

SECTION 1 – PRESENTATION OF THE COMPANY

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University LUISS Guido Carli (Rome, Italy) was founded in 1974. It is a private non-profit organisation, financially and administratively independent. LUISS Guido Carli is closely affiliated to the Italian industry, and in particular to Confindustria (the Italian Industrial Association). LUISS Guido Carli includes three faculties (Economics and Business; Law; and Political Sciences), twenty Research Centres, and five Doctoral Programs (Management Information Systems; History and Theory of Economic Development; Project Financing; Economic and Business Law; International Law).

1.2 – ACTIVITY OF THE COMPANY

The School of Management is one of the Research Centres of LUISS Guido Carli and is aimed to develop and disseminate research studies in the field of management. School of Management has also educational purposes as supervisor of the Master Program in Business Administration (MBA). Research activities cover a large range of topics dealing with basic and applied scientific research in the field of management and organisation studies. The School of Management numbers about 30 researchers: 10 with permanent positions (mainly professors and assistant professors of the university) and over 20 PhD students and post-docs.

1.3 – KEY PROJECTS/KNOWLEDGE AREAS

The School of Management has developed a number of focus areas, often resulting from the fruitful interaction of theoretical approaches and field studies such as the management of innovation and technology, evolutionary theory of the firm, socio-economic approaches of education, training and employment; health care management, local economic development; organisational design and strategic planning. The result has been the creation of collective competencies from years of practice with these methodologies: modelling techniques, qualitative analysis, experimental methods, social network analysis and quantitative analysis etc.

1.4 – INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

Institutional member of the EMFD, the School of Management is strongly supported by a network of leading international business schools. Among these, we have established relationships with many prestigious institutions such as the University College of Dublin, the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, the University of Texas at Austin, the Wharton School (University of Pennsylvania), the Uppsala University, the Chalmers University of Technology, the University of Birmingham, the University of Pittsburgh, the IESE Business School of Barcelona, the IE Business School of Madrid, INSEAD and the University of Amsterdam. Moreover we have some kind of agreements that rests on a continuative and established cooperation between our postgraduate programme and other Universities, allowing students from both institutions to spend a period of study abroad. Among these: ESSEC Business School, the Paris Dauphine University and the Hong Kong University.

SECTION 2 – SELECTED INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCES

COUNTRY	PROJECT	DATE	FUNDING AGENCY
INDIA	Italy/Hyderabad (India) - Programme " Competing For Excellence "- Advanced Management Programme Study Tour in collaboration with the Administrative Staff College of India.	1999-2002	EU
POLAND	" Training Needs Assessment and European Training " (Phare, 2000). This project is a component of a wider programme aimed at developing Poland to the accession to EU.	2002	EU-PHARE
POLAND	" Training of Local Elected Officers, Personnel and Civil Servants " (Phare, 2000). The general objective of this project is to provide further support to the ongoing process of public administration reforms and to increase the ability of the structures of the state to implement the mechanism of institutional integration with the EU.	2003	EU- PHARE
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	Tacis Project " Development of educational links and professional and higher education initiatives (Deplhi 2) " - (Ministry of Education – 2003-2005). Luiss is member of the Consortium that is implementing the project, focused on Vocational Training, Managerial Training and Distance Learning.	2003-05	EU-TACIS
ITALY	Study of economics, benefits and financing of e-government. The project aimed to investigate, further to the analysis of the Communication "On the role of E-Government for Europe's Future", overall expenditure on eGovernment for the modernisation of public administrations and present a report summarising the situation. The main output is to review the benefits and economics of eGovernment (the cost of "non e-Government) and to propose on this basis benefits, performance and usage-based indicators to Council. Founded by the European Commission	2005	EU
UK, NEDERLANDS, GREECE	COMMORG "organisational implication of the e-mail introduction" : the impact of the e-mail using and of the updated communication instruments on the structures and organisational processes. Founded by the European Commission.	2001-2004	EU
UK, GERMANY, POLAND, ROMANY, CZECH REP.	West-East ID: Industrial districts' re-location processes in the perspective of EU enlargement. Founded by the European Commission.	2001-2005	EU