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Based on Article 103, paragraph 1, item 3, in relation to Article 149, paragraph 1 of the Law on Higher Education ("Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia" no. 82/2018 with amendments), and in accordance with Article 98, paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Statute of the International Balkan University in Skopje, the Rectorate of the International Balkan University in Skopje, on April 30, 2025, announces:

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**FOR ENROLLMENT OF STUDENTS IN THE FIRST CYCLE OF STUDIES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026**

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
International Economics	50	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Management*	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Banking and Finance*	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
E-Business	50	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Computer Engineering	60	English	240	4	4000 EUR	6000 EUR
Architecture*/***	50	English	300	5	4000 EUR	6000 EUR
Industrial Engineering and Management	40	English	240	4	3000 EUR	4000 EUR
Civil Engineering	50	English	240	4	3000 EUR	4000 EUR
Artificial Intelligence Engineering	50	English	240	4	4000 EUR	6000 EUR
FACULTY OF LAW						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Legal Studies	180	English	240	4	3000 EUR	4000 EUR
Political Science and International Relations	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF EDUCATION						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Psychological Counseling and Guidance*	50	English	240	4	2000 EUR	3000 EUR
English Language and Teaching	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Turkish Language and Teaching	40	Turkish	240	4	1500 EUR	2000 EUR
FACULTY OF ARTS AND DESIGN						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for	Yearly Tuition Fee for

					Students from Balkan Countries	International Students
Graphic Design*	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Fashion Design*	40	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Visual Arts	20	English	240	4	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Interior and Furniture Design	40	English	240	4	3000 EUR	4000 EUR
Animation and Video Production	40	English	240	4	3000 EUR	4000 EUR
FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Psychology	80	English	240	4	3000 EUR	5000 EUR
Public Relations and Marketing Communications	40	English	240	4	1500 EUR	3000 EUR

FACULTY OF DENTISTRY						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Dentistry	100	English	300	5	5000 EUR	8000 EUR
VOCATIONAL MEDICAL SCHOOL						
Study Program	Student Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Midwifery	120	македонски/ English	180	3	2000 EUR	4000 EUR
Nursing	120	македонски/ English	180	3	2000 EUR	4000 EUR

\* The study program is in the process of reaccreditation and will only be activated if the accreditation process is successfully completed and a working license is received.

\*\* The study program has received Accreditation, and currently is in the process of receiving a working license.

\*\*\* Integrated five-year studies of the first and second cycle (10 semesters)

#### CONDITIONS FOR ENROLLMENT

- Candidates with completed secondary education, in accordance with Article 134, paragraph 2 of the Higher Education Law of the Republic of North Macedonia, and a solid knowledge of the English language, have the right to enroll.
- All candidates must take an internal exam to assess their knowledge of the English language.
- Candidates who do not achieve a minimum score of 60/100 points will be directed to attend the Preparatory English Language Program at the University for one academic year. Upon successful completion of the Preparatory English Language Program, students will begin their first-cycle studies. Applicants applying to programs conducted entirely in Turkish and Macedonian will be exempt from this requirement.
- The University reserves the right not to activate the Study Program in the academic year 2025/2026 if more than 50% of the planned Student Quota is not enrolled.

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Candidates are required to submit the following documents for enrollment:

- Diploma and certificates of completed secondary education
- A decision for the nostrification of qualifications if secondary education was completed abroad, or proof that the nostrification process has started with the relevant authorities
- Enrollment form (this can be completed at the University premises or through online registration)
- A decision for temporary residence in the country for the purpose of studying (for international students)
- Copy of birth certificate
- Copy of ID card or passport

## SCHOLARSHIPS

The university will award scholarships to candidates from the Republic of North Macedonia and countries from the Balkan region who apply/enroll in the following faculties:

- Faculty of Economic and Administrative Sciences
- Faculty of Engineering
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Education
- Faculty of Arts and Design
- Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences
- Faculty of Dentistry
- Vocational Medical School

According to their performance in secondary education, under the following conditions:

Secondary Education Performance	Scholarship Level
Best student of generation*	100%
5.00	80%
4.75-4.99	75%
4.50 - 4.74	60%
4.00 - 4.49	50%
3.00 - 3.99	40 %
< 2.99	0%

\* The status of 'Best Student of the Generation' is confirmed with an official document issued by the Director of the secondary school.

- Students from the Republic of North Macedonia are required to pay a 300 EUR administrative fee for semester enrollment (i.e., 300 EUR annual payment outside of tuition fees).
- International students are required to pay 500 EUR for services related to the nostrification of the documents and student residency permit in the RNM.
- The university will award scholarships to candidates from the Republic of North Macedonia and countries from the Balkan region who apply/enroll in the following.
- The scholarship program for students applying/enrolling in the Faculty of Dentistry has a limited quota of 30 scholarships, while the Higher Medical School has a quota of 25 scholarships for each of the two study programs separately. The additional and special conditions for scholarship funding of students' tuition fees are regulated by a study agreement with a scholarship, which is signed upon the students' enrollment.
- The tuition fees for studying at the offered faculties and study programs are shown in the above table and are valid only for students from the Republic of North Macedonia and countries from the Balkan region (Albania, Kosovo, Montenegro, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina).

For students who will attend the Preparatory Program in English Language following tuition fees apply:

Unit	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Preparatory Program in English Language first year	3000 EUR	5000 EUR
Preparatory Program in English Language second year	2000 EUR	3000 EUR
Preparatory Program in English Language for Students of the Faculty of Dentistry first year	5000 EUR	7000 EUR
Preparatory Program in English Language for Students of the Faculty of Dentistry second year	3000 EUR	4000 EUR

- The student has the right to choose the currency (MKD or Euro) in which they will pay the tuition fees to the University.

- Tuition fees can also be paid through a student loan agreement with Halkbank AD Skopje, with no interest up to 12 installments.
- All payments are made in the denar equivalent according to the average exchange rate of the National Bank of the Republic of North Macedonia (NBRSM).

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#### DEADLINES FOR APPLICATION AND ENROLLMENT

Student application and enrollment will be carried out according to the following deadline:

Enrollment Period	Enrollment
I (First)	01.07.2025 - 31.08.2025
II (Second)	02.09.2025 - 30.09.2025
III (Third)	13.01.2026 - 14.02.2026

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#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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**CALL FOR ENROLLMENT OF STUDENTS IN THE SECOND CYCLE OF STUDIES  
FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026**

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES					
Study Program	Quota	Language of Instruction	ECTS Credits	Years of Study	Total Tuition Fee for Two Years
Business Administration	30	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Healthcare Management	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Economics	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING					
Industrial Engineering and Management	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Data Engineering	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Computer Engineering	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Civil Engineering	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Data Science and Machine Learning	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF ARTS AND DESIGN					
Graphic Design**	15	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Visual Arts**	15	English	60	1	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES					
Clinical Psychology	25	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Public Relations	15	English	60	1	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF LAW					
International Law*	30	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Administrative Law	30	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Criminal Law	30	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Business Law	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
International Politics	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Balkan Studies	10	English	60	1	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF EDUCATION					
English Language and Teaching	25	English	60	1	3000 EUR
Turkish Language Teaching*	15	Turkish	60	1	3000 EUR
Turkish Language and Literature*	20	Turkish	60	1	3000 EUR
Professional Orientation and Career	20	English	60	1	3000 EUR

*\*The study program is in the process of accreditation and will be activated only upon successful completion of the accreditation process and obtaining a working license;*

*\*\*The program has received Accreditation now is in the process of obtaining a working license.*

#### TYPE OF STUDY AND NUMBER OF ECTS CREDITS

- Second cycle studies are university-based, full-time, and last for 1 (one) year, awarding 60 ECTS credits. It can be extended for a second year without an extra payment.
- Upon successful completion of the studies, the student is awarded the title Master of Science/Master of Arts.

#### ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

- Candidates who have completed appropriate higher education, in accordance with Article 135, paragraph 3 of the Law on Higher Education of the Republic of North Macedonia, and have a solid knowledge of the English language (B1 level), are eligible to enroll.
- Have achieved a minimum GPA of 7.00 from their previous higher education (first cycle studies).
- English is the language of communication at the university and instruction in most programs. Applicants whose primary language is not English must demonstrate command of English sufficient to pursue studies in the chosen field. Applicants applying to programs conducted entirely in Turkish and Macedonian will be exempt

from this requirement. Students should have valid test scores or pass the English proficiency exams organized by the university. Candidates who do not achieve a minimum score of 60/100 points will be directed to attend the Preparatory English Language Program at the University for one academic year. Upon successful completion of the Preparatory English Language Program, students will begin their second-cycle studies.

- The University reserves the right not to activate the Study Program in the academic year 2025/2026 if there are less than five students enrolled.

#### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

Candidates are required to submit the following documents for enrollment:

- Diploma for completed first cycle (BA) of studies;
- Transcript of records and confirmation of completed first cycle of studies;
- A decision for the nostrification of qualifications if secondary education was completed abroad, or proof that the nostrification process has started in front of the competent state authorities;
- Certificate of citizenship;
- Identification document (ID card or passport);
- English language proficiency certificate.

#### TUITION FEES

- The tuition fees for studying at the offered faculties and study programs are shown in the above table and are valid only for students from the Republic of North Macedonia and countries from the Balkan region (Albania, Kosovo, Montenegro, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina).
- Students from the Republic of North Macedonia are required to pay a 300 EUR administrative fee for semester enrollment (i.e., 300 EUR annual payment outside of tuition fees).
- International students are required to pay 500 EUR for services related to the nostrification of the documents and student residency permit in the RNM.

For students who will attend the Preparatory Program in English Language following tuition fees apply:

Unit	Yearly Tuition Fee for Students from Balkan Countries	Yearly Tuition Fee for International Students
Preparatory Program in English Language	3000EUR	4000EUR

The student has the right to choose the currency (MKD or Euro) in which they will pay the tuition fees to the University.

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**CALL FOR ENROLLMENT OF STUDENTS IN THE THIRD CYCLE OF STUDIES  
FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2025/2026**

**STUDY PROGRAMS, STUDENT QUOTAS, ECTS**

FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIVE SCIENCES				
Study Program	Language of Instruction	Student Quota	Credits	Total Tuition Fee for Three Years
Economics*	English	6	180 ECTS	3000 EUR
Management*	English	6	180 ECTS	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF EDUCATION				
Turkish Language and Literature	Turkish	5	180 ECTS	2000 EUR
English Language and Teaching	English	10	180 ECTS	2000 EUR
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING				
Computer Engineering	English	9	180 ECTS	3000 EUR
Architecture	English	6	180 ECTS	3000 EUR
FACULTY OF LAW				
International Law	English	6	180 ECTS	3000 EUR
Balkan Studies	English	6	180 ECTS	2000 EUR
FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES				
Psychology*	English	6	180 ECTS	3000 EUR

\*The study program is currently undergoing the accreditation process and will only be activated if the process is successfully completed and a *working license* is obtained.;

\*\*The study program *has received Accreditation now* is in the process of obtaining a *working license*..

- The third cycle (doctoral) study programs at the International Balkan University last for three academic years and carry 180 ECTS credits.
- The list of accredited mentors, as well as the structure of the third cycle (doctoral) study programs, is published on the University's official website.

**ADMISSION CRITERIA FOR STUDENTS**

Candidates eligible for enrollment in third cycle (doctoral) studies must meet the following criteria:

- Have completed a second cycle of studies with a minimum of 300 ECTS credits accumulated.
- Have achieved a minimum GPA of 7.00 from their previous higher education (first and second cycle studies).
- Have completed prior higher education in the same or similar scientific field as the third cycle study program (doctoral studies) covered by this Competition.
- A scientific-preparatory program may be applied for candidates coming from different academic backgrounds.
- Excellent knowledge of English (min. level B1 according to the CEFR) for study programs that are implemented in English.
- English is the language of communication at the university and instruction in most programs. Applicants whose primary language is not English must demonstrate command of English sufficient to pursue studies in the chosen field. Applicants applying to programs conducted entirely in Turkish and Macedonian will be exempt from this requirement. Students should have valid test scores or pass the English proficiency exams organized by the university. Candidates who do not achieve a minimum score of 60/100 points will be directed to attend the Preparatory English Language Program at the University for one academic year. Upon successful completion of the Preparatory English Language Program, students will begin their first-cycle studies.
- Submit two recommendation letters from qualified referees attesting to the candidate's ability to pursue advanced studies in the field of interest.
- The University reserves the right not to activate the Study Program in the academic year 2025/2026 if there are less than three students enrolled.

**REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

Candidates applying to the call must submit the following documents:

- A short biography (CV) in Macedonian and English.



- Diplomas for completed first and second cycle of studies (original or notarized copies).
- Academic transcripts from the first and second cycle of studies showing completed higher education and GPA (original or notarized copies).
- For previous higher education completed abroad, recognition (nostrification) decisions for the obtained qualifications must be submitted (original or notarized copy), or proof that the notification procedure has been initiated with the competent institutions.
- A copy of the master's thesis in electronic format.
- A copy of a certificate of English language proficiency.
- Identification document (copy of ID card or passport).
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.

#### RANKING OF CANDIDATES

The ranking of the applicants will be based on the evaluation of the following criteria:

- Work experience in the same or a related field to the study program outlined in this call;
- Scientific publications and participation in international conferences;
- Master's thesis from the second cycle of studies;
- Overall GPA from the first and second cycle of studies;
- Interview.

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