Programme overview
The MSc in Environmental Management and Policy aims to prepare students for a career focusing on environmental management in business/industry or environmental policy in public authorities. The programme integrates subjects such as organisation and governance of companies, technical systems in companies and in society, environmental economics, environmental law, environmental policy and sustainable consumption. The structure of the programme is based on the focus on industry/organisations and policy/public authorities. From the second semester, there is a departure from the traditional division of courses by subject and the courses instead focus on problem areas: How can environmental problems be assessed? How do companies and organisations work to prevent and solve environmental problems? How is control exercised over companies and individuals by public authorities? The second half of the programme focuses on application of knowledge, involving projects with external organisations and individual research.

Special features of the programme
The vibrant and engaging educational environment at the IIIEE becomes a platform for learning in a variety of dimensions. This is enabled by the diversity and experience in the student group coupled with dedicated and interdisciplinary staff, gathered in a unique building in the heart of Lund. From a fundamentally practical standpoint, change starts in the reality of today; therefore, our students are challenged to develop professional skills, knowledge and networks in close collaboration with the surrounding society.

The dual focus of the programme, on management and policy, means that we are able to train future decision makers in environmental policy that have a good understanding of the realities of environmental management in business, as well as future decision makers in corporate environmental management that have a good understanding of environmental policy. Increasingly we find that many alumni, regardless of their employer, work in the intersection of public policy and corporate management to move the environmental agenda further.

Courses/programme structure
The programme is composed of four blocks. Although the course curriculum is fixed, (there are no elective courses), the nature of several course components allows for a great deal of individual customisation. The minimum time on campus in Lund is 9 months.

INTRODUCTORY BLOCK (30 CREDITS) There are two different entry tracks to the programme: Web based, part time, October – June: This track is conducted online at half speed, which makes it possible to combine studies with other activities such as internships or work. Campus based, full time, January – June: For students who are required to study full time on campus due to scholarship or student loan requirements, an on-site coordinated track is available.

The courses in the introductory block provide essentials for the coming parts of the programme and include: environmental science, business fundamentals, principles of technical systems, economics and consumption.

ADVANCED BLOCK (30 CREDITS) AND APPLIED BLOCK (30 CREDITS) August – May: These nine months require full-time on campus presence in Lund. It is an intense period, filled with lectures, seminars, excursions, study visits, group projects, and individual assignments. Courses include: Environmental Management in Practice: Technology, Actors and Systems, Environmental Assessment Methods, Environmental Management in Organisations, Corporate Environmental Management in Practice, and Policies and Approaches to Sustainability, Applied Research in Sustainable Consumption and Production, Strategic Environmental Development, and Applied Research Methods. Practitioners, alumni included, have an important role in the teaching. Two courses involve group work with real world clients (the first course focuses on business, and the second on policy organisations) where students provide input on real challenges that the client is grappling with.

MASTER’S THESIS BLOCK (30 CREDITS) June – September: In this block the student performs and defends an individual research project. Graduation week takes place on campus in late September.
Career prospects
The IIIEE MSc programme opens the door to a wide range of international environment-focused careers. Our 700+ alumni have taken positions in industry, consultancy, government, EU bodies, NGOs, academia and international organisations such as the UN, the World Bank and the OECD - essentially integrating into all relevant spheres for advancement of the environmental agenda. Search for IIIEE at www.linkedin.com to see what positions our graduates hold at present, and how they have moved forward in their careers.

Entry requirements and how to apply
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
An undergraduate degree with a major (90 ECTS credits) in topics relevant for the programme, see www.iiiee.lu.se. English 6/English Course B. See www.lunduniversity.lu.se for details on English proficiency levels.

HOW TO APPLY
1. Apply online: Go to www.lunduniversity.lu.se/emp. Click on “Apply” and follow the instructions for the online application at www.universityadmissions.se, the Swedish national application website. Rank the chosen programmes in order of preference.
2. Submit your supporting documents:
   • General supporting documents: Check what documents you need to submit (i.e. official transcripts, degree diploma/proof of expected graduation, translations, proof of English, passport) and how you need to submit them at www.universityadmissions.se.
   • Programme-specific supporting documents: When applying for this programme you also need to submit a covering letter, including a statement of purpose and a CV, and two letters of recommendation. Instructions can be found at www.iiiee.lu.se.
3. Pay the application fee (when applicable).

SELECTION CRITERIA
Previous academic performance and relevant experience, in addition to the statement of purpose and recommendation letters.

TUITION FEES
There are no tuition fees for EU/EEA citizens. For non-EU/EEA citizens the tuition fee for this programme is SEK 150 000 per year. For details on tuition, see www.lunduniversity.lu.se

About the IIIEE
In 1994 the Swedish Parliament established the International Institute for Industrial Environmental Economics at Lund University. It is a unique and creative response to the global challenge for sustainable development. It grew out of concern that, within industry and government, where the power to affect environment conditions – negatively or positively – is greatest, decisions affecting the environment were still being made as a response to problems after they had arisen. Environmental problems need to be tackled at source and environmental perspectives integrated in decision-making at all levels. IIIEE is part of Lund University and governed by a board appointed by the University and the Government. We educate through MSc and PhD programmes.

About Lund University
Lund University was founded in 1666 and is repeatedly ranked among the world’s top 100 universities. The University has 41,000 students and 7,500 staff based in Lund, Helsingborg and Malmö. We are united in our efforts to understand, explain and improve our world and the human condition.

Lund is Sweden’s most attractive study destination. The University offers one of the broadest ranges of programmes and courses in Scandinavia, based on cross-disciplinary and cutting-edge research.

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