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Globalization, technological changes and the irruption of emerging powers are reconfiguring world politics and rapidly transforming our societies. This program is designed to give participants a clear understanding of the challenges of global governance.

## Objectives and Competences

The goal of this program is to introduce participants into the challenges of world governance, to make them aware of the multiple dimensions existing in the International arena, to make them easier to understand the challenges at economic and political level considering the geopolitical context and the policy processes involved

- Identify data sources and conduct rigorous bibliographic and documentary searches.
- Argue and establish, based on data and theory, plausible explanations about international phenomena and establish ways to validate or refute them.
- Prepare the presentation of reports and/or intervention proposals.
- Use English both to receive and to communicate information, analysis and proposals

## Aimed to

This is a program aimed at graduate students with degrees in social sciences (Political Science, Sociology, Economics, Business and Administration, Social Sciences), other degrees, and non-graduate students interested in international policy issues and sensitized by the problems of the current world. The subjects of the course will have the master degree level, but non-graduate students will be accepted provided they have a minimum level to follow the program.

## Profiles

The profile of participants is broad: on the one hand, graduate students with an interest in International studies and geopolitical issues, on the other hand, professionals and interested audiences that required a better understanding of current international decision-making processes.

## Academic Management

### Ana Sofía Cardenal

Associated Professor of Political Science at the Universitat Oberta de Catalunya and Associated Professor at the Pompeu Fabra University, where she teaches a course in Comparative Politics. She has been visitor researcher at the Centre of Latin American Studies of the Stanford University and Fulbright Fellow in the Politics Department at the New York University (NYU).

### Jacint Jordana

Professor of Political Science and Public Administration at the Pompeu Fabra University. He holds a PhD in Economy (University of Barcelona, 1992). His main research area is analysing public policies, specially regulatory policies and regulatory governance. He has been visiting professor at the Copenhagen Business School, Australia National University, Wissenschafts Zentrum of Berlin, California University (San Diego) and Universität Konstanz.

### Robert Kissack

At IBEI since 2008, his research profile is at the intersection of the foreign policy of the European Union (EU) and international organisation. More specifically, his main research area is the EU as an actor in the multilateral system and his book *Pursuing Effective Multilateralism* (Palgrave, 2010) was one of the first in this field. Specialised in examining the capacity of the EU to operate in many different multilateral organisations, including the ILO, FAO, UN General Assembly and Security Council, the WTO and the IMF.

## Faculty

### Carlos D. Bravo Laguna

Predoctoral FPU researcher at the IBEI, his research interests cover public policy, with a special focus on the case of the European Union. His PhD program in Political and Social Sciences is taught at Pompeu Fabra University (UPF). He holds a master's degree in International Relations from IBEI.

### Marie Vandendriessche

Affiliated Professor at the IBEI Senior Researcher and Research Coordinator, EsadeGeo Center for Global Economy and Geopolitics (Barcelona/Madrid). Her work focuses on the interface between energy and climate change, covering policy, global governance, and geopolitics.

### Joan Tallada Martín

Global health consultant, analyst and educator. As a consultant, he concentrates in evaluating healthcare programs in infectious diseases (HIV, TB and others) on one hand, and advice for political and financial sustainability and domestic resource mobilization in transition countries on the other.

### Francesca Contiguglia

Former CIA officer and current writer. She has a Master's in International Relations and International Economics from the Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies (SAIS) and a Master's in Journalism from Columbia University.



## Academic Program

32 Credits ECTS

### Subjects

International Environmental Politics	3
The Challenges of Multilevel Governance	3
Global Health Governance	3
Technology and Global Governance	3

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