

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Thirty (30) positions are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a Ph.D. degree as follows:

- 20 positions at the Master's level
- 10 positions at the Ph.D level

The postgraduate programmes of the Department of Biological Sciences are offered only in the English language.

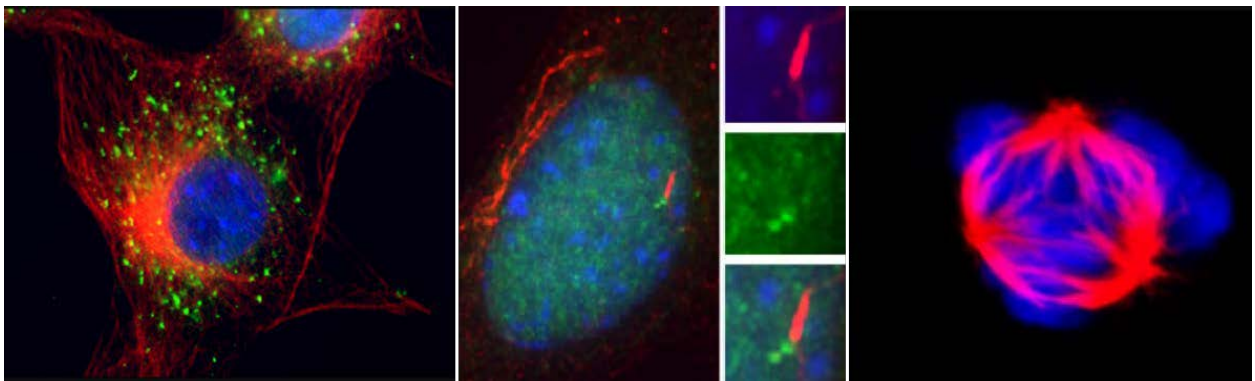
Master Programmes (M.Sc.):

- Master's level in Molecular Biology and Biomedicine
- Master's level in Biomedical Sciences
- Master's level in Biodiversity and Ecology

Ph.D. Programmes (Ph.D.):

- Ph.D. level in Biomedical Sciences
- Ph.D. level in Biodiversity and Ecology

M.Sc. and Ph.D degrees in Biomedical Sciences, as well as the Ph.D. in Biodiversity and Ecology encompass classroom training and a strong laboratory-based research component. In contrast, the M.Sc. in Molecular Biology and Biomedicine does not involve laboratory-based research. The M.Sc. in Biodiversity and Ecology offers are search-based or a literature-based thesis.



Applicants who join this programme will be offered one of these two options upon acceptance to the programme. Students who apply for a laboratory-based research degree are strongly encouraged to contact departmental faculty members prior to their application process, in order to discuss the possibility of securing a laboratory position for thesis research and to be able to better select which laboratory best fits their interests.

Upon acceptance to the laboratory-based research degrees, all students should have already identified a faculty member that would be prepared to supervise them for the laboratory component of their research work. Candidates who meet the necessary qualifications will be called for an interview.

For further information please contact the Department's Secretary:

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Further information on the Department's research activities can be obtained at the Department's website: <https://ucy.ac.cy/biol/en/>



GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES

Language of instruction

The language of instruction for the above postgraduate programmes is Greek, except of the following programmes which are also taught in English: Economic Analysis, Financial Economics, MBA, MBE, Field Archaeology on Land and Under the Sea, the PhD Programme in Business Administration as well as all the programmes of the Biological Sciences. Also the Department of English Studies, the Department of French Studies and Modern Languages and the Department of Turkish and Middle Eastern Studies conduct their programmes in the language of their respective disciplines.

Submission of applications:

Applications can be submitted electronically using the online application system http://ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate_appl_en by Wednesday, 3th April 2019 until 12 noon.

The applications should include the following:

1. A Curriculum Vitae

2. Certified copies of University degrees or confirmation of graduation (Admitted candidates will need to submit the certified degrees along with the acceptance of the offer to the University of Cyprus before their registration).
3. Copies of Transcripts for all programmes of study graduate and undergraduate.
4. A brief statement of personal goals and research interests (up to 2 pages).
5. The names and emails of at least two (2) referees (University Professors) familiar with the candidate and his/her academic performance. Candidates should request letters of recommendation to be sent directly to the University. The Department may request additional confidential information from referees. The reference letters are electronically submitted through the online application system.

(Some departments require three (3) reference letters to be submitted with the application, so before submitting your application, please visit the web page of the department to verify the number of reference letters required).

Admitted candidates will be required to submit copies of degree certificates officially certified by the Issuing Authority.

It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that their application has successfully been submitted. Upon successful submission, the candidate will receive an automated confirmation e-mail.

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Master's Degree:

€5.125 per programme with the following exceptions:

Self-financing programmes:

- Master in Business Administration (MBA): €10.250
- Master in Business Economics (Technology, Innovation Management Entrepreneurship - TIME MBE) : €10.000
- Master in Human Resource Management: €7.500
- Master in Intelligent Critical Infrastructure Systems: €6.500

In addition to graduate tuition, a clinical practicum fee of euro 1000 is charged in the Applied Program in School Psychology in order to cover expenses for clinical supervision services provided by Registered Professional Psychologists. (It applies for those students registered since the academic year 2013- 2014).

PhD Degree:

- PhD students holders of master's degrees: Total fees €4.000
- PhD students non-holders of master's degrees: Total fees €6.500. Each year of study, beyond the 6 years, with a maximum duration of 8 years (16 semesters) corresponds to

tuition fees of €1.250 per year (€625 per semester). Maximum tuition fees for a PhD degree are €9.000.

In addition to graduate tuition, a clinical practicum fee of euro 1000 is charged in the Applied PhD level Program in Clinical Psychology in order to cover expenses for clinical supervision services provided by Registered Professional Psychologists.

For further information please contact the Secretaries of the Departments on weekdays, Monday - Friday from 8.00 a.m. -2.00p.m.

SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Scholarships for newcomers PhD and Master Students

The University of Cyprus announces 120 scholarships for new applicants for admission in September 2019. They are either full scholarships (i.e. tuition fees and an annual stipend of equal to €8.000) or partial scholarships (i.e. tuition fees). The scholarships are addressed to newcomers PhD and Master students. Their duration is for one academic year and may be renewed annually based on the students' academic performance. Those interested for a scholarship should state it at Step 11 of the application. More information at the following links:

FAQ – Praxandros scholarships

https://ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/ypotrofies_Praxandros_newcomers_FAQ_english.pdf

FAQ - Evagoras scholarships

https://ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/ypotrofies_Evagoras_newcomers_FAQ_english.pdf

2. Scholarships for staff of the Ministry of Defense and the National Guard

The University of Cyprus announces four (4) scholarships for the personnel of the Cyprus Ministry of Defense and/or Cyprus National Guard. The scholarships are addressed only to new applicants for admission in any postgraduate programme of the University of Cyprus in September 2019. Each scholarship will cover the second 50% of the tuition fees (considering that applicants have already paid the first 50%).

3. Scholarship for Syrian refugees

The University of Cyprus announces one (1) scholarship for Syrian Refugees who were forced to stop their studies and would like to studying in Cyprus. The scholarships is addressed only to new applicants of Syrian nationality who reside in Cyprus for admission in any postgraduate programme of the University of Cyprus in September 2019. The scholarship will cover the full amount of tuition fees applied to the selected programme of studies plus accommodation.

