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**FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022**

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## **POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMME PLACES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-2022**

The University of Cyprus announces that it will be accepting applications for the following postgraduate programmes beginning in **September 2021**, by **Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> of April 2021 until 12 noon.**

### **1. DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE**

Thirty **(30)** places for the postgraduate programme leading to a Master's or a PhD degree are distributed as follows:

- **25** places at the **Master's** level in **Finance**
- **5** places at the **PhD** level in **Finance**

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### **2. DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE**

Twenty five **(25)** places for the postgraduate programmes leading to a Master (M.Sc & M.Eng) and a PhD degree are distributed as follows:

- Ten **(10)** places at the PhD level for the postgraduate programme in Architecture\*

The specializations of the programme are in the following areas:

- Architectural History and Theory
  - Architectural Design and Theory
  - Digital Communication Media
  - Architectural Technology
  - Urban Design
  - Energy and Environmental Design
- Ten **(10)** places for the Joint Postgraduate Programme of the Faculty of Engineering at Master (M.Sc & M.Eng.) level in **“Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design”**.
  - Five **(5)** places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in **“Conservation and Restoration of Historic Buildings and Sites”**. \*\*

\*The candidates for the PhD programme should be graduates of a Diploma in Architecture (5 years degree) or a Master (M.A. or M.Sc.) in a domain of Philosophy, Social Science, Fine Arts, Applied Arts, Civil Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Economics and Management.

Candidates for the master programmes must hold a university degree in a relevant science or engineering from the University of Cyprus or other accredited university in Cyprus or abroad.

\*\*Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted.

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### **3. 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.* 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 a research-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:**

Ms. Anna Christou

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

#### **4. DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

Thirty six (**36**) places are available in the postgraduate programmes which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

(a) Six (**6**) places at the PhD level for the postgraduate programme in **Business Administration** which are distributed as follows:

- 3 positions in the **PhD** programme in **Business Administration (in Greek)**
- 3 positions in the **PhD** programme in **Business Administration (in English)**

Applications from candidates interested in the following fields of study will be considered:

- Management
- Marketing
- Operations Management / Management Science
- Management Information Systems

For entry to the PhD Programme, applicants must hold a Master's Degree from an accredited university in a related subject.

Applications must include:

1. A preliminary research proposal (up to 1500 words) that describes the candidate's proposed research topic. Specifically, the proposal should include outlines of:
  - The research questions and their significance
  - The proposed research methodology to address the research questions
  - The key literature on the research topic
  - A timetable for completing the PhD
2. Proof of very good knowledge of the English language (test results and/or certificates obtained). This is not necessary for applicants who received their degrees for programmes taught in English.
3. Three (3) reference letters from University professors familiar with the candidate and his/her academic performance.

**Note:** It is recommended that before candidates apply for the programme, they explore the research interests of the resident faculty along with their own and possible communicate with them for a preliminary discussion. For more information please visit our web page: [www.ucy.ac.cy/bpa](http://www.ucy.ac.cy/bpa)

(b) Thirty (**30**) places for the **Master's degree program in Human Resource Management (HRM)**.

An analysis of the world's most admired companies shows that the most important success factor and at the same time one of the few ways that Organizations can gain long-term, sustainable competitive advantage, is the effective acquisition and management of their people. Therefore, the Department of Business and Public Administration of the University of Cyprus provides an innovative Master's Program in Human Resource Management (MSc in HRM). The MSc in HRM offers in-depth knowledge and skills on how to

achieve such an advantage through people in a variety of organizational settings and is suitable for both graduates of HR related bachelor studies as well as graduates from other fields.

The Postgraduate Program in Human Resource Management offers students the opportunity to learn from leading HRM and organizational experts within Europe and beyond and to apply their knowledge in real-world settings. Furthermore, it provides them with knowledge in practical aspects of HR through various workshops that will enhance their understanding from an HR practitioner perspective. In addition, it provides valuable knowledge and skills to help advance students' career as well as access to a strong human resource management network in Cyprus and abroad. Finally, it enables students to strengthen their analytical, team and communication skills and increase their understanding on business ethics and social responsibility.

### **Student Admissions**

#### **Academic Criteria**

- A recognized Undergraduate Diploma with a minimum of 7.0 (out of 10) or equivalent (eg 2:1 based on the UK system).
- The thematic section of the degree is not critical. Qualification in terms of the degree may be in any field.

#### **English Language Requirements**

- Proof of proficiency in the English language, equivalent at least to level C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), e.g. through one of the following exams: (not applicable for applicants who have received their degrees from an internationally recognized University for programs taught in English).
  - IELTS: 7.0
  - Aptis Advanced: C1
  - IGCSE / GCE: B
  - TOEFL iBT: 95

- Two (2) Recommendation Letters from academics and/or supervisors (at least one should be from an academic).

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### **INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROGRAMME IN DATA SCIENCE**

Thirty (30) places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in “**Data Science**” of the Faculties of “Pure and Applied Sciences” and “Economics and Management”, with three specialization tracks: Computer Science, Statistics, and Business Analytics.

The Programme was recently certified by the Cyprus Agency of Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education and will accept its first students in September 2021. The goal of the MSc in Data Science Programme is to provide in-depth understanding of data science and business analytics, and to help students become scientists and/or executives capable of supporting businesses, organizations, and research institutions with their data science needs.

More information about the programme, including the detailed curriculum will be available at [www.datascience.cy](http://www.datascience.cy) in March 2021.

The programme is offered by the departments of 1) Computer Science, 2) Mathematics and Statistics and 3) Business and Public Administration in **English**. The programme's duration is 1.5 years (90 ECTS).

The minimum qualifications required in order to apply, are:

- A recognized University Degree in a related field (Statistics, Computer Science, Mathematics, Engineering, Economics, Business, Physics) from an accredited Institution with a GPA of at least 6.5/10. If the degree is not yet available during the application process, the student must submit it before the start of classes in September.
- Proof of **very good knowledge of the English language** (test results and/or certificates obtained; the certificates that demonstrate proficiency in English can be found at the following Web site: <https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/admissions/admission-requirements> ). This is not necessary for applicants who received their degrees for programmes taught in English.

Additional academic criteria required in order to apply, are:

- Successful completion courses in Probability, Statistics or Econometrics and fundamental Mathematical courses (e.g., basic calculus, linear algebra, etc).
- Successful completion courses in Computer Science (e.g. programming principles in Python, R, etc).

Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted. Candidates are ranked according to the following scale: (1): not acceptable, (2): acceptable under certain conditions (conditional offer), (3): acceptable.

**For further information, please contact the Program Coordinators**

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## **5. DEPARTMENT OF BYZANTINE AND MODERN GREEK STUDIES**

Twenty three (**23**) places are available in the postgraduate programme in **Modern Greek Philology**, which are distributed as follows:

- 15 places at the **Master's** level
- 8 places at the **PhD** level

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Professor Julia Chatzipanagioti-Sangmeister

## **5. DEPARTMENT OF BYZANTINE AND MODERN GREEK STUDIES AND DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

Twenty two (22) places for the **Interdepartmental postgraduate programme of Byzantine Studies and the Latin East**, which are distributed as follows:

- 16 places at the **Master's** level
- 6 places at the **PhD** level

**Important information:** It should be noted that the candidates are expected to submit their application to the department that is relevant to their research interests: the Department of Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies for the philological domain and the Department of History and Archaeology for the historical and archaeological domains.

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretaries:**

- **Department of Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies:** Tel.: 22 893870, 22 894302, Fax: 22 894490
- **Department of History and Archaeology:** Tel.: 22 892180, Fax: 22 895068, 22 895078

Webpage of Programme: <https://ucy.ac.cy/byz/en/>

## **6. DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**

Twenty (20) places for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

- 8 places at the **Master's** level in **Chemistry**
- 12 places at the **PhD** level in **Chemistry**

For further information regarding the research interests and contacts the Co-ordinators Professors can be found to the website <https://ucy.ac.cy/chem/documents/PostPrEng.pdf>

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## **7. DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING**

Seventy (**70**) places for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

(a) Thirty (**30**) places for the postgraduate programme of **Civil Engineering** are distributed as follows:

- Twenty five (**25**) places are available at the **Master's** level in **Civil Engineering (MSc, MEng)** divided by five positions in the following disciplines:
  - **Earthquake Engineering (5 places)**
  - **Structural Analysis (5 places)**
  - **Novel and Traditional Building Materials (5 places)**
  - **Geotechnical Engineering (5 places)**
  - **Construction and Transport Infrastructure Management (5 places)**
  
- Five (**5**) places are available at the **PhD** level in **Civil Engineering**.

(b) Twenty five (**25**) places for the postgraduate programme of **Environmental Engineering** are distributed as follows:

- Twenty (**20**) places are available at the **Master's** level in **Environmental Engineering (MSc, MEng)**
- Five (**5**) places are available at the **PhD** level in **Environmental Engineering**

(c) Five (**5**) places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in "**Conservation and Restoration of Historic Buildings and Sites**" which are distributed as follows:\*

- Five (**5**) places at the **Master's** level in **Conservation and Restoration of Historic Buildings and Sites**

\* Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted.

(d) Ten (**10**) places for the Joint Postgraduate Programme of the Faculty of Engineering at **Master (M.Sc & M.Eng)** level in "**Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design**" which are distributed as follows:

- Ten (**10**) places at the **Master's** level in **Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design**

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 892249, Fax: 22 892295

<http://ucy.ac.cy/cee/en/>

## **8. DEPARTMENT OF CLASSICS AND PHILOSOPHY**

Thirteen (**13**) places for the postgraduate programme in **Classical Studies** are distributed as follows:

- **8** places at the **Master's** level
- **5** places at the **PhD** level

Requirements for admission to the Master's programme

- A BA degree in Classics or a related field from a recognized university.
- Good knowledge of one of the languages internationally used in Classics, preferably English.
- Two letters of reference from academic faculty in Classics or related fields. Candidates holding a BA degree from the Faculty of Letters of the University of Cyprus are exempt from this obligation.

Requirements for admission to the PhD programme

- A Master's degree in Classics or a related field from a recognized university.
- Good knowledge of at least two of the languages internationally used in Classics.
- Two letters of reference from academic faculty in Classics or related fields.

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## **9. DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE**

Eighty (**80**) places are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

**Master Programmes:**

- Twenty five (**25**) places for the **Master's programme in Computer Science (MCS)**. The course is designed primarily for Computer Science and other science-related graduates who seek to develop research skills and enhance their knowledge in advanced areas of Computer Science. Students who attend this program may pursue a PhD degree after their graduation.
- Fifteen (**15**) places for the **Professional Master's programme in Advanced Information Technologies (PM)**. The aim of the Professional Master in Advanced Information Technologies is to help Information Technology Professionals to extend and update their knowledge in Advanced Computer Technologies and to acquire up-to-date know-how in subjects related to the national Information Technology industry like Software Engineering, the Internet and Intelligent Systems.
- Thirty (**30**) places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in "**Data Science**" of the Faculties of "Pure and Applied Sciences" and "Economics and Management", with three specialization tracks: Computer Science, Statistics, and Business Analytics.

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More information about the programme, including the detailed curriculum will be available at [www.datascience.cy](http://www.datascience.cy) in March 2021.

The programme is offered by the departments of 1) Computer Science, 2) Mathematics and Statistics and 3) Business and Public Administration in **English**. The programme's duration is 1.5 years (90 ECTS).

The minimum qualifications required in order to apply, are:

- A recognized University Degree in a related field (Statistics, Computer Science, Mathematics, Engineering, Economics, Business, Physics) from an accredited Institution with a GPA of at least 6.5/10. If the degree is not yet available during the application process, the student must submit it before the start of classes in September.

- Proof of **very good knowledge of the English language** (test results and/or certificates obtained; the certificates that demonstrate proficiency in English can be found at the following Web site: <https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/admissions/admission-requirements> ). This is not necessary for applicants who received their degrees for programmes taught in English.

Additional academic criteria required in order to apply, are:

- Successful completion courses in Probability, Statistics or Econometrics and fundamental Mathematical courses (e.g., basic calculus, linear algebra, etc)

- Successful completion courses in Computer Science (e.g. programming principles in Python, R, etc)

Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted. Candidates are ranked according to the following scale: (1): not acceptable, (2): acceptable under certain conditions (conditional offer), (3): acceptable.

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### **PhD Programmes:**

- Ten **(10) places** are available at the **PhD level**. The main research interests of the Department's staff are: Artificial Intelligence, Computer Architecture, Computers Networks, Databases, Digital Signal and Image Processing, Distributed and Parallel Computing, Graphics and Virtual Reality, Grid Computing, Internet Technologies, Mobile Computing, Multimedia, Software Engineering, Theoretical Computer Science.

Further information for the Department's research activities can be obtained from the Department's website [www.cs.ucy.ac.cy](http://www.cs.ucy.ac.cy).

The minimum qualifications required in order to apply, are a recognized University Degree in Computer Science or in a related field from an accredited Institution with an overall grade of "Very Good." The selection process will consider the academic standing and achievement of the candidate, especially for the courses related to Computer Science, reference letters, and any professional or personal interview should this be deemed necessary.

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## **10. DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**

One hundred (**100**) places for postgraduate studies leading to a Master's or a PhD degree are distributed as follows:

- **14** places for the **Master in Economic Analysis (in English)**
- **30** places for the **Master in Monetary and Financial Economics (in English)**
- **50** places for the Joint Postgraduate Programme at **Master level in Business Economics (Technology, Innovation Management and Entrepreneurship – TIME MBE) (in English)**

The programme is offered by the University of Cyprus, University of Crete and Wageningen University, The Netherlands. The fees for the programme amount to €10.000. All selected candidates, will receive a scholarship of €4.000.

- **6** places at the **PhD** level in **Economics**

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## **11. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

One hundred nineteen eight (**179**) places for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

(a) Twenty two (**22**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a Master's or PhD programme in **Curriculum Studies, Teaching and Comparative Education**.

- **20** places at the **Master's** level
- **2** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the Master's should have a graduate degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate Master degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

(b) Two (**2**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a PhD programme in **Language and Education**.

- **2** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate (Master's) degree, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

(c) Fifteen (**15**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a Master's or PhD programme in **Language Pedagogy**.

- **15** places at the **Master's** level

The candidates for the Master's should have a graduate degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

(i) Seventeen (**17**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a Master's or PhD programme in **Special and Inclusive Education**.

- **15** places at the **Master's** level
- **2** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the Master's should have a graduate degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate Master degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

(b) Twenty eight (**28**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a Master's or PhD programme in **Educational Administration and Evaluation**.

- **25** places at the **Master's** level
- **3** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the Master's should have a graduate degree, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate (Master's) degree, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

(h) Sixty (**60**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for pursuing a Master's or PhD programme in **Pedagogical Science**.

- **50** places at the **Master's** level
- **10** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates should have a University degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate Master degree. A very good knowledge of the English language is also required.

The candidates should choose and note on their application the field they prefer to follow:

➤ **Choose one field from the following:**

**Master Degree:**

- Pedagogy of Physical Education
- Preschool Education
- Educational Technology

### **PhD Degree:**

- Religious Education
- Sociology of Education
- Theory and Practice of Teaching
- Pedagogy of Physical Education
- Preschool Education
- Educational Technology

(g) Seventeen (**17**) places, which are distributed as follows, are available for obtaining a place to study on the Master's or PhD programme in **Mathematics Education**

- **15** places at the **Master's** level
- **2** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the Master's should have a graduate degree in Education or in Mathematics or other degree related to the field, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate Master degree in Mathematics or in Mathematics Teaching, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

(f) Fifteen (**15**) places are available for the postgraduate programme **Learning in Natural Sciences and the Environment**, and for pursuing Master's degree as follows:

- **15** places at the **Master's** level

Candidates should choose and note on their application the field they prefer to follow:

- Learning in Natural Sciences
- Environmental and Sustainability Education

The candidates for the Master's in the field of "Learning in Natural Science" should have a graduate degree in Education or from the Departments of Natural Sciences or Engineering Faculties or other relative Academic Departments, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

The candidates for the Master's in the field of "Environmental and Sustainability Education" should have a graduate degree in Education from Academic Departments, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language

(g) Three (**3**) places are available for the postgraduate programme in **Learning in Natural Sciences and the Environment** for pursuing PhD degree as follows:

- **3** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the PhD should have a graduate Master degree in Education or from the Departments of Natural Sciences or Engineering Faculties or other relative Academic Departments, as well as a very good knowledge of the English language.

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## **12. DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER ENGINEERING**

One hundred and twenty five (**125**) positions are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree.

The Department's postgraduate positions are distributed as follows:

**(a)** Fifty-five (**55**) positions for the postgraduate programme in **Electrical Engineering** which are distributed as follows:

- Twenty (**20**) positions at the **Master's** level (**MSc / MEng**)
- Thirty-five (**35**) positions at the **PhD** level

**(b)** Thirty (**30**) positions for the postgraduate programme in **Computer Engineering** which are distributed as follows:

- Ten (**10**) positions at the **Master's** level (**MSc / MEng**)
- Twenty (**20**) positions at the **PhD** level

**(c)** Twenty (**20**) positions for the Joint Postgraduate Programme of the Faculty of Engineering at Master (M.Sc & M.Eng) level in "**Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design**" which are distributed as follows:

- Twenty (**20**) positions at the **Master's** level

**(d)** Twenty (**20**) positions for the postgraduate programme "**Master of Science in Intelligent Critical Infrastructure Systems**" which are distributed as follow:

- Twenty (**20**) positions at the **Master's** level

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 892271, 22 892240, Fax: 22 895079, e-mail: [ece@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:ece@ucy.ac.cy)

<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/ece/en/>

**For information regarding the M.Sc. Programme in Intelligent Critical Infrastructure Systems, please contact:**

Tel. 22 893460, e-mail: [mccis@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:mccis@ucy.ac.cy), web: <http://www.mccis.ucy.ac.cy/>

### **SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE PhD PROGRAMME:**

**(a)** The Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering calls for applications for three (**3**) PhD scholarships for its Ph.D. programmes. These scholarships are addressed only to new applicants for admission in September 2021.

These scholarships will be granted for four years, depending on the performance of the Candidate PhD student, who will be evaluated by the Department Council, and subject to the approval of the necessary funds in the university budget for the following years. Successful applicants will not be allowed to work, within

or outside the University, during the period of the Scholarship. Also, the PhD students will be assigned Teaching Assistant duties or administrative duties at the Department (the equivalent of four hours of work per week during the Fall and Spring semesters).

Applicants must prepare their research proposal after consulting the website of the Department <http://www.ucy.ac.cy/ece/en/> and after examining the faculty's research interests. They should contact directly a member of the faculty with whom they have similar research interests for initial guidance regarding the PhD proposal. The thesis can be written either in Greek or in English or any other international language with the prior approval of the Research Advisor.

Selection Criteria:

- (1) Academic excellence
- (2) Originality of research proposal
- (3) Capability of member of academic staff to supervise the proposal

Submission of Application:

Applicants must submit electronically their application for the PhD programmes of the department at [http://ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate\\_appl\\_en](http://ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate_appl_en).

**(b)** The KIOS Research and Innovation Center of Excellence (CoE) calls for applications for ten **(10)** full-time PhD scholarships. These scholarships are addressed only to new applicants for admission in September 2021.

The successful applicants will be enrolled in either the **Electrical Engineering** or the **Computer Engineering** PhD programme of the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and they will conduct their research at the facilities of the KIOS CoE in one or more thematic areas of the Center.

### **Scholarship Terms:**

The scholarship will be for one year and may be renewed annually, based on performance, for 3-5 years. It includes the University tuition fees and a gross monthly salary starting at €1250. The 13th salary bonus is incorporated in the monthly salary. Maternity leave will be granted based on Social Insurance Laws from 1980 until 2012.

For additional information please visit <http://www.kios.ucy.ac.cy/index.php/employment-opportunities.html>

### **SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE MSc PROGRAMME in INTELLIGENT CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE SYSTEMS:**

The KIOS Research and Innovation Center of Excellence (CoE) calls for applications for five **(5)** scholarships for the **MSc programme in Intelligent Critical Infrastructure Systems** offered by the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. These scholarships are addressed only to new applicants for admission in September 2021.

Each scholarship will be for one year and may be renewed annually, based on performance. The scholarship funds 50% of the University tuition fees for the MSc programme.

For additional information please contact: tel. 22 893460, e-mail: [mccis@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:mccis@ucy.ac.cy).



## **13. DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH STUDIES**

**Nineteen (19)** places are available for postgraduate programmes of the Department of English Studies which lead to obtaining MA and PhD degrees. The places are distributed as follows:

- **MA in Theoretical and Applied Linguistics: Ten (10) places**

Candidates for the MA Programme must hold a BA degree in a relevant field from a recognized university in Cyprus or abroad. They are also expected to have a high level of competence in spoken and written English. For further information on the admission requirements and on the application submission guidelines, see below.

- **PhD in Linguistics: Two (2) places**

The positions for the PhD in Linguistics are announced for the area of **Applied Linguistics/Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)** and, more specifically, for the following research areas:

- First and second language acquisition
- Bilingualism, multilingualism, heritage language
- Sociolinguistics, family language policy
- Methodology in TESOL, teaching and education

Applicants are strongly encouraged to contact the potential supervisor in the above research areas, Dr. Sviatlana Karpava ([karpava.sviatlana@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:karpava.sviatlana@ucy.ac.cy)).

- **PhD in English Literature and Comparative Cultural Studies: Five (5) places**

Applicants are advised to consult the specific research interests of the programme faculty in their respective research pages:

<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/eng/en/staff/academic>

- **PhD in Translation Studies: Two (2) places**

Applicants are advised to consult the specific research interests of the programme faculty in their respective research pages:

<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/eng/en/staff/academic>

### **Admission Requirements and Application Submission Guidelines**

**Applicants for admission to the MA programme** must hold, as already mentioned above, a BA degree in a relevant field from a recognized university in Cyprus or abroad.

**Applicants for admission to the PhD programmes** are expected to hold an MA in a relevant field of study from a recognized university in Cyprus or abroad.

Further, all applicants are required to be proficient in the English language (for further details, see below).

All applicants (both for the MA and for the PhD programmes) are required to submit their applications electronically, through the Online Application System of the Graduate School of the University of Cyprus that may be found in the following link:

[http://applications.ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate\\_appl/MNG\\_USER\\_en.login\\_frm](http://applications.ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate_appl/MNG_USER_en.login_frm)

Along with their electronic application form, applicants are required to submit the following:

- 1) A full CV in English.
- 2) Certified copies of degrees and academic transcripts as appropriate. I.e. for applicants for the MA, a certified copy of their BA degree – or an official document certifying that the student will have graduated before the start date of the MA programme for which s/he is applying – plus a certified copy of the BA degree transcript; in addition to these, applicants for the PhD programmes are required to submit a certified copy of their MA degree.
- 3) A Personal Objectives Essay (applies to all candidates): A brief statement of interest (500 words up to 2 pages), which describes the reasons why the applicant wants to join the particular postgraduate programme, his/her interests and plans for the future.
- 4) A Preliminary Research Proposal (for PhD applicants only): A preliminary research proposal (of approximately 1,500 words) that describes the applicant's proposed research topic.
- 5) Writing samples in English (which, in the case of PhD applications, must include a copy of the applicant's MA thesis).
- 6) Letters of recommendation: Applicants will be required to state the names and addresses of academics who will be called to submit their letters of recommendation directly to the University of Cyprus via the online system. At least two letters of recommendation are required for applications to the MA programme, while three are required for applications to the PhD programmes.
- 7) Certificate of English language proficiency. More specifically, applicants are required to demonstrate their proficiency in English by submitting an IELTS exam score of at least 6,5, or its equivalent on the basis of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR). Applicants with degrees from English-speaking university programs are exempt from this requirement.

**Please note that applications and all other documents must be submitted in English.**

Also, please note that the candidates may also be required to participate in an interview in order to assess their suitability for the programme.

**Further information:**

For further information applicants may contact the secretariat of the Department of English Studies:

Tel.: 22 892101, 22892102

You can also visit the Departmental webpage for information about the Postgraduate Programmes:  
<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/eng/en/academicprogramms/postgraduate>

For information concerning tuition fees, please consult the following link on the Graduate School's website:  
<https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/el/postgraduate-studies/fees>

## **14. DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH AND EUROPEAN STUDIES**

**Sixteen (16)** places are available for the postgraduate programmes which lead to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

- **6** places at **Master's** level in **Didactic of French as a Foreign Language**
- **6** places at **Master's** level in **European Studies**
- **2** places at the **PhD** level in **French Studies**
- **2** places at the **PhD** level in **European Studies**

**For further information, please contact the Coordinator of the postgraduate programme:**

Associate Professor Panagiotis Christias, Tel: 22 89 43 74

Email: [christias.panagiotis@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:christias.panagiotis@ucy.ac.cy)

**The Department's Secretary:**

Tel. 22 89 43 89, Fax 22 89 43 87, Email: [french@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:french@ucy.ac.cy)

## **15. DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGY**

Forty five (**45**) places are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

(a) Fourteen (**14**) places are available for the postgraduate programme in **Modern and Contemporary History** which are distributed as follows:

- **10** places at the **Master's** level
- **4** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the **Master** programme must be holders of a BA from recognized universities. Priority will be given to graduates of the following departments: Graduates of History, Faculty of Letters, Political Science, European Studies or Turkish Studies.

Graduates of Greek universities and the University of Cyprus must have a GPA of at least 7,0. This is also required for graduates of other universities. **The application must include two undergraduate essays or publications in Modern History.**

Good knowledge of the English language is obligatory. Knowledge of a second European language will be an advantage.

Final decision for acceptance will be made by a Committee consisting of professors of the Department – permanent teaching staff of the programme. The Committee may decide to invite the candidates for an interview and/or a written examination, regardless if they have all requirements.

The language for teaching and for writing the MA thesis is Greek. **Submit certificates of good knowledge of the English language and possible other languages.**

The candidates for the **PhD** programme should be graduates of a Master's programme in History from a recognized University. At the discretion of the Department, holders of a postgraduate title of Political Science or European Studies or Turkish Studies or any other Master's degree that satisfies the requirements of the program, can also be accepted.

Good knowledge of the English Language is mandatory. Knowledge of a second European language will be considered an advantage. **The application must include a copy of the MA thesis. Additionally submit certificates of good knowledge of English.**

Candidates will be chosen following a personal interview and possibly a written examination.

### **Programme Coordinator of Modern and Contemporary History**

(b) Five (5) places in the Interdepartmental Masters Program of the Faculty of Letters (Department of History and Archaeology) and the Polytechnical School (Department of Civil Engineers and Department of Architecture) "**Conservation and Restoration and of Historical Buildings and Complexes**" as follows:

- 5 places at the **Master's** level

For admission into this program through the Department of History and Archaeology, candidates must hold a university degree from a Department of History and Archaeology or other relevant department, or a degree in Conservation studies (for admission into this program through the Department of Civil Engineers or the Department of Architecture other candidates must hold a relevant degree in these sciences).

Applications will be evaluated by an interdepartmental committee, which will make suggestions for final approval to the Councils of the relevant Departments.

(c) Ten (10) places are available for the postgraduate programme in **Ancient History** which are distributed as follows:

- 8 places at the **Master's** level
- 2 places at the **PhD** level

Admission to the MA programme in Ancient History is open to holders of a BA from the Department of History and Archaeology of the University of Cyprus or from corresponding departments in Greek universities and other recognized universities abroad, with a grade the equivalent of 6.5 or above, as well as holders of a BA from the Department of Classics and Philosophy of the University of Cyprus, from Departments of Classical Philology in Greek universities, as well as from analogous departments in other recognized universities abroad, with a grade the equivalent of 6.5 or above.

Candidates for the PhD should hold an MA in the field of Ancient History from the University of Cyprus or from a recognized university abroad.

Alternatively, they can hold an MA in Classical Archaeology from a university abroad or from the postgraduate programme in Mediterranean Archaeology from the University of Cyprus. Every candidate must submit a CV with any pertinent publications along with a brief description, up to 3 pages (in Greek or, in the case of foreigners, in an international language), of the topic to be covered in the proposed PhD dissertation. If the topic stems from the MA thesis, the candidate should describe the thesis in detail. The Examining Committee will decide on admissions following interviews. The Examining Committee consists of 4 members (two instructors in Ancient History from the Department of History and Archaeology of the University of Cyprus and two Professors from the Faculty of Letters of the University of Cyprus).

#### **Programme Coordinator of Ancient History**

Associate Professor Theodoros Mavroyiannis  
Telephone Number: 22892183 Email: [theomav@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:theomav@ucy.ac.cy)

(d) Ten (10) places for the postgraduate programme in **Field Archaeology on Land and Under the Sea** as follows:

- 10 places at the **Master's** level

Candidates should hold a degree in Archaeology, History, Classics, Anthropology or other related fields of research (History of Art, Architecture, Geography, Geology, Physics, Chemistry, Engineering) in recognized universities.

Graduates of the University of Cyprus and Greek Universities must have an undergraduate diploma with a cumulative grade of **6,5** or higher. The equivalent is required for graduates from other universities. The applicants must also speak English at a satisfactory level.

A short statement (up to 650 words) of personal goals and research interests, in English should be included in the application. Candidates who meet the necessary requirements will be called for an interview.

### **Programme Coordinator of Field Archaeology on Land and Under the Sea**

Associate Professor	Stella Demesticha
Telephone Number:	22893568
Programme Webpage:	<a href="mailto:demesticha@ucy.ac.cy">demesticha@ucy.ac.cy</a> <a href="http://www.ucy.ac.cy/field_arch/en/">http://www.ucy.ac.cy/field_arch/en/</a>

(e) Six (**6**) places are available for the postgraduate programme in **Mediterranean Archaeology** and are distributed as follows:

- **6** places at the **PhD** level

The candidates for the **PhD** programme should be graduates of a Master's programme in Archaeology or other relevant sciences (History of Art, Architecture, Anthropology, Ancient History and other sciences supportive for Archaeology, like Geology, Physics and Chemistry), from a recognized University. The candidates judged as qualified will be invited to an interview. They will also go through an examination in one of the basic European languages of their choice (English, French, German, Italian and Spanish).

The application must include a copy of the MA thesis and copies of possible publications. If available, certificates of good knowledge of at least one foreign language should be submitted.

### **Programme Coordinator of Mediterranean Archaeology**

Associate Professor George Papasavvas  
Telephone Number: 22893566 Email: [georgep@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:georgep@ucy.ac.cy)

### **For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 892180, 22 893560, Fax: 22 895068  
<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/hisarch/en/>

## **16. DEPARTMENT OF LAW**

Fourty five (**45**) places for the postgraduate programmes of the Department of Law leading to a PhD or an LLM degree as follows:

(a) Twelve (**12**) places for the postgraduate programme leading to a PhD degree are distributed as follows:

- Three (3) places under the supervision of Associate Professor Nikitas Hatzimihail
- One (1) place under the supervision of Associate Professor Charalambos Papacharalambous
- One (1) place under the supervision of Associate Professor Tatiana-Eleni Synodinou
- One (1) place under the supervision of Associate Professor Constantinos Kombos
- One (1) place under the supervision of Associate Professor Aristoteles Constantinides
- Two (2) places under the supervision of Assistant Professor Thomas Papadopoulos

- Two (2) places under the supervision of Assistant Professor Costas Paraskeva
- One (1) place under the supervision of Lecturer Charikleia Vlachou.

**The first stage in the application process:** Applicants are strongly encouraged to check the research interests and expertise of the academic staff of the Department of Law and must get in touch with potential Research Supervisors before submitting their application. **Written endorsement** by a supervisor at this preliminary stage is required for the progression of the application to the next stage. It is noted that endorsement does not equal success for the application but is rather a precondition for its progression to the next stage of assessment.

Further information about the research profile of potential supervisors is available at the Department's website <http://ucy.ac.cy/law>

**The second stage in the application process:** The applicant complies with all the requirements set in the online application system of the University of Cyprus. Applications submitted in hard copy will not be accepted.

The following should be included in the online application:

1. Curriculum vitae.
2. Certified copies of University Degrees (undergraduate and postgraduate levels) or a Certificate of Graduation. (In case of admission to the program, certified copies of diplomas must be submitted at the latest when accepting the post).
3. Academic Transcript (with a detailed record of grades) of the Undergraduate and Postgraduate Degrees.
4. Preliminary (non-binding) research proposal of up to 2000 words in Greek or English, identifying the proposed supervisor and briefly describing the proposed subject, the proposed research methodology and the basic bibliography.
5. At least one and no more than three written samples of academic writing.
6. Evidence of excellent knowledge of the English language and any knowledge of other languages.
7. The names and e-mail addresses of two (2) academic referees. The academic referees will receive a relevant email requesting submission of the reference letter. The Department may request additional confidential information from the referees.

When submitting the application, a specific supervisor that has previously endorsed the specific application must be named in the accompanying proposal. The final decision for the admission to the PhD Programme in Law will be taken by the Department's Committee of Postgraduate Studies, upon a **favourable recommendation** of the nominated Research Supervisor and subject to: (a) restrictions in available positions per supervisor; (b) the fit of the proposal with the research interests and current priorities of the supervisor; (c) the assessment of the qualifications of applicants vis-à-vis the admission criteria. The Department's Committee of Postgraduate Studies reserves the right to invite applicants to an interview or/and a written examination.

The candidates for the PhD Programme in Law must be holders of an undergraduate and postgraduate degree in Law by a recognised University.

It is noted that the excellent knowledge of the English language is an additional mandatory admission requirement. Very good knowledge of a second or third European language may be taken into account. The language of instruction is greek.

Coordinator of the PhD Programme in Law

Associate Professor Constantinos Kombos

Telephone Number: 22892926 Email: [c.c.kombos@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:c.c.kombos@ucy.ac.cy)

**General information:**

For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary, Monday to Friday, from 8:00-14:00.

(b) **Thirty three (33)** places for the postgraduate programme leading to a **Master of Laws (LLM)**.

Duration of studies is 3 academic semesters. The programme is completed in two stages. During the first two semesters students attend four modules (15 ECTS each), while the third semester is devoted to the writing of a Master thesis (30 ECTS).

All students are required to attend the core module 'Fundamental Principles of EU Law', and are requested to choose in their application one of the **three streams** of the programme (Stream A. «Criminal Justice and Human Rights», Stream B. «European Commercial Law», Stream C. «European Public Law»). This means that they have to take three modules of their chosen stream and write a Master thesis on one of the three modules of that stream. The language of instruction is Greek.

#### **Admission criteria:**

- Candidates for the LLM programme must hold a **Law degree** from a recognized University.
- Graduates of the Law Department of the University of Cyprus must have a GPA of at least 7.0/10, graduates of Greek Universities must have a GPA of at least 6.5/10, and graduates of UK Universities at least second-class honors (at least 2.2). Similar GPA is required for graduates of other Universities (for example, at least 3.3 on a 4.0 scale). Exceptionally, by decision of the Departmental Board, graduates with a lower GPA and remarkable professional performance may be admitted at a percentage not exceeding 10 per cent of selected candidates.

**Very good command of English** is necessary for the successful completion of the programme. Knowledge of a second or third European language is taken into consideration. The final decision for the admission to the programme is taken by the Committee of Postgraduate Studies of the Department. It may be possible to invite candidates for an interview even if they meet all admission criteria.

Further information is available at the Department's website <http://ucy.ac.cy/law>

#### **Coordinator of the Master of Laws (LLM) programme**

Assistant Professor Thomas Papadopoulos

Telephone Number: 22713285 Email: [papadopoulos.thomas@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:papadopoulos.thomas@ucy.ac.cy)

## **17. DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS**

Twenty five (**25**) places are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

### **Programmes at the Master level:**

- **12** places for the Master's degree in **Mathematical Sciences**

### **Programmes at the PhD level:**

#### **PhD in Statistics**

- **5** places for the PhD degree in **Statistics**

#### **PhD in Mathematics**

- 4 places for the PhD degree in **Applied Mathematics**
- 4 places for the PhD degree in **Pure Mathematics**

**For further information please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 892600, 22 892606

Thirty (**30**) places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in “**Data Science**” of the Faculties of “Pure and Applied Sciences” and “Economics and Management”, with three specialization tracks: Computer Science, Statistics, and Business Analytics.

The Programme was recently certified by the Cyprus Agency of Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education and will accept its first students in September 2021. The goal of the MSc in Data Science Programme is to provide in-depth understanding of data science and business analytics, and to help students become scientists and/or executives capable of supporting businesses, organizations, and research institutions with their data science needs.

More information about the programme, including the detailed curriculum will be available at [www.datascience.cy](http://www.datascience.cy) in March 2021.

The programme is offered by the departments of 1) Computer Science, 2) Mathematics and Statistics and 3) Business and Public Administration in **English**. The programme’s duration is 1.5 years (90 ECTS).

The minimum qualifications required in order to apply, are:

- A recognized University Degree in a related field (Statistics, Computer Science, Mathematics, Engineering, Economics, Business, Physics) from an accredited Institution with a GPA of at least 6.5/10. If the degree is not yet available during the application process, the student must submit it before the start of classes in September.
- Proof of **very good knowledge of the English language** (test results and/or certificates obtained; the certificates that demonstrate proficiency in English can be found at the following Web site: <https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/admissions/admission-requirements> ). This is not necessary for applicants who received their degrees for programmes taught in English.

Additional academic criteria required in order to apply, are:

- Successful completion courses in Probability, Statistics or Econometrics and fundamental Mathematical courses (e.g., basic calculus, linear algebra, etc).
- Successful completion courses in Computer Science (e.g. programming principles in Python, R, etc).

Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted. Candidates are ranked according to the following scale: (1): not acceptable, (2): acceptable under certain conditions (conditional offer), (3): acceptable.

**For further information, please contact the Program Coordinators**

**Department of Mathematics and Statistics:** Sergios Agapiou ([agapiou.sergios@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:agapiou.sergios@ucy.ac.cy))

**Department of Business and Public Administration:** Panos Markopoulos ([markopoulos.panos@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:markopoulos.panos@ucy.ac.cy))

**Department of Computer Science:** George Pallis ([gpallis@cs.ucy.ac.cy](mailto:gpallis@cs.ucy.ac.cy))



## **18. DEPARTMENT OF MECHANICAL AND MANUFACTURING ENGINEERING**

Fifty six (**56**) places are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

- (a) Thirty six (**36**) places for the Postgraduate Programme in Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering:
- Eight (**8**) places at a **MSc** level in **Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering**
  - Eight (**8**) places at a **PhD** level in **Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering**
  - Twenty (**20**) places at **MEng** level in **Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering**

### **Research Areas**

- Biomedical Engineering
- Computational Mechanics of Solid and Fluids
- Design, Manufacturing, Automation and Robotics
- Energy Systems
- Mechanical Systems Modelling and Controls
- Micro- and Nano-Technology

- (b) Ten (**10**) places for the postgraduate Programme in Materials Science and Technology
- Five (**5**) places at a **MSc in Advanced Materials and Nanotechnology**
  - Five (**5**) places at a **PhD level in Advanced Materials and Nanotechnology**
- (c) Ten (**10**) places for the Joint Postgraduate Programme of the Faculty of Engineering at Master (**M.Eng, MSc**) level in “**Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design**” which are distributed as follows:
- Ten (**10**) places at the **Master’s** level

An one-year scholarships (3500 Euros) will be offered to the best full-time candidate admitted in the postgraduate Ph.D. programme based on academic merit (depending on availability of funds). If you are interested to be considered for the scholarship you should state it at Step 11 of the application.

You should also state, on this section whether you are interested in working as a Teaching Assistant during the first year of your graduate study.

### **For further information, please contact:**

#### **The co-ordinator of Postgraduate Studies:**

Associate Professor Mathew Zervos

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#### **The Secretary of the Department:**

Mrs Loucia Christodoulou, Email: [loucia@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:loucia@ucy.ac.cy)

Tel: 22 892250 or 22 892280, Fax: 22 895081

## **19. DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS**

Twenty (**20**) places are available for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

- **12** places at the **Master's** level
- **8** places at the **PhD** level

The research interests of the Departmental staff are:

- Gravitation and Cosmology
- Theoretical and Experimental Nuclear Physics
- Theoretical and Experimental High Energy Particle Physics
- Photonics, Lasers and Optoelectronics
- Theoretical and Experimental Condensed Matter Physics
- Theoretical and Computational Biophysics

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 892820 Fax: 22 892821, email: [toulla@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:toulla@ucy.ac.cy)

## **20. DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

Seventy five (**75**) places for the postgraduate programme in Psychology, distributed as follows:

### **Master's Programme**

- **10** places at the **Master's** programme in **School Psychology**
- **17** places at the **Master's** programme in **Social Developmental Psychology**
- **30** places at the **Interstate Interuniversity Master's Programme in School Counseling and Guidance**

For the two theoretical programmes, applications are accepted from holders of any degree while for the applied programme of School Psychology applications are accepted from holders of a Psychology degree.

All applicants for entrance in the Bi-national and Inter-university M.A. Graduate Program in School Counseling and Guidance must hold a first class degree in Psychology or in the Sciences of Education or any other equivalent degree, awarded by a recognized university, which can be used for employment in Education.

### **PhD Programme**

- **9** places at the **PhD** level in **Psychology**
- **9** places at the **PhD** level in **Clinical Psychology**

For the theoretical PhD programme in Psychology, applications are accepted from holders of any master degree while for the applied programme in Clinical Psychology applications are accepted from holders of a Bachelor's degree in Psychology and a Master's degree in Psychology from accredited universities. It is preferred that the master's degree is in an applied field of Psychology. Both programmes require the

completion of a doctoral dissertation. Therefore, only applicants who have secured a dissertation advisor from the Department of Psychology will be considered for admission. Competency in Greek (spoken and written) is required for admission into all graduate and doctoral programmes.

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel.: 22 892086 Fax: 22 895075, email: [maro@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:maro@ucy.ac.cy)

**For Interstate Interuniversity Master's Programme in School Counseling and Guidance**

Tel.: 22893420, Fax: 22895045, email: [damianou.elena@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:damianou.elena@ucy.ac.cy) or [maro@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:maro@ucy.ac.cy)

**21. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE**

One hundred twenty (**120**) places for the postgraduate programme in **Business Administration (MBA)** are distributed as follows:

- **40** places for the part time MBA programme (Greek language)
- **40** places for the part time MBA programme (English language)
- **40** places for the full time MBA programme (English language)

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 893630, 22 893652, Fax: 22 895023

[www.mba.ucy.ac.cy](http://www.mba.ucy.ac.cy)

**22. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND POLITICAL SCIENCES**

Twenty four (**24**) places for the postgraduate programme which leads to obtaining a Master's or a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

**Master's Programs:**

- **20** places at the **Master's** level in **Political Science** (10 places for specialization in **International Relations** and 10 places in **European Politics**).

**PhD Programs:**

- **2** places at the **PhD** level in **Sociology**
- **2** places at the **PhD** level in **Political Science**

The candidates for the PhD should look at the specific research interests of the teaching staff in the following link: <http://www.ucy.ac.cy/sap/en/staff/academic>

They should also prepare their application according to the specific requirements found in the following link: <http://www.ucy.ac.cy/sap/en/academicprogramms/doctoral-programme>

They should contact directly a member of the faculty with whom they have similar research interests for initial guidance regarding the PhD proposal. The thesis can be written either in Greek or in English or any other international language with the prior approval of the Research Advisor.

Selection Criteria:

- (1) Academic excellence
- (2) Originality of research proposal
- (3) Capability of member of academic staff to supervise the proposal

**For further information, please contact the Department's Secretary:**

Tel: 22 894561, Fax: 22 894559

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### **23. DEPARTMENT OF TURKISH AND MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES**

Three (3) places are available for the postgraduate programme in **Turkish Studies** which leads to obtaining a PhD degree. The places are distributed as follows:

- 3 places at the **PhD** level

**For further information candidates may consult the following links or contact the Department's Secretary:**

For Master programme:

<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/tms/en/academicprogramms/postgraduate/masterprogramme>

For PhD programme:

<http://www.ucy.ac.cy/tms/en/academicprogramms/postgraduate/doctoralprogramme>

**Department's Secretary:**

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Email : [andreou.marina@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:andreou.marina@ucy.ac.cy)

### **23. FACULTY OF ENGINEERING JOINT PROGRAMME**

Fifty (50) positions for the Interdepartmental Postgraduate Programme of the Faculty of Engineering which leads to obtaining a Master's degree in **Energy Technologies and Sustainable Design (MSc & MEng)**. The positions will be allocated as follows:

- 10 positions to the Department of Architecture
- 10 positions to the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
- 10 positions to the Department of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering
- 20 positions to the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

The programme is offered by the four Departments of the Faculty of Engineering.

**For further information, please contact:**

**Program's Secretary:**

Tel: (+357) 22895400,  
Email: [energytech@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:energytech@ucy.ac.cy),  
Programme Website: <http://www.etsd.ucy.ac.cy/home>

**Department's Secretaries:**

**Department of Architecture:**

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[www.ucy.ac.cy/arch](http://www.ucy.ac.cy/arch)

**Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering:**

Tel: 22 892200, Fax: 22 892295, e-mail: [cee@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:cee@ucy.ac.cy)  
[www.ucy.ac.cy/ece](http://www.ucy.ac.cy/ece)

**Department of Mechanical and Manufacturing Engineering:**

Tel: 22 892250 or 22 892280, Fax: 22 895081, Email: [christodoulou.loucia@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:christodoulou.loucia@ucy.ac.cy)  
[www.ucy.ac.cy/mme](http://www.ucy.ac.cy/mme)

**Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering:**

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[www.ucy.ac.cy/ece](http://www.ucy.ac.cy/ece)

## **24. INTERDEPARTMENTAL PROGRAMME IN DATA SCIENCE**

Thirty (**30**) places for the Interdepartmental MSc postgraduate programme in “**Data Science**” of the Faculties of “Pure and Applied Sciences” and “Economics and Management”, with three specialization tracks: Computer Science, Statistics, and Business Analytics.

The Programme was recently certified by the Cyprus Agency of Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education and will accept its first students in September 2021. The goal of the MSc in Data Science Programme is to provide in-depth understanding of data science and business analytics, and to help students become scientists and/or executives capable of supporting businesses, organizations, and research institutions with their data science needs.

More information about the programme, including the detailed curriculum will be available at [www.datascience.cy](http://www.datascience.cy) in March 2021.

The programme is offered by the departments of 1) Computer Science, 2) Mathematics and Statistics and 3) Business and Public Administration in **English**. The programme's duration is 1.5 years (90 ECTS).

The minimum qualifications required in order to apply, are:

- A recognized University Degree in a related field (Statistics, Computer Science, Mathematics, Engineering, Economics, Business, Physics) from an accredited Institution with a GPA of at least

6.5/10. If the degree is not yet available during the application process, the student must submit it before the start of classes in September.

- Proof of **very good knowledge of the English language** (test results and/or certificates obtained; the certificates that demonstrate proficiency in English can be found at the following Web site: <https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/admissions/admission-requirements> ). This is not necessary for applicants who received their degrees for programmes taught in English.

Additional academic criteria required in order to apply, are:

- Successful completion courses in Probability, Statistics or Econometrics and fundamental Mathematical courses (e.g., basic calculus, linear algebra, etc).
- Successful completion courses in Computer Science (e.g. programming principles in Python, R, etc).

Applications are evaluated by the Committee of the Postgraduate Program, which proposes recommendations to the Councils of the respective departments, which are responsible for the final approval of students admitted. Candidates are ranked according to the following scale: (1): not acceptable, (2): acceptable under certain conditions (conditional offer), (3): acceptable.

**For further information, please contact the Program Coordinators**

**Department of Mathematics and Statistics:** Sergios Agapiou ([agapiou.sergios@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:agapiou.sergios@ucy.ac.cy))

**Department of Business and Public Administration:** Panos Markopoulos ([markopoulos.panos@ucy.ac.cy](mailto:markopoulos.panos@ucy.ac.cy))

**Department of Computer Science:** George Pallis ([gpallis@cs.ucy.ac.cy](mailto:gpallis@cs.ucy.ac.cy))

## **25. MEDICAL SCHOOL**

Fifteen (**15**) places for the postgraduate programme **Precision Medicine in Clinical Practice**

For further information, please contact the Programme Coordinator:

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## **GENERAL INFORMATION FOR ALL POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**

### **Language of instruction**

The language of instruction for the above postgraduate programmes is Greek, except otherwise stated at <http://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/postgraduate-studies/postgraduate-programmes-of-study>.

### **Submission of applications:**

Applications can be submitted electronically using the online application system [http://ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate\\_appl\\_en](http://ucy.ac.cy/postgraduate_appl_en) by **Friday, 2nd April 2021 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. Copy of English language certificate: (a) for admission of international students, (b) for admission to an English-language postgraduate programme, (c) for admission to a postgraduate programme where knowledge of English is a prerequisite.
4. 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.

## **FEES**

### **Master's Degree:**

**€5.125** per programme with the following exceptions:

### **Self-financing programmes:**

- Master in **Business Administration (MBA)**: €10.250
- Master in **Petroleum Engineering**: €8.000
- 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.

## **ERASMUS+ MASTER DEGREE LOANS**

The European Investment Fund (EIF) is working with the University of Cyprus to launch a new pilot scheme, allowing students to use the Erasmus+ Master Degree Loans to finance their Master degree studies in an Erasmus+ Programme country. This agreement will support students resident in any of the Erasmus+ Programme Countries to move to Cyprus in order to undertake their Masters programme at the University of Cyprus.

To be eligible to apply for an Erasmus+ Masters Loan:

- You must hold a recognized first cycle (undergraduate) qualification.
- You have not obtained your previous academic qualifications from any Institution in Cyprus.
- You have applied for and been accepted for a Masters place in one of the Master degree programmes of University of Cyprus
- You have not already entered into a student loan covered by the Erasmus+ programme with an entity other than University of Cyprus.
- You must be a resident of a Programme Country other than Cyprus.

Master's students who are interested in making an application to the University of Cyprus can get further information at: <http://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/en/erasmus-loan-guarantee>

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

### **1. Scholarships for newcomers PhD and Master Students**

The University of Cyprus announces Full and Partial scholarships for new applicants in a conventional PhD programme. These scholarships are based on academic merit and are either full scholarships (i.e. tuition fees and an annual stipend of equal to €8.000) or partial scholarships (i.e. full coverage of tuition fees).

The University of Cyprus also announces Partial scholarships for new applicants in a conventional Master's degree programme. These scholarships are based on academic merit and cover 50% of tuition fees.

Those interested for a scholarship should state it at Step 11 of the application. More information at the following links:

#### **FAQ – Praxandros scholarships**

[https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Anakoinwseis/ANAKOINOSIS\\_SMS/ask\\_Praxandros\\_fa\\_q\\_2021\\_english.pdf](https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Anakoinwseis/ANAKOINOSIS_SMS/ask_Praxandros_fa_q_2021_english.pdf)



## **FAQ - Evagoras scholarships**

[https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/ypotrofies\\_Evagoras\\_newcomers\\_revised\\_5.2.20\\_FAQ\\_english.pdf](https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/ypotrofies_Evagoras_newcomers_revised_5.2.20_FAQ_english.pdf)

### **2. Scholarships for Overseas Cypriots for studying in a UCY Master's Program**

The University of Cyprus offers **24** Scholarships for overseas Cypriots for studying in a UCY Master's program. Candidates should be Overseas Cypriots and have their permanent residency in a foreign country for a continuous period of at least ten (10) years before they submit their application for a scholarship.

Further information to the following link:

[https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/Ypotrofies\\_Apodimon\\_2020.pdf](https://www.ucy.ac.cy/graduateschool/documents/Ypotrofies/Ypotrofies_Apodimon_2020.pdf)

### **3. 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 2021. Each scholarship will cover the second 50% of the tuition fees (considering that applicants have already paid the first 50%).

### **4. 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 scholarship 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 2021. The scholarship will cover the full amount of tuition fees applied to the selected programme of studies plus accommodation.

### **5. Scholarships for students from Saudi Arabia**

The University of Cyprus announces five (5) scholarships for international applicants from Saudi Arabia who are interested in applying in a conventional postgraduate programme (Master and Doctorate level). The scholarships cover 50% of the tuition of the conventional postgraduate programme and they do not apply to self-funded programs: School Counselling and Guidance, Petroleum Engineering, Gender Studies, MBA, TIME MBE, Human Resource Management, Intelligent Critical Infrastructure Systems, etc.

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**2 March 2021**