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Press release

FT 2009 Executive Education ranking: HEC Paris is #5 worldwide

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The Financial Times has just published the results of its annual ranking of the world's best Business Schools in executive education programs for senior managers and executives.

HEC Paris Executive Education is #5 in the world within a pool of 45 Top graduate Business Schools.

This survey concerns open-enrolment programs as well as custom-designed programs. Mainly based on the satisfaction of participants and businesses, it highlights the quality and suitability of the programs, the coherence of what is being offered and the excellence of the teaching body.

According to **Bernard Ramanantsoa**, Dean of HEC: *"In such a competitive environment, HEC's 5th position worldwide demonstrates the excellence and adequacy of the Executive Education offer. HEC's achievement is indicative of the commitment of talent and resources that the school has made to its mission of educating corporate leaders worldwide."*

"Our objective is to ensure that the senior managers and executives who take part in our programs reap the benefits of a truly striking experience. Because 'the more you know, the more you dare', we encourage them to take a step back, rethink their business practices and break new ground. This ranking shows that in executive education our customers are our best ambassadors." says **Prof. Bertrand Moingeon**, Deputy Dean of HEC Paris, in charge of Executive Education and Academic Development.

HEC Paris Executive Education is ranked **#2 worldwide for its custom-designed programs for companies:**

- **2nd worldwide and 1st in Europe** for the quality of the teaching of the international HEC Faculty.
- **2nd worldwide and 1st in Europe** for the adequacy of its custom programs, tailored and delivered to the precise specifications of the company.
- **2nd worldwide and 1st in Europe** for the likelihood that a participant would use HEC Paris again or use the school to do the same program again.

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