

ACE – Triple Degree in Business: America, China, Europe

Edition 2026/2027

1st year at Luiss – 2026/2027

	Semester	ECTS
Microeconomics (BA01)	1	8
Principles of Accounting (BA02)	1	6
Calculus (BA03)	1	8
Introduction to Business Law (BA04)	1	6
Macroeconomics (BA07)	2	6
Fundamentals of Management (BA05)	2	6
Statistics (BA06)	2	8
WID (University Writing)[2] (ACE01)	2	8[1]
Coding in Action Lab (LABA10)	2	8
Fundamental Principles of Calculus (ACE11)[2]	2	6[1]

2nd year at Luiss – 2027/2028

	Semester	ECTS
International Politics and Business (ACE03)	1	8
Introduction to International Business (ACE04)	1	6
Global Financial Environment (ACE05)	1	8
Doing Business in Europe (ACE06)	1	6
International and EU Economic Law (ACE07)	2	6
Data Analysis (ACE08)	2	6
Introduction to Computing, Artificial Intelligence and Biotechnology	2	6
Language course: Chinese	2	8
Chinese Institutions and Culture (ACE02)	2	6

[1] These credits don't count toward your Luiss degree or GPA, but are required to complete the ACE program and receive degrees from RUC and GW.

[2] This course will be delivered for ACE students only. Lessons will start after the selections are completed, around the end of February 2027.



3rd year at Renmin University of China (RUC) –2028/2029

	Credits	Transfer to Luiss[3]
Two seminars among the following: • Seminars on China's Modern History • Seminars on Traditional Chinese Culture • Seminars on China's Economy	2	Humanities (LABA12 – 2 ECTS)[4]
Chinese Language Course	11	n/a[5]
Brand Management	2	n/a[4]
Human Resource Management	3	Entrepreneurship and Innovation (BA34 – 6 ECTS)
Management Communication	2	n/a[4]
Organizational Behavior	2	Distinctive Employability Skills Lab (LABA03 – 6 ECTS)[3]
Supply Chain Management	2	n/a[4]
Fundamentals of Marketing	3	Marketing (BA015 – 8 ECTS)
1 course among: • Leadership Theory and Practice • Business Processes • Management Accounting • Consumer Behavior	2	Computer Skills Lab (LABA11 – 4 ECTS)[3]
Operation Management	2	Data Analysis for Business (BA33 – 4 ECTS)
One elective course[3]	2	n/a[4]

[3] This table lists the Luiss courses that will be recognized upon receipt of the Transcript of Records from RUC. Please note that any change in the academic offer at RUC might result in a change in the course transferred at Luiss.

[4] This course provides a pass/fail assessment (no grade out of 30).

[5] These credits don't count toward your Luiss degree or GPA, but are required to complete the ACE program and receive degrees from RUC and GW.



4th year at George Washington University (GW) – 2029/2030

	Credits	Transfer to Luiss[6]
U.S. Business in the World Economy	3	Industrial Economics (BA011- 6 ECTS)
Financial Management and Markets	3	Financial Statement Analysis (BA09 – 8 ECTS)
Strategic Management	3	n/a[7]
Business Leader Development Program	2	International Business Law (BA35 – 6 ECTS)
International Monetary and Financial Issues	3	n/a[5]
International Business Finance	3	Financial and ESG Performance Evaluation (BA20 – 6 ECTS)
Advanced Statistics	3	n/a[5]
Two elective courses	3 x 2	Elective (6 ECTS)
Elective	3-7	AI Applications for Management (BA31 – 6 ECTS)
Final Thesis	4	n/a[8]

[6] This table lists the Luiss courses that will be recognized upon receipt of the Transcript of Records from GW. Please note that any change in the academic offer at GW might result in a change in the course transferred at Luiss.

[7] These credits don't count toward your Luiss degree or GPA, but are required to complete the ACE program and receive degrees from RUC and GW.

[8] The Final Work, or Final Thesis, will be completed for the ACE program as a joint requirement for all universities. More details in page 4.



Important Rules

- This study plan is designed for students starting the ACE program in the academic year 2026/2027.
- Interested students are required to read and understand the study plan and its rules. These are to be considered binding to the successful completion of the triple degree program.
- The list of courses may be subject to changes should the academic offer at Renmin University, George Washington University or Luiss be amended.
- As part of the ACE program, students will be required to enroll in the major in International Business and Strategy.
- The listed exams must be taken and passed in the academic year indicated in the scheme (not after). Any possible change must be formally authorized by the Academic Commission.
- During the mobility, students will be subject to the rules of RUC (third year) and GW (fourth year) for all matters related to their academic life.
- Regarding transfer of credits to GW: students must obtain a grade of 21/30 or higher at Luiss and a grade of C- or higher at RUC to receive transfer credit for the course.
- At the end of the program, if compliant with all academic requirements, students will obtain three degrees:
    - Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration by Luiss
    - Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration by RUC
    - Bachelor of Science Degree in Business/International Business by GW

Final Work

- Students are required to complete their final work / theses during their fourth year at GW.
- Students must respect the thesis procedures and deadlines from all institutions. Each institution will grade the final thesis according to its own standards.
- Each supervisor has to approve the proposal specific to that supervisor's institution, with the proposals also being different products that must meet the standards of the respective institutions.
- Further details on the thesis writing will be provided by the end of the third year or the beginning of the fourth year.
- Students are reminded that they are required to comply with the Luiss regular procedure regarding the thesis assignment, registration for the degree exam and upload of the thesis. For further information, please check the following page.



Conversion Tables

Please note that the conversion table may be revised and updated ahead of the mobility in the a.y. 2028/2029 should the distribution of grades at the partner universities change.

Conversion table for grades obtained at RUC

RUC			Luiss
Grades	GPA	Score	
A	4.0	90 - 100	30 e lode
A-	3.7	86 - 89	30
B+	3.3	83 - 85	29
B	3.0	80 - 82	28
B-	2.7	76 - 79	27
C+	2.3	73 - 75	26
C	2.0	70 - 72	25-24
C-	1.7	66 - 69	23
D+	1.3	63 - 65	22-21-20
D	1.0	60 - 62	19-18
P	1.0	Qualified Class Test	Pass
F	0	Under 60 or Unqualified	< 18 fail

Conversion table for grades obtained at GW

GW	Luiss
A	30 e lode
A-	30
B+	29
B	28
B-	27
C+	26
C	25
C-	24
D+	23
D	22
D-	21 - (18)
F	< 18



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