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ACCREDITED STUDY PROGRAMME OFFERED FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

DOCTORAL DEGREE STUDY PROGRAMME	
FULL-TIME STUDY	PART -TIME STUDY *
LENGTH OF STUDY 3 YEARS	LENGTH OF STUDY 4 YEARS
Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage	Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage
<i>* the standard tuition fee for the part-time study programmes is 2 000 € for an academic year</i>	

Detailed information on particular study programmes

- syllabus,
- course information sheets

can be found at <http://vzdelavanie.uniza.sk/vzdelavanie/plany.php>.

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES
DOCTORAL DEGREE STUDY



EXPECTED NUMBER OF ACCEPTED APPLICANTS TO THE FIRST YEAR

DOCTORAL DEGREE STUDY		
STUDY PROGRAMME / FIELD OF STUDY	PLANNED CAPACITY	
	FULL-TIME	PART-TIME
Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage / Library and Information Science	2	2
Total number	2	2



TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION

1. **The fundamental prerequisite** of being accepted to the doctoral study (the third degree study programme) is the full completion of the second degree of the university study (Higher Education Act, n. 131/2002 Coll.).
2. **Health certificate** – the faculty does not require any health certificates and accepts all the applications without health certificates for the doctoral degree of the university studies.



FORMS OF ADMISSION

Selection Procedure

Admission procedure is carried out in a form of a selection procedure in order to ensure that the admitted candidates dispose of the necessary skills and abilities.

Rules of Selection Procedure

- the applicant applies for a specific topic of dissertation thesis. Topics of dissertation theses will be published together with the announcement of the admission procedure for doctoral study on the faculty notice and at www.fhv.uniza.sk at least 2 months before the deadline for submitting the application forms,
- the evaluation of the admission procedure and the proposal of the applicants for admission to the doctoral study in the relevant study programme will be carried out by a selection committee appointed by the dean of the faculty,
- the dean of the faculty makes the decision on the applicant's admission within 30 days from the date of the entrance examination,
- only those applicants who successfully pass the entrance examination can be admitted.

Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage - (full-time, part-time study):

General content of the entrance examination:

- Presentation of own project to the chosen dissertation topic.
- Professional discussion in which the applicants must prove their prerequisites for independent scientific and research activities and a good orientation in the chosen field of study.

Selection of candidates is based on the ranking based on:

- a) the results of the entrance examination (max. 40 points, the selection committee will decide on the amount of points assigned),
- b) the results of the previous study (max. 30 points, allocated according to the WGA (weighted grade average) of the second degree of university study according to the following schedule: WGA 1-1,25=30 points, WGA 1,26-1,99=20 points; WGA 2 and more = 0 points),
- c) publishing and scientific activities (max. 30 points, the selection committee will decide on the amount of points assigned).



ADMISSION OF FOREIGN STUDENTS

The same terms and conditions of admission are applicable as for the applicants from abroad as for the applicants from Slovakia.

Foreign students who study in a foreign language (i.e. not Slovak), pay the tuition fee as stated in § 92 Subsection 8 (Higher Education Act). The tuition fee is specified by the UNIZA directive for the respective academic year and can be found on the university website.

Students from abroad who study in the Slovak language do not have to pay the tuition fee. Applicants from the Czech Republic can use the application form available in the Czech Republic. Applicants who do not actively speak Slovak or Czech are required to attend the language training. (It is possible to attend the Slovak for Foreigners courses at UNIZA).

For foreign applicants who were accepted on the basis of intergovernmental agreements, bilateral agreements or Slovak government grants, terms and conditions stated in respective documents are applicable.



HOW TO APPLY

Application forms are to be submitted for individual study programmes.

In case the applicant is interested in more study programmes, it is necessary to apply for each one individually, including payment of the respective admission procedure fees.

Applicants have to fill in the form Prihláška na vysokoškolské štúdium - 3. stupeň or they can also use an electronic application form that can be found on the university website: <https://vzdelavanie.uniza.sk/prijimacky/index.php> or on the education portal: <https://prihlaskavs.sk/sk/>.

Even in case of electronic application form, it is required to print it, sign it, enclose other required documents including the proof of payment of the fee and send it to the address of the Faculty of Humanities UNIZA within the stipulated deadlines.

Incomplete application form or application form sent after the deadline will not be accepted.

In the absence or failure of entrance exams, the faculty does not refund the admission fee.

If an applicant wants to take part in entrance exams at more faculties of UNIZA, the application forms have to be sent separately to each faculty and the respective admission procedure fees paid separately to each faculty.

Enclosures for the doctoral degree programmes (to be sent with application forms):

1. Curriculum Vitae,
2. certified copies of documents on education completed (except the graduates from the Faculty of Humanities/ former Faculty of Natural Sciences UNIZA),
3. a list of professional and scientific papers published so far and other evidence of professional and scientific activities in the field of library and information science,
4. elaborated framework project on the chosen topic,
5. proof of payment of the admission fee.

Admission fee:

Send **20 €** to:

Žilinská univerzita v Žiline, Univerzitná 1, 010 26 Žilina

Bank: Štátna pokladnica

IBAN: SK52 8180 0000 0070 0026 9925

const. symbol: 0308

variable symbol: 10833 - doctoral study

Payment method:

payment can be paid by bank transfer or postal order to the account above.

Proof of payment:

proof of payment is to be sent to the Faculty with the application form.

Tuition fees - in accordance with the Higher Education Act, information about the amount of tuition for the respective academic year will be announced on the website of the University of Žilina.

With payment of the admission fee from the EU member states, the EES countries, territories that are considered a part of the EU (Treaty of Rome, Section 299) and SEPA countries, it is necessary to use BIC: **SPSRSKBAXXX**, IBAN: **SK52 8180 0000 0070 0026 9925**.



USEFUL DATES

Open Day	Deadline for submitting the application form	Entrance exams
February, 15, 2019	May, 31, 2019	June, 19, 2019



ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation facilities of the University of Žilina provide accommodation according to their capacity and distance between the student's residence and the main location of the university. Student accommodation facilities cost approx.: **70 € - 140 € per month.**



BOARD

Students can use services of catering facilities of the University of Žilina in Žilina. **Price for food: 9 € per day.**



SCHOLARSHIPS

Full time students of the doctoral degree study programmes are granted a scholarship pursuant to Higher Education Act, n. 131/2002 Coll. (On universities and on amendments to certain laws), §54 Subsection 18.



GRADUATE PROSPECTS

DOCTORAL STUDY PROGRAMME

MEDIAMATICS AND CULTURAL HERITAGE

(Field of study 3.2.4 Library and Information Science)

Graduates have a highly developed abstract component of thinking based on the perfect handling of basic disciplines of library and information science, scientific methods of research and deep theoretical knowledge of some areas of mediamatics and cultural heritage. They are able to creatively work in the field of mediamatics and cultural heritage and apply the results obtained in other disciplines. Graduates can apply in research in the field of library and information science, such as experts in memory and cultural institutions or as university teachers, etc., depending on the narrower specialization of their study and the topics of dissertation thesis.