Master of Environmental Policy

Become a Global Environmental Leader

New economic opportunities in emerging economies and around the globe have brought complex environmental challenges – from increased air and water pollution to food security to energy and climate change. Duke Kunshan University's international Master of Environmental Policy (iMEP) program prepares its graduates to meet these pressing challenges through effective policy solutions drawn from an array of disciplines.

The iMEP Program at Duke Kunshan University seeks to graduate innovative, skilled agents of change, who can offer workable, highly impactful solutions for addressing the world's most pressing environmental dilemmas. Come enroll in our program and become part of a unique group of future leaders in the field of environmental policy and management.

- Denis Simon, PhD Executive Vice Chancellor, Duke Kunshan University





THE IMEP EXPERIENCE

- Degree from Duke University, ranked top 3 in the world for environmental management and policy by U.S. News and World Report
- Networking and internships in China and the US
- World-class faculty
- Opportunities for research
- Vibrant international community on a LEED-certified green campus

QUICK FACTS

Type: Full time Length: 2 years

Location: Duke University &

Duke Kunshan University

Language: English Scholarship: Available

SCHOLARSHIPS

Duke Kunshan University is committed to enrolling a highly talented, diverse and international student body. Scholarship support is available to help achieve these goals and we are dedicated to providing full or partial scholarships to students who need financial support.

CURRICULUM

The four-semester, 16-course iMEP program is designed to capture the skills necessary for a new generation of environmental leaders. It is the first in the world to draw together the important core requirements in environmental management and public policy. These include economics, political science, sociology, history, law, statistics and environmental science.

Year 1 Fall

Environmental Economics Statistics & Program Evaluation for Environmental Policy Environmental Policy Analysis

Fundamentals of Geospatial Analysis

Year 2 Fall (Option to study at Duke University)

Master's Project Capstone* Environmental Impact Evaluation Business Strategy & the Environment

Applied Environmental Valuation Methods

Year 1 Spring

Environmental Science
Environmental Economics
Policy Practicum
Environmental Policy Process
Energy Economics and Policy

Year 2 Spring

Master's Project Capstone* Environmental Law, Governance and Regulation Environment & Development Economics

Climate Change Law & Policy

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Students of the iMEP program emerge with the skills they need to forge evidence-based environmental policy solutions in the public and private sectors. You will have an opportunity to be paired with a career advisor who is there to share first-hand experience and offer personalized advice to help you hone professional skills.

Career opportunities include:

- Environment Ministry
- Environmental NGO
- Sustainability Department in International Company
- Environment & Engergy Consulting Firm
- Envrionment & Engergy Department in Financial Firm

Students want skills they can use in their jobs: economics, statistics, program evaluation, policy analysis and science translation that are finely tuned to the environmental policy realm. The interdisciplinary nature of the iMEP program sets it apart to uniquely train a new generation of environmental leaders.

- Erika Weinthal, PhD, Professor and Associate Dean, Nicholas School of the Environment, Duke University

APPLICATION

PRIORITY DEADLINE January 15

Applications submitted after the deadline will be considered if places are still available. Please email: iMEP@dukekunshan.edu.cn to find out more.



See our website for more information on how to apply: www.dukekunshan.edu.cn

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must hold the equivalent of a US bachelor's degree from an accredited institution

- Online application form
- Resume
- Statement of purpose
- Letters of recommendation
- Transcript
- Official GRE score
- Official TOEFL or IELTS score

^{*} Under faculty supervision, small groups of students will work with clients to develop solutions to real-world environmental policy challenges. Courses are subject to change.