

## EDHEC Business School: 1<sup>st</sup> school in France for Economics and Finance research

The RePEc March 2011 ranking, drawn up in partnership with IDEAS and Connecticut University Economics department, has ranked EDHEC number one business school in France for its research in Economics and Finance, based on its academic output and number of citations. EDHEC ranks 3<sup>rd</sup> among French academic institution overall, pipped at the post by Toulouse School of Economics and Paris School of Economics.

This ranking underscores the dynamism of the academic research developed at EDHEC and the value of the work pursued in the Economics research centre in particular. Managed by Stéphane Gregoir, Director of Research at EDHEC, the unit has a team of 10 full-time and affiliated professors and researchers. The centre's aim is to conduct applied and innovative research which will make EDHEC a source of academically recognised expertise on topics that are crucial to the French economy. Its focus has a dual thrust, on the one hand linked to areas at the intersection of economic and financial issues, and on the other linked to French welfare issues, notably the labour market and education.

As a reminder, EDHEC was ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in Finance by Le Point magazine. This took into account the school's research output and the level of its students' placements in the finance industry.

For more information: http://ideas.repec.org/top/top.france.html

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## About EDHEC

EDHEC Business School equips students and executives with the skills required to manage projects and lead people in a multi-cultural environment. The School offers a variety of education and training courses covering the full spectrum of business needs.

A broad range of international degree programmes attracts students the world over. Close to 6,000 students and 5,500 executives currently participate in EDHEC seminars and education programmes on the three campuses in Lille, Nice and Paris. EDHEC Business School's international strategy comprises an innovative business-focused research policy organised around specialist research centres.

EDHEC holds AACSB, AMBA and EQUIS accreditations and is regularly ranked among Europe's leading business schools.

More information is available on the EDHEC website: www.edhec.com