MSc in Blockchain and Digital Currency (1.5 year, 90 ECTS, Master of Science, E-learning)

TABLE 2: Course Distribution per Semester

A/A	Course Type	Course Name	Course Code	Periods per week	Period duration	Number of weeks/ Academic semester	Total periods/ Academic semester	Number of ECTS					
1 st Semester													
1.	Compulsory	Introduction to Blockchain and Digital Currency	BLOC-511	6	55′	6	36	10					
2.	Compulsory	Blockchain Systems and Architectures	BLOC-512	6	55′	6	36	10					
3.	Compulsory	Law and Regulation in Blockchain	BLOC-513	6	55′	6	36	10					
	2nd Semester												
4.	Compulsory	Emerging Topics in Blockchain and Digital Currency	BLOC-514	6	55′	6	36	10					
5.	Compulsory	Blockchain and Entrepreneurship Management	BLOC-515	6	55'	6	36	10					
6.	Compulsory	Principles of Money, Banking and Finance	BLOC-516	6	55′	6	36	10					
	3rd Semester - Elective Courses (*choose 3 courses or a Master Thesis)												
1.	Elective	Digital Currency Programming	BLOC-521	6	55′	6	36	10					
2.	Elective	Smart Contract Programming	BLOC-522	6	55′	6	36	10					
3.	Elective	Permissioned Blockchains Programming	BLOC-523	6	55′	6	36	10					
4.	Elective	Cryptographic Systems Security	BLOC-524	6	55′	6	36	10					
5.	Elective	Emerging Topics in Law and Regulation	BLOC-525	6	55′	6	36	10					

6.	Elective	Emerging Topics in FinTech	BLOC-526	6	55'	6	36	10
7.	Elective	Open and Decentralized Financial Systems	BLOC-527	6	55′	6	36	10
8.	Elective	Token Economics	BLOC-528	6	55′	6	36	10
9.	*Elective	Master Thesis	BLOC-551	n/a	n/a	13	n/a	30

* Students can choose to compose a postgraduate Thesis (30 ECTS) or attend three elective courses.

• Suggested Pathways:

- Software Engineering Pathway
 - Take all 6 compulsory courses and
 - Choose 3 courses from 521, 522, 523 or 524
- Business, Finance and Regulation Pathway
 - Take all 6 compulsory courses and
 - Choose 3 courses from 525, 526, 527 or 528
- Free electives
 - Take all 6 compulsory courses and
 - Choose any 3 elective courses or the Master Thesis