Professor Panos Vardas, ESC President 2012-2014, Managing chair European Heart Agency, initiator of the MSc: "This course will not only provide cardiovascular specialists with the opportunity to acquire world-class knowledge in health economics, outcomes research and management, it will allow the next generation of leaders to broaden their horizons in an international environment."



## **Professor Elias Mossialos,** Director of LSE Health, initiator of the MSc:

"Cardiovascular diseases remain the main cause of morbidity and mortality globally and both medical and economic knowledge is essential to achieve the best results for patients, care providers and health systems. We are delighted to be partnering with the prestigious European Heart Academy to deliver this unique graduate programme designed for experts working in this field."



#### **Professor Alec Vahanian**, Chair of the European Heart Academy:

"This MSc has become increasingly popular since the launch in 2015. It goes beyond the ESC's traditional education offer by linking with the London School of Economics and giving future leaders in cardiology in-depth teaching in health economics and management in cardiovascular sciences."

## WHERE CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

For more information on the European Heart Academy of the ESC and the educational programmes, please contact us:

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#### ABOUT US

The European Heart Academy governs the ESC postgraduate programmes, training the future leaders in cardiovascular medicine. In collaboration with selected universities, the Academy provides the ultimate cardiovascular degrees. The specialised programmes combine key opinion leaders' lectures, executive style teaching formats with innovative, interactive and on-line learning tools.

The London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE) is one of the foremost social science universities in the world. Founded in 1895, the School has an outstanding reputation for academic excellence. 16 Nobel prize winners have been LSE staff or alumni.

'Towards a clean bill for cardiovascular health'

# MSc

Health Economics, Outcomes and Management in Cardiovascular Sciences





THE LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICAL SCIENCE

## ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

#### The Executive MSc Health Economics, Outcomes and Management in Cardiovascular Sciences prepares students to explore new advisory, management and leadership roles within the healthcare field. This programme will expand your employment opportunities in related sectors including health care provider management roles, pharmaceutical and medical devices industries, consultancies, government and non-governmental organisations. Upon graduation, you will be ready to take on more responsibilities or shift your career focus.

- Quality and Outcomes in Cardiovascular Sciences
- Economic Analysis for Health Policy
- Systematic Review and Meta-analysis
- Economic Evaluation in Health Care
- Cardiovascular Epidemiology and Prevention

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

## WHEN? WHERE? HOW MUCH?

Fully qualified Cardiologists, Biomedical Scientist or Health Economists (BSc/MSc), preferably with experience in junior or senior cardiology positions.

The programme has been designed to meet the needs of mid-career professionals who seek formal qualifications but cannot participate in a traditional full-time MSc programme.

Some of the mandatory courses will focus on cardiovascular disease; therefore, experience in cardiovascular science either as a practising cardiologist or as a health economist is desirable. Outstanding candidates with different backgrounds in health care are strongly encouraged to apply.

#### Proficiency in English is required.



The programme consists of eight modules and one MSc dissertation over two academic years. On-site modules are taught two weeks in December and two weeks in June, each year, at the London School of Economics (LSE) in London. In addition to time spent in the classroom you will also be expected to complete coursework from a distance. While you are away from the LSE you should plan to take one evening in the week and one full weekend day to maintain a sufficient level of study. Each student will benefit from an individual adviser.

For the next intake of students, the first module will be taught in **December 2018**.

#### Applications are welcome from October 2017.

Course fees are  $\pounds 12,854$  per annum for a total of  $\pounds 25,708$ . (The tuition levels correspond to the December 2018 starters and they are subject to change).

The ESC supports the education of future leaders in cardiovascular medicine by offering a limited numbers of scholarships.