ST.GALLEN, SWITZERLAND – On September 13th, 2021 the Financial Times published its annual rankings of international Master’s in Management programmes, placing the University of St.Gallen’s (HSG) Strategy and International Management programme (SIM-HSG) in the top position for a record eleventh consecutive time.

“Management education is a powerful agent to bring about fundamental change, spur progress in organizations and contribute to the well-being of humanity and our planet,” said SIM-HSG managing director Omid Aschari.

The yearly Financial Times ranking weighs different criteria ranging from quality of faculty, international mobility, aims achieved and female students. Their examination of economically-themed programmes at the university level has long been a benchmark of academic excellence worldwide.

In retaining the top spot in the 2021 rankings, the SIM programme has outperformed 99 other international higher education establishments and universities offering Master’s in Management programmes. HEC Paris was placed second and the University College Dublin: Smurfit Business School was third.

Further information on the FT Ranking can be found at: https://rankings.ft.com/rankings/5/masters-in-management-2021

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University of St.Gallen (HSG)
Founded in 1898, the University of St.Gallen (HSG) is Switzerland’s leading business university, and consistently ranks among the top European business schools. In 2020, it ranked seventh in the Financial Times European Business School Ranking and its Strategy and International Management (SIM-HSG) programme was No. 1 in the world among master’s programmes for the eleventh straight year in 2021. The university, which offers bachelor’s, master’s and Ph.D. degrees, also is internationally recognized for the excellence of its integrative education on the highest academic level through EQUIS, AACSB and AMBA accreditation. Its focus on international, integrative and practical programmes in business administration, economics, law, social sciences and international affairs attracts a diverse and a motivated student body of 9000 students from 83 countries. The university also hosts 42
institutes, research units and centres that are managed independently as businesses. They augment its programmes with education and research based on real-world conditions, and train institute staff at the interface between academia and the professional world. A public university of the Canton of St.Gallen, HSG also offers comprehensive, world-class, executive-education programmes for more than 6,000 participants annually.

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