



# MET

UNIVERSITY

Your Freedom in Learning

**FLIPPED  
LEARNING**

**GLOBAL 3+2  
BACHELOR + MASTER'S  
DOUBLE DEGREE**

**3+1  
BACHELOR + NON-THESIS  
MASTER'S DEGREE**





# MEF University

MEF University is a non-profit, endowment-supported university in Istanbul, Turkey, established with the mission to graduate internationally competitive forward-thinking students and to bring together leading research-oriented scholars, who will make globally-significant contributions to their professions, to science, and to technology.

MEF University is known for its international outlook, high academic standards, dynamic and accessible management, and for responding to the requirements of the current generation with state-of-the-art academic programs and innovative technology-enhanced student-centered teaching methods.

vision:  
educate innovative and  
entrepreneurial global  
leaders to shape the  
future

MEF University is a continuation of MEF Educational Institutions, which have been the benchmark of quality in primary and secondary education in Turkey since 1972. The MEF Educational Institutions are seen as the symbol of innovation, difference, and excellence in education in Turkey and are recognized for the contribution they have made to the education sector with their wealth of knowledge and experience. MEF University was established by the İbrahim Arıkan Education and Scientific Research Support Foundation in 2012 with the aim of continuing this success into higher education.



## Message from the Founder

"Adding to what we have achieved at the MEF Schools, we strive to educate our students to become individuals who can discuss every topic or issue, express their opinions, and question everything, so as not to have developed only a professional specialization, but a true vision and aptitude towards life."

Dr. İbrahim ARIKAN (1941-2016)  
Founder



## Message from the Rector

"MEF University is a center of education and research established with the purpose of bringing about innovations, being a pioneer in global higher education, and graduating students who will be professionals, leaders and entrepreneurs."

Prof. Dr. Muhammed ŞAHİN  
Rector



# Flipped Learning

In Flipped Learning, lower-level cognitive tasks such as remembering and understanding are carried out prior to the class hours, and students concentrate on the higher-level cognitive tasks - applying, analyzing, evaluating and creating - during the class hours through peer learning, facilitated by their instructor. At MEF University, knowledge transfer to students takes place prior to the class through course videos prepared by professors, and other supporting materials, all made available through a digital platform. In this way, direct instruction is given outside the classroom, and the classroom is transformed into a dynamic and interactive group learning and indirect instruction space.

The professor guides students as they apply concepts and engage creatively with the subject matter, allowing them to internalize and develop their knowledge - the real essence of being a learner - in the classroom and to co-generate new knowledge through collaboration and discussion.

the first and only university globally to use the flipped learning method across the whole university and across all programs

## Global 3+2 Bachelor and Master's Double Degree

In a 3+2 program, students study the first three years of their undergraduate education at MEF University and join the global partner institution in the fourth year as study-abroad students. The credits earned at the partner institution are transferred back home towards the MEF Bachelor degree. After the fourth year, the students continue at the graduate level with the global partner and earn a Master's degree from the international partner institution.

the first and only university in Turkey to implement global 3+2 double degree programs across all academic disciplines

## 3+1 Bachelor and Non-Thesis Master's Degree

To give you a head start in your career, MEF University provides flexibility in course selection and course load, making it possible for students to complete the 240 ECTS Bachelor program in 3 years, and a non-thesis Master's degree in the 4<sup>th</sup> year.





# Internationalization

MEF University strongly believes that diversity in the classroom enriches the overall quality of education. "Internationalization at home" is part of our mission and we are confident to attract a large body of international students, as well as a sizable international faculty.

All programs at MEF University are taught fully in English apart from Law, which is 30% in English. The required English proficiency of students is CEFR B2 at the time of starting in their academic program. Students not meeting this requirement need to complete the MEF English Language Preparatory Program where all instructors are non-Turkish.

the first and only English language preparatory program in Turkey with all foreign instructors and all material digitally available free of charge

all programs taught fully in English

[apart from Law, which is 30% in English, the maximum permitted under Turkish law]

# Faculties and Programs

## Undergraduate

**Faculty of Education**  
Mathematics Teaching  
Guidance and Psychological Counseling  
English Language Teaching

**Faculty of Law**  
Law

**Faculty of Economics, Administrative and Social Sciences**  
Economics  
Business Administration  
Political Science and International Relations  
Psychology

**Faculty of Engineering**  
Computer Engineering  
Electrical-Electronics Engineering  
Industrial Engineering  
Civil Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering

**Faculty of Arts, Design and Architecture**  
Architecture  
Interior Design

## Graduate

Architectural Design  
Big Data Analytics  
Entrepreneurship



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# Campus Life

MEF University campus is located in Maslak, a financial and commercial center on the European side of Istanbul. Facilities are brand new, secure, and high-tech. The campus is conveniently situated within a walking distance from a Metro station, and adjacent to a culture and arts complex with a wide variety of activities.



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