

## **IÉSEG School of Management gains EQUIS accreditation for 5 more years**

IÉSEG School of Management in France is pleased to announce that it has obtained the EQUIS accreditation for another 5 years, confirming its place amongst the elite international business schools. The School, which already holds the triple crown of international accreditations (EQUIS, AACSB, and AMBA) is the first French institution with a 5-year Grande École program to be accredited EQUIS for the maximum period of 5 years.

“This achievement recognizes and rewards the efforts of all stakeholders, including members of the governing bodies, faculty, administrative staff, students, alumni and all our partners,” explains Director Jean-Philippe Ammeux. “The engagement, professionalism, motivation, and strong, common values of all the IÉSEG community impressed the EQUIS auditors.”

The quality of the School has been recognized according to top international standards, notably in terms of internationalization (programs, faculty, and students), governance, the quality of its programs, research, its engagement in terms of corporate social responsibility, and ethics, etc.

This 5-year accreditation provides a solid foundation for the future development of the School both in France and internationally, in terms of:

- Attracting French and international students who wish to pursue an excellent education in management;
- Helping its graduates to develop their international careers;
- Enhancing its international visibility, for example enabling it to develop new partnerships with the best international business schools.

This outcome is also another step towards achieving the School’s collective Vision for 2025: "Empowering Changemakers for a Better Society".

**About IÉSEG School of Management:** Established in 1964, IÉSEG School of Management is one of the top business schools in France. As a French Grande École and member of the *Conférence des Grandes Écoles*, IÉSEG is one of the most prestigious higher education institutions in the country. It has also been awarded the triple crown of international accreditations: AACSB, AMBA, and EQUIS. The School currently has 5 150 students at its two campuses; the historic campus in Lille and at Paris at La Défense, Europe’s biggest business hub. Bachelor, Master of Science and Postgraduate Programs at IÉSEG are taught in English. IÉSEG collaborates closely with the largest institute of research in Europe, the French National Centre for Scientific Research (CNRS). 81% of IÉSEG's permanent faculty is international, and the school has a network of more than 280 partner universities in 69 countries.

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