Undergraduate

3-6 years

Masters

1-2 years

- PhD
- 3 years

- 63 study programmes
- 13 faculties
- 1756 budget seats
- 1837 tax seats
- Type of learning:
 - Full time
 - Distance
 - Part time

- 45 study programmes
- 12 faculties
- 934 budget seats
- 1137 tax seats
- Type of learning: • Full time

- 14 PhD domains
- 3 doctoral schools
- 87 PhD coordinators
- Type of learning:
 - \circ Full time
 - Part time

Romanian Preparatory Year

Information about the Romanian Preparatory Year

The Romanian Preparatory Year is dedicated to foreign students who do not know Romanian and want to attend graduate and postgraduate studies in Romanian.

The Romanian courses are held within 1 (one) academic year (2 semesters x 14 weeks) for undergraduate / masters / PhD studies. It is mandatory to participate at the Romanian courses.

Categories of students:

1. Romanian diaspora

In the category Romanian diaspora, according to the Law no. 299/2007 regarding the support given to Romanian diaspora republished with the further changes and additions, are included:

- a) People who freely assume the Romanian cultural identity. People with Romanian origins, those who pertain to the Romanian linguistic and cultural lode, who live outside the Romanian borders, regardless of how they are called (Armani, Armânji, Aromanian, Bassarabian, inhabitants of Bucovina, Kutso-Vlach, Daco-Romanian, Macedo-Romanian, Herten, Istro-Romanian, Latino Danubians, inhabitants of Maramureş, Megleno-Romanian, Moldavian, Moldovlach, Rrămâni, Rumâni, Vlach, Voloch, Macedo- Armânji) as well as all the other lexical forms that are semantically related with those above.
- b) Romanian emigrants, whether they kept or not Romanian citizenship, their descendants as well as Romanian citizens with residence abroad.

Romanian diaspora who do not know Romanian will attend the Romanian Preparatory Year according to the legislation in force.

- c) Romanian diaspora who gained language competences in non-formal or informal environments can obtain proof of these competences through an evaluation (B1 minimum level) according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Language Learning. The evaluation and certification can be organized in national accredited higher education institutions which organize the Romanian Preparatory Year for foreign citizens or abroad through Romanian lectureship at the Romanian Language Institute or at the Romanian Cultural Institute through transparent procedures.
- 2. Foreign citizens from EU member states and non-EU

Foreign citizens are people who have the citizenship of a European Union state or third country.

Foreign citizens can enroll in the Romanian Preparatory Year within higher education institutions according to the legislation regarding the organization and functioning of the Romanian Preparatory Year.

Documents required for enrollment for Romanian diaspora 2018 – 2019

- Application form;
- Baccalaureate in original (translated); (for 2018 graduates a graduation certificate is valid);
- Transcript of Records in original (translated);
- Birth certificate (translated);
- Marriage certificate (if necessary, translated);
- I.D. card copy (proof of a stable residence);
- Copy of foreign passport and passport of Romanian citizen with stable residence abroad;
- Health certificate in original (translated);
- 1 file;
- 3 (three) I.D. photographs;
- Statement on own responsibility (notary) that he / she does not have a Romanian identity card with Romanian residency (in Romanian);
- Statement on own responsibility, based on free will assuming the Romanian cultural identity, according to the legislation in force and to the annex no. 3 of the Methodology of Schooling Romanian Diaspora 2017-2018

Taxes for Romanian diaspora 2018 – 2019

Enrollment fee:

Romanian diaspora are exempted from the enrollment fee for the Romanian Preparatory Year.

Tuition fee:

Romanian diaspora who study on tax seats pay the same tuition fee as Romanian citizens.

Enrollment programme and locations for foreign citizens 2018 – 2019

Enrollment period:

• 9th July 2018 – 25th July 2018

• 6th September 2018 – 10th September 2018

Enrollment locations:

"Dunarea de Jos" University of Galati Head office Rector's Secretariat Office, Room U 89 Str. Domneasca no 47, Galati

The enrollment documents can be sent via e-mail at: aurelia.hrisafopol@ugal.ro

Documents required for enrollment for foreign citizens 2018 – 2019

Documents required for enrollment for foreign citizens from European Union member states

- Application form;
- Baccalaureate or High School Diploma;
 - copy of the document issued in Romanian, English, French, Spanish, Italian
 - copy and legalized translation (original) in Romanian for documents issued in other foreign languages
- High School Grades Transcript;
 - copy of the document issued in Romanian, English, French, Spanish, Italian
 - copy and legalized translation (original) in Romanian for documents issued in other foreign languages
- Other documents:
 - Graduation certificate of the Baccalaureate from Italy;
 - Pruebas de Aptitud para el Acceso a la Universidad, calificación Apto from Spain;
 - Panellinies Exetaseis certificate for national exams for high school from Greece;
 - Certificate issued by Verket för högskoleservice regarding the access to university studies from Sweden;
 - Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or ACT from the United States of America.
 - Copy for the study documents issued in international languages (English, French, Spanish, Italian) or copy and legalized translation in Romanian for study documents issued in other languages.
- Personal identification documents (copy);
 - o Passport
 - Identity card

- Proof of name change (if it is necessary) Romanian, English, French, Spanish, Italian copy and legalized translation for other languages
- Birth certificate
- File
- 3 (three) I.D. photographs
- Evaluation tax: 50 RON
- Application form for the equivalence of the baccalaureate diploma obtained abroad.

The taxes can be paid at the National Centre for Recognition and Equivalence of Diplomas (NCRED) cash desk (the program is from Monday to Thursday, between 9:00 - 12:00 and 13:00 - 15:00) or by payment order / postal mandate / bank transfer in which the following should be mentioned:

Beneficiary: Ministry of National Education

Fiscal Code: 13729380

Bank: The Treasury and Public Accounting Activities of the Municipality of Bucharest IBAN Code: RO86TREZ70020E330500XXXX SWIFT Code: TREZROBU

BIC Code: TREZ

Abroad the taxes can be paid in Euros by payment order / bank transfer in which the

following should be mentioned: Beneficiary: **Ministry of National Education** Fiscal Code: 13729380 Bank: **Banca Comercială Română - BCR, Sala Palatului branch** IBAN Code: **RO35RNCB0080005630300077** SWIFT Code: **RNCBROBU** BIC Code: **RNCB** The euro taxes are calculated at the **RON – Euro exchange rate displayed by the National Bank of Romania** on the day of the bank transfer.

Important: On the payment order or on the postal mandate the IBAN code, the name of the studying holder and the name of the employer requesting recognition (if necessary) must be mentioned!

For states that are part of the Hague Apostille Convention the study documents submitted to equivalence / recognition must have the Hague Apostille from the competent authorities from the issuing countries. Study documents from Italy, Greece, Spain, Portugal and Cyprus will have the Hague Apostille while the other EU member states will be exempted.

For states which are NOT members of the Hague Apostille Convention the study documents will be legalized for overseas use or will have an authentication Certificate issued by the competent authorities from the country of origin:

- Legalization for overseas use is applied by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from the issuing country and by the Romanian Embassy / Consulate, or by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from the issuing country and the country's Embassy / Consulate in Romania and the Romanian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. For countries in which there are no diplomatic missions or do not have diplomatic missions in Romania the study documents will be checked by the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from the issuing country;
- The exemption from legalization for overseas use is allowed under the law, an international treaty in which Romania is a party member or on the basis of reciprocity.

Required documents for foreign citizens from non-EU states

- Application form;
- Baccalaureate, High School Diploma or equivalent (copy and legalized translation);
- Transcript of Records (copies and legalized translations);
- Birth certificate (copies and legalized translations);
- Passport copy;
- Copy of the document proving stable residence abroad;
- Health certificate in an international language attesting that the applicant does not suffer from contagious/chronic diseases;
- 1 file;
- 3 (three) I.D. photographs;
- Application form for the equivalence of the baccalaureate diploma obtained abroad (2 copies)

Taxes for foreign citizens 2018 – 2019

Tuition fees:

Foreign citizens from EU member states and non-EU states will pay a tuition fee for the Romanian Preparatory Year of 220 euros / month.

Enrollment programme and locations for foreign citizens 2018 – 2019

Enrollment period:

- 9th July 2018 25th July 2018
- 6th September 2018 10th September 2018

Enrollment locations:

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