





For students of the Greek public universities



# What is the Parallel Studies Program?

The Parallel Studies Program at Deree offers students the opportunity to enroll at Deree in parallel to their studies at a Greek public university. 1046 Greek public university students in Deree are currently pursuing parallel studies.

If you are a Greek public university student and want to broaden your horizons, you can pursue a bachelor's degree at Deree (a major) or complement your studies with a minor – a 6-course program in the field of your interest.

Deree offers **35 innovative programs** and **50 minors** spanning business studies, liberal arts, sciences, and fine and performing arts.

By combining two academic fields, you can tailor your dream career based on your interests. For example, if you are a law student wishing to specialize in human rights, you can study Psychology in parallel at Deree; Architecture with Marketing; Computer Engineering with Graphic Design... the possibilities are many! Combined knowledge and exposure to two educational systems will equip you with a unique skillset that will help you stand out in the global job market.

## Flexibility and support

Deree offers support to students who wish to pursue the program in a number of ways:

- Flexibility of class schedules at Deree
- The ability to transfer credits from the courses they attend at their public institution, and thus accelerate their Deree studies
- Personal attention through Academic Advising
- A generous scholarship and financial aid program for qualified students

## Stavros Niarchos Foundation scholarships

The Stavros Niarchos Foundation Scholarship Program for Parallel Studies at Deree supports promising students of the Greek public universities who wish to pursue a minor at Deree. The success of this program is in great part due to the SNF's continuous generous support, evidenced in the transition of its expendable grant for the Program to an endowment of \$1.8 million in 2019. The program has already provided 486 students with the opportunity to combine fields of study, broaden their horizons and gain access to exceptional academic and professional opportunities.

## Accreditation

Deree - The American College of Greece is accredited by the New England Commission of Higher Education and the programs offered are validated by The Open University.





## The benefits of Parallel Studies at Deree

- Gain knowledge and skills that complement your public university studies and engage in innovative specializations, highly demanded in the job market.
- Develop a professional network utilizing Deree's strong ties with leading companies and renowned professionals and academics.
- Study exclusively in English among students from 73 countries and receive sound preparation for graduate studies in international universities.
- Over 50 parallel studies students study abroad in prestigious universities (such as Bocconi University, Harvard University, LSE) and take advantage of the international internship opportunities with leading companies.
- Experience a student-centered approach to teaching and learning.
- Take advantage of Deree's career services and peer tutoring program.
- Study on a 64-acre campus bursting with activities, athletic facilities, student life, and opportunities to develop your interests.

### Minors

#### **School of Liberal Arts and Sciences**

Anthropology • Archaeology • Biology • Classics • Communication • Crime, Law and Justice • English • Environmental Studies • Gaming Technologies • History • Information Technology • International Relations • Modern European Literature • Modern Languages • Philosophy • Psychology • Sociology

#### Frances Rich School of Fine and Performing Arts

Art History • Dance and Movement Studies • Graphic Design • Music • Musicand Musical Theatre • Theatre Arts • Visual Arts

#### **School of Business and Economics**

Accounting • Business • Business Analytics • Economics • Electronic Business • Entrepreneurship Management • Financial Markets Trading • Finance • Healthcare Management • Human Resource Management • Insurance • International Business • International Reporting and Auditing • International Tourism and Hospitality Management • Leadership and Management • Logistics and Supply Chain Management • Management Information Systems • Marketing • Operations Management • Shipping Management • Sports Management

#### **Interdisciplinary Minors**

Business across Cultures • Environmental Management • European and Global Affairs • Management and Modern Languages • Tourism and Sustainability

"The SNF Program at Deree has offered me unparalleled support, the feeling of belonging, and a vast amount of opportunities, in an environment where I can fully develop my potential. It is an opportunity that the Greek youth deserves and can benefit immensely from."

#### **Dimitrios Krokos**

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