of an economist. The FES team is dynamic and friendly, their Faculty-Student communication being impeccable; as Professor PhD Elena Botezat once said "chance only comes to those minds which are prepared for it".



Breje Cristina Emilia, Operation Service Manager for Banca Transilvania

My name is Breje Cristina Emilia and I graduated the Finance-Insurance specialization within the Faculty of Economic Sciences in 2000. I am currently working as an Operation Service Manager for Banca Transilvania. I am proud to have graduated FES and deeply grateful to all the professors associated with this institution for the kindness and professionalism they showed while passing on their knowledge. I found every single thing I learned in college to be extremely useful throughout my career. While studying at this faculty, I met people with beautiful souls, professors and colleagues with whom I stayed friends over the years and to whom I wish nothing but health and success.

Good luck to the future generations of professors and students!



Podhora Patrizia-Pamela, Entrepreneur

For starters, I can soundly say that I chose the right faculty. I followed the Management Bachelor Programme, followed by the Master's Programme in Accounting and Business Management and Administration.

The learning environment was a professional one, held together by active, motivating professors, radiating excitement for their work. The atmosphere, one of ease.

I found the knowledge accumulated over the course of my university years incredibly useful. It was, and still is to this day, the best initiation into the field.

Years later, I am absolutely positive I chose the right faculty.



Annabella Rákóczi, Economist for a local business

College memories always put a smile on my face. For me, the student years were some of the best in my life, filled with unique moments and challenges. A time in which I met many now-dear people and formed life-long friendships.

I will always be grateful to the professors and students who guided, advised and supported me all those years. They contributed immensely not only to my professional development, but my personal one too.

Diana Roșcău (Lascu), Email Marketing Specialist

With the occasion of the Faculty of Economic Sciences' 30-year anniversary, I would like to share a few thoughts, a decade after finishing my Master's studies within said faculty. I firmly believe in the saying "A good farmer makes a good farm", therefore I would like to express my deepest thanks to the talented professors I was lucky to study under. They made my study experience a special one, through their preparedness and willingness to teach. The 5 years I studied at the Faculty of Economic Sciences (3 BA and 2 MA) contributed immensely to my personal and professional development. They deeply made their mark in the way I refer to my job and the people I work with. Currently, as an Email Marketing Specialist within a top IT company, I am grateful I had the opportunity of training within this faculty. FES Oradea started my perpetual evolution and promises to broaden new horizons, break new ground, in the professional path its students choose to take.



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Memories from the past and hopes for the future

Lecturer Felicia Constantin, Ph.D



My memory is related to the National Translation Competition from French, Mot à monde, organized by the French Embassy in Romania. The students from our faculty have participated in all editions, since 2010.



Associate professor Dorin Coita, Ph.D. Class of 1996



I graduated the Bachelor of Tourism and Services and the Master of Marketing and Business Communication.

At the Faculty of Economic Sciences, I learned to learn.

What a great thing, how fascinating it is to learn! It was for me the main condition to make the transition to the next level in life and in the profession, the result of accumulating knowledge not only of theory but also of personal observations, direct experiences, direct interaction with many good people I met. at the faculty: teachers, students, graduates and partners in education. I thank each one of them and I wish my Faculty: „Vivat! Crescat! Floreat!”



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