



Study Abroad in **PÉCS**, Hungary



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Pécs

- Its history goes back over 2,000 years to the **Roman times**
- Population of about **150,000**
- Culturally diverse and stimulating city
- **UNESCO World Heritage site**
- European Capital of Culture 2010
- Very **affordable, safe and welcoming** city
- **UniverCity** – countless cafés, restaurants, nightclubs, bars that will keep you entertained





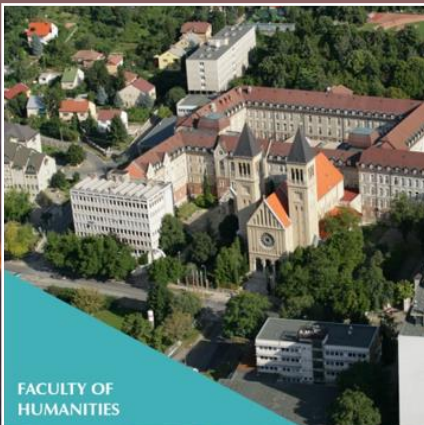


University of Pécs

- The oldest university in Hungary – founded in 1367
- One of the largest and leading research universities in Hungary
- 22,000 students
- 2,000 lecturers
- 10 Faculties/Schools
- 22 doctoral schools
- 24 university hospitals



University of Pécs



FACULTY OF
HUMANITIES



FACULTY OF
HEALTH SCIENCES



MEDICAL SCHOOL
FACULTY OF PHARMACY



FACULTY OF CULTURAL
SCIENCES, EDUCATION
AND REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT



FACULTY OF
NATURAL SCIENCES



FACULTY OF
ENGINEERING AND
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY



FACULTY OF
BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS



FACULTY OF LAW



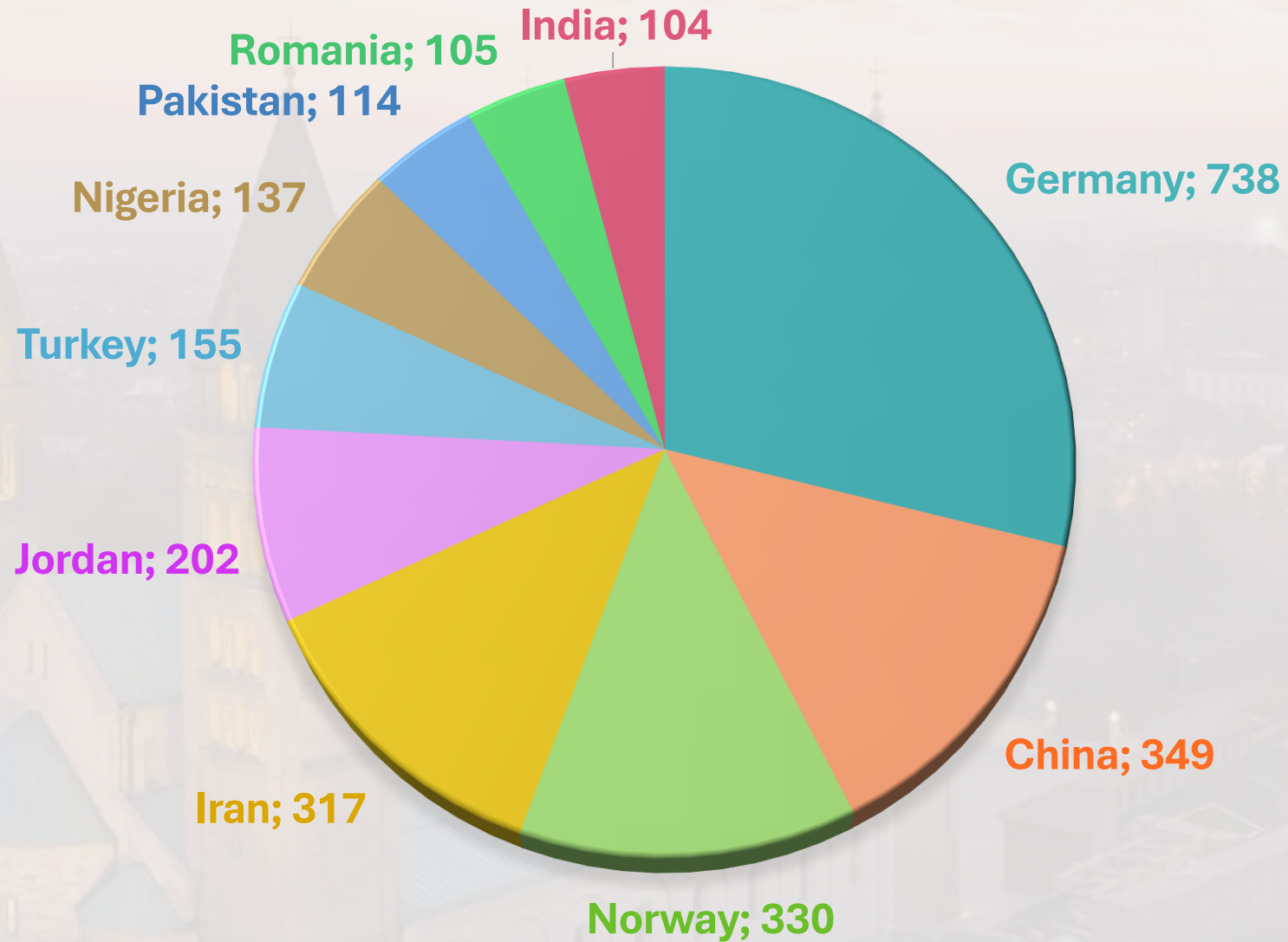
FACULTY OF MUSIC
AND VISUAL ARTS

One of the most internationalized universities

- Started international education in 1984
- Growing number of international students and international programs
 - 5,500 international students, 136 countries
 - 80 full degree programs in English
- Pécs has received
 - Erasmus Quality Award
 - Internationalization of Hungarian Higher Education Award
 - EAIE award for Excellence in Internationalization
- You can easily get along with English



NUMBER OF STUDENTS





What can you study here?

Semester/Academic year-long programs

Social Sciences

Psychology
International Relations
Social Work
English and American
Studies
Communications and
Media
HR Counselling
Education

Music and Visual Arts

Classical Music
Performance
Ceramic Design
Sculpture
Painting

Natural Sciences

Chemistry, Physics, Earth
Sciences, Geography
Computer Science
Physical Training

Architecture

Architecture

Business & Economics

Business Administration
Management and Leadership
Business Development

Law

Legal Issues in an
International Context

Pharmacy

Pharm.D

Health Sciences

Nursing
Dietetics
Physiotherapy

Courses

- ✓ **8 study areas, 22 programs, 500+ courses** to choose from
- ✓ students can create their study plans, combine classes
- ✓ course list – available on our website
- ✓ **all in English**
- ✓ provide syllabi for the chosen courses

Credits

- ✓ courses represent between **4-9 ECTS** credits
- ✓ **Transcript of Records** at the end of the semester
- ✓ happy to help in the credit transfer process





How much is the program fee?

Tuition



1. Fixed tuition-fee scheme:

- enroll in **3-5 courses** per semester
- courses may be mixed from the same fee areas

Study area	Non-partner universities, USD	Students of partner universities, USD
<i>Law</i>	2900	2600
<i>Humanities and Social Sciences</i>		
<i>Health Sciences</i>		
<i>Business and Economics</i>		
<i>Natural Sciences</i>		
<i>Music and Visual Arts</i>	3300	3000

Tuition

2. Credit-based

- Minimum credit number : **20 ECTS credits**

Study area	Tuition for non-partner universities	Tuition for partner universities
Architecture	140 USD/credit	126 USD/credit
Pharmacy		

„Pécs stood out to me because of its affordability.”
- Bethllenix Zubieta, Florida Gulf Coast University, 2024



Important dates

FALL SEMESTER



Arrival

end of
August



Course
registration

beginning
of
September



Study period

first week of
September - middle of
December



Exam
period

middle of December -
end of January

Important dates

SPRING SEMESTER



Arrival

end of
January



Course
registration

beginning
of February



Study period

first week of February -
middle of May



Exam
period

middle of May - end of
June

Easy to apply



- No interview
- No motivational letter
- No minimum GPA requirement
- Only:
 - ✓ **Scanned copy of ID / passport**
 - ✓ **Verification of enrollment**
 - ✓ **Certificate of English proficiency – B2**
- Application Deadline:
 - Fall semester intake – **May 15**
 - Spring semester intake – **November 20**

[APPLICATION LINK](#)



Application process



- Choose courses
- Consult with your Study Abroad Advisor
- Email us the course list

- Pécs approves your course list
- Fill the online application
- Receive a conditional Letter of Acceptance

- Transfer the tuition fee
- **Receive the final Letter of Acceptance**
- Buy a plane ticket
- Take out your health insurance
- Fill the dormitory application
- Book an airport shuttle



PACK YOUR SUITCASE AND HAVE A PLEASANT JOURNEY TO PÉCS!





Where shall I live?



Accommodations

- **guaranteed dorm room** (fully equipped and refurbished double rooms)
- **affordable private flats** in city are available
- colleagues at the university **help you** with flats

\$250



Student Services – PRE-ARRIVAL SERVICES



Assistance in academic matters

- Course selection
- Credit info
- Syllabus
- Application process

Housing assistance

- Dormitory
- Renting a flat

Help in travel arrangements

- Airport shuttle



Student Services – ON-CAMPUS SERVICES

**International
Student
Network**

**Academic Support
- Faculties / SA
Office**

**Psychology
Counselling
Service**

Legal Aid Clinic



**Dormitory
Student
Service**

**Buddy
System**

**Service for
Students with
Special Needs**

**Orientation Days
University/Faculty
level**



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Student Life

**Dancing
University**

Parties

University Theatre

**International
Evening**

**Pécs University
Days**

**International
Student
Network's regular
activities**

Cultural events

Music university



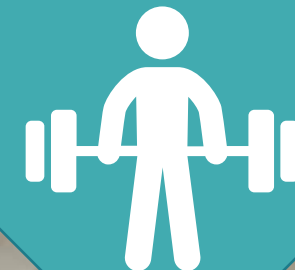
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Student Life- International evening



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Available sport activities



Aerobics

Table tennis

Handball

Basketball



Soccer

Volleyball

Archery

Fencing



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Volunteering opportunities

- **Teacher's Assistant in English as a Foreign Language**

at the University's **High School** (students from the US and Canada with any majors can join it)

- Working with various **local NGOs**

A certificate is awarded for the student's participation in our volunteering programs.



Internship

- **1-2 interns** every semester
- manage **social media** accounts & assist in the promotion of the program
- share their first-hand experience with new students
- **4 ECTS credits & certificate**
- great opportunity to unfold your talent in communication and marketing



„Hi everyone!

My name is Nicole, and I am an international student from the United States us. Along with Beth, I will be managing this account and other platforms! I am so excited to say that I am studying abroad at the University of Pecs for the Spring 2024 semester. (...)

Can't wait to see where life takes us this semester!

Nicole 🦋”



High quality education and happy students



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✓ **No weekly assignments**
(end of term exams instead)

✓ **Exam retake options**



Lots of travel opportunities



A University of Pécs Study Abroad student visits **7 other countries** on average during their semester.



„I also loved the fact that you can easily travel throughout Europe when studying in Pécs, since cities like Vienna, Budapest and Prague are just short train rides away!„

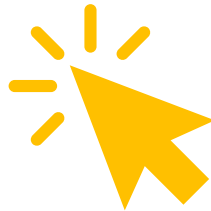
Sophie Shoultz, Iowa State University, 2022 Fall



Website & Social platforms

- AREAS OF STUDY
- ACCOMMODATION & HOUSING
- EXPLORE STUDY ABROAD EXPERIENCES!
- ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
- FEES AND EXPENSES
- VOLUNTEERING
- HOW TO APPLY
- CREDIT TRANSFER
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Why the University of **PÉCS**?



Why the University of Pécs?



Founded in 1367

- very prestigious
- oldest

Large international student community

- 5,500 students
- 136 countries

Very affordable

- program fee
- cost of living

Education

- wide variety of programs
- high quality

Pécs

- exciting UniverCity
- cultural centre
- safe

Location

You can easily travel around Europe from here

Lots of student services



Testimonials from our students



„What initially drew me to the University of Pécs was the affordability—it offered the best value in terms of living costs, housing, and tuition. I also prioritized studying in a location rich in culture and history, and Pécs, home to one of the oldest universities in the world, fulfilled those expectations perfectly.”

Katelyn Obert, Montana State University, USA, 2024 Fall

„Studying abroad at the University of Pecs was a once-in a-lifetime opportunity that I am so glad I was able to partake in! From taking classes on the beautiful campus to immersing myself in the unique culture of Hungary, my experience abroad was life-changing. The knowledge I have gained and the friendships I have forged will stick with me for the rest of my life.”

Nikolai Puc, Metropolitan State University of Denver, 2020 Spring



Testimonials from our students



„Studying abroad in Pécs has been a wonderful experience. The university has a beautiful campus, and you get to see the wonderful aesthetics of Europe everywhere. I met some really cool people from around the globe and also made some unforgettable memories.

P.S, if you are here, please visit the botanical garden in the Faculty of Humanities,,

Sneha Sardar, Jadavpur University, India, 2022 Fall

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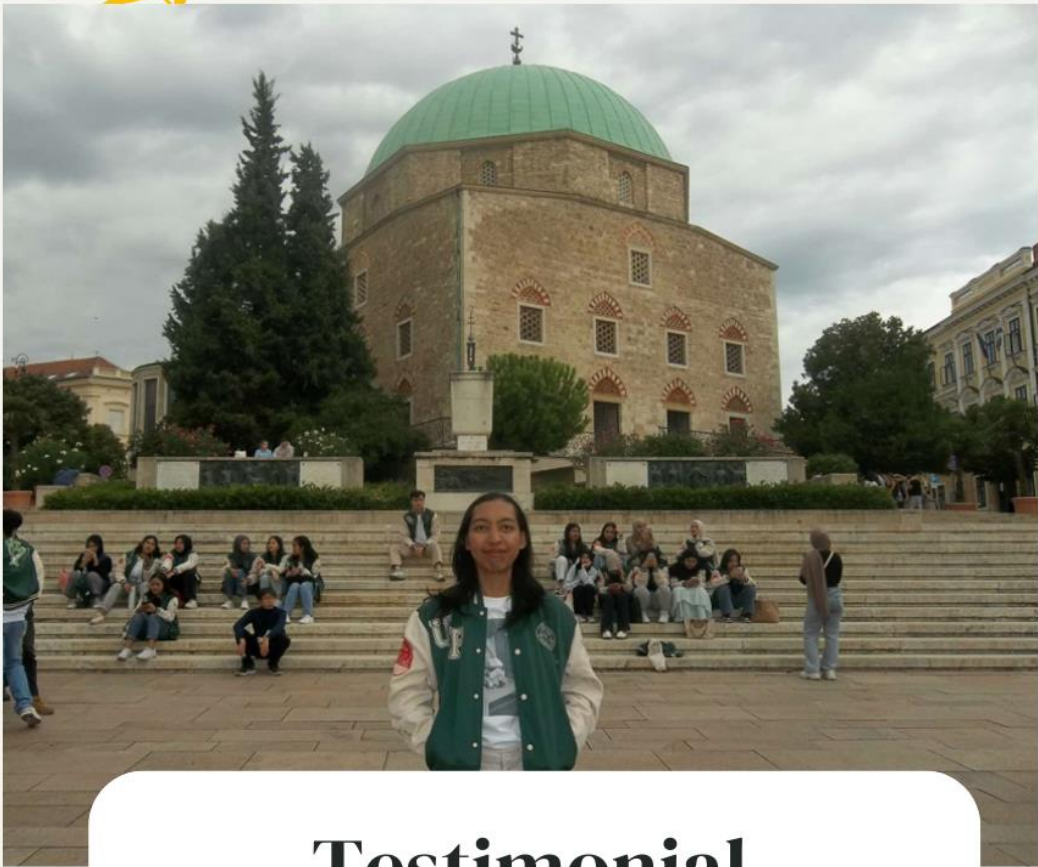
„When deciding where I wanted to study abroad I was drawn to Pécs because of the classes offered and the unique international student community at the university. Pécs is also in a great location to make travel to other neighboring countries easy and affordable!”

Anna Beniek, University of Denver, 2022 Fall

„I was able to expand my horizons and learn about the foreign affairs of an Eastern European country, as well as impulsing my global networking abilities by creating strong bonds with citizens from several countries. I was able to live alone for a whole semester, learning daily life techniques and the challenges that a foreigner has to face in a remote country.”

Rodrigo Antonio Juárez Nieto, Tecnológico de Monterrey, 2024 Fall





Testimonial

‘Ever since I arrived in this city, I was truly mesmerized by the beauty of it. From the city center to the university, every corner is just so pretty. And I know from looking at the old buildings, it is full of history that is truly interesting. I truly love this peaceful place and every inch of it.’

Putu Dhea Prashanti



Testimonial

‘What I like most about Pécs is the friendliness of the people, the safe environment to express yourself, the affordable cost of living, easy access to transportation, and the quiet city. This city is perfect for students who want to get an education and also the low cost of living makes it a great destination to study and live.’

Umar Falahudin Arie Rahmat



See you in **PÉCS** next semester!



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