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University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Kenan-Flagler Business School

Are you considering doing your Ph.D. in the US at one of the world's best business schools?

The Institute of Economic Studies is looking for a highly motivated Master student for a **study abroad** at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Kenan-Flagler Business School (UNC Kenan-Flagler), in the Spring semester 2022/2023.

This semester study abroad opportunity is designed as a unique opportunity to **audit several courses** in top-ranked doctoral programs at UNC, including doctoral seminars (e.g. Seminar in Accounting Research, Corporate Finance, Macroeconomics and Asset Pricing).

UNC Kenan-Flagler consistently ranks as one of the world's best business schools. It is ranked as the [19th best business school](#) in the US by US News and World Report. To learn more about its doctoral program, please see this link: <https://www.kenan-flagler.unc.edu/programs/phd/>. Be sure to click on the link for *Job Market Candidates and Placements* for a list of business schools where recent graduates have accepted assistant professor positions.

Information: To learn more about the opportunity, we are organizing a virtual meeting with Professor [Wayne Landsman](#) from UNC Kenan-Flagler on Zoom, where he will shortly introduce UNC Kenan-Flagler and discuss all aspects of the exchange. This meeting will be held on May 10 from 5 pm. You might join the meeting via [this link](#).

Meanwhile, you can learn more about UNC Kenan-Flagler, please click on this link for a video. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yLTuL7AKEY4>

Eligibility: Any Master's degree student in the academic year 2022/2023 is eligible to apply.

Applications: The application must contain all the following documents:

- CV (including applicant's email and phone number)
- Cover letter – applicants should explain why they are interested in the study exchange and how they expect to benefit from it; they are also encouraged to highlight their strengths and qualifications to become a perfect candidate for the study exchange
- Specific study plan at UNC
- Letter of recommendation from an academic at IES FSV UK
- Transcript of study results from the SIS and a total grade point average for both study cycles (Bachelor and Master)

- Students enclose their Bachelor thesis and its referee reports if available, and bachelor's degree students submit their Bachelor-thesis project.

The application may further contain the following if available:

- official language certificates
- GMAT or GRE test scores
- relevant certificates confirming further education and achievements

Applicants must send all the requested documents electronically in one zipped file to Lenka Šťastná, lenka.stastna@fsv.cuni.cz no later than **May 20, 2020, 23:59**.

Selected applicants will be then invited for an online interview.

Conditions: Students do not pay any tuition at UNC, but they are expected to cover their living costs. Students must get a specific amount of ECTS credits as given by the Dean's provision No.15/2018. Immediately after the stay, students must deliver requested documents to the International Office.

Funding: Students should apply for funding from the Rector's Mobility Fund, which might provide approximately CZK 100,000. In addition, students might apply for a [scholarship](#) from the Faculty of Social Sciences which gives a change for approximately additional CZK 40,000. Current funding minimum required for living expenses is \$2,000/month for an exchange visitor, but it is far more than what students usually spend.

To Learn more about living in Chapel Hill, please see this video:

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