UNIVERSITY OF ŽILINA
Institute of Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage

BACHELOR´S DEGREE STUDY

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ACCREDITED STUDY PROGRAMMES OFFERED FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2027/2028

BACHELOR´S DEGREE STUDY PROGRAMMES	
FULL-TIME STUDY	**PART-TIME STUDY ***
LENGTH OF STUDY 3 YEARS	LENGTH OF STUDY 3 YEARS
Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage	Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage

** tuition fee for part-time study programmes is €750 for an academic year*

Detailed information about the study programmes:

- curriculum,
- course information sheets

EXPECTED NUMBER OF ACCEPTED APPLICANTS TO THE FIRST YEAR

BACHELOR´S DEGREE STUDY		
STUDY PROGRAMME / FIELD OF STUDY	**PLANNED CAPACITY**	
	FULL-TIME	**PART-TIME**
Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage / Media and Communication Studies	120	7
TOTAL	120	7

In the event of a low number of applicants for full-time and part-time study, the institute retains the right to not open the study programme.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION

Basic condition of admission

The basic condition for admission to the bachelor‘s degree study (the first-degree study programme) is the full completion of secondary education or full secondary vocational education in accordance with Act No. 300/2025 Coll. on Higher Education Institutions and on Amendments to Certain Acts (the Higher Education Act), as amended (hereinafter referred to as the “Higher Education Act”). In the case of a foreign applicant or a student who completed secondary education abroad, the education is comparable to that completed by a school leaving examination in the Slovak Republic. An applicant who completed secondary education abroad shall submit, along with the application form or, more precisely, no later than on the date of enrolment, a decision on the recognition (nostrification) of the certificate of completion of secondary education recognised by a relevant institution in the Slovak Republic.

Other conditions of admission

Applicants from **grammar schools** (gymnasiums) are admitted without an entrance examination if they have achieved an arithmetic mean grade of **2.50** or better on their end-of-year report for the penultimate year of study (excluding the final year leading to the school-leaving examination).
Applicants from secondary vocational schools and academies are admitted without an entrance examination if they have achieved an arithmetic mean grade of **2.00** or better on their end-of-year report for the penultimate year of study (excluding the final year leading to the school-leaving examination).
Secondary school graduates are admitted without an entrance examination if, during their secondary school studies, they achieved one of the top three places in an academic olympiad or the Student Professional Activities competition (SOČ) relevant to the study programme and can provide a certificate confirming their achievement.
Meeting any one of the above conditions is sufficient for admission without an entrance examination. If the applicant does not comply with any of the above-mentioned conditions, they must take the entrance exam.
Applicants will not be admitted to the study if, within the previous five years, they have been expelled from study as a result of disciplinary proceedings, or have been repeatedly expelled from a study programme in the same field of study and at the same level for failing to meet the requirements as set out in the study programme and the university’s study regulations (Section 69 par. 2 of the Higher Education Act).

Entrance Examination
The entrance examination will take the form of a written test covering secondary school-level material in the following subjects: Social Studies/Civics, Slovak Language and Literature, and Informatics. All applicants will be provided with the same conditions and the same time limit to complete the written test. Applicants will answer the questions by marking their selected answers on the test answer sheets for each subject area. The entrance examination is administered by UMKD. The fulfilment of the admission requirements is assessed by an admissions committee appointed by the Rector.

Language requirements

For studies at UMKD, applicants are required to have a written and verbal proficiency of either Slovak or Czech language (equivalent to at least level B1), which foreign applicants shall demonstrate by submitting a certified document. If the applicant does not posses such a document, their language level shall be verified by means of a language test held on the dates specified and published on the website of the Institute of Lifelong Learning at UNIZA. Applicants lacking the expected language proficiency are required to successfully complete a language preparatory course, which may be taken at ÚCV UNIZA.

ADMISSION OF FOREIGN STUDENTS

Admission requirements are the same for both foreign applicants and applicants from Slovakia.

Students studying in language other than the official language of the Slovak Republic shall pay tuition fees in accordance to conditions set out in the Higher Education Act. Foreign students studying in Slovak do not pay tuition fees. Applicants from the Czech Republic may use a study application form valid in the Czech Republic. In the case of foreign applicants admitted on the basis of international agreements, bilateral agreements, or for scholarship holders of the Government of the Slovak Republic, conditions set out in the relevant documents shall apply.

APPLICATION FORM

Application forms are to be submitted for individual study programmes.

In case the applicant is interested in more study programmes, it is necessary to apply for each one individually, including payment of the respective admission procedure fees.

Applicants fill in the application form - Prihláška na vysokoškolské štúdium - 1. Stupeň or they can also use an electronic application form. The electronic application can be filled in via the UNIZA website: https://vzdelavanie.uniza.sk/prijimacky/index.php or on the Portal VS (University Portal): https:// prihlaskavs.sk/sk//. In the case of an electronic application, it is necessary to follow the instructions given in the E-application form System.

In case of the incomplete application form, applicants will be requested to complete it.

In case of non-participation in the admission procedure or a failure in the admission procedure, the institute does not refund the admission procedure fee. If the applicant wants to participate in the admission procedure at several faculties or UNIZA faculty programmes, the application forms must be submitted separately to each faculty and programme with the payment of the relevant fee.

Attachments to the bachelor's degree application form:

- a scanned copy of the application form, signed by the applicant (in the case of electronic form)/printed and signed application (in the case of paper application form),
- curriculum vitae
- proof of payment for the admission procedure (in a PDF format)
- a copy of the end-of-the-year report card from the penultimate year of secondary school,
- the school-leaving certificate (maturita exam report card) if the applicant passed their maturita exam in other that the current school year,
- other attachments needed to prove compliance with the admission requirements for admission without an entrance examination

After passing the maturita exam, applicants shall either send (to the UMKD address) or upload a certified copy of their maturita and their final year's end-of-the-year report cards by a deadline that shall be specified in a written notification sent to each student.

Admission fee:

Send **€ 20** to:	Žilinská univerzita v Žiline, Univerzitná 1, 010 26 Žilina	
	Bank:	Štátna pokladnica
	IBAN:	SK52 8180 0000 0070 0026 9925
	const. symbol:	0308
	variable symbol:	10831 – bakalárske štúdium
Payment method:	Payment can be made by bank transfer or postal order to the above account.	
Proof of payment:	Proof of payment is to be attached to the electronic application form, or sent to the UNIZA address with the paper application form.	

Tuition fees are set in compliance to the Higher Education Act and UNIZA internal regulation. Information on the amount of tuition and other fees for the current academic year shall be published by UNIZA within the deadlines specified on its websites.

With payment of the admission fee from the EU member states, the EES countries, territories that are considered a part of the EU (Treaty of Rome, Section 299) and SEPA countries, it is necessary to use **BIC: SPSRSKBAXXX**, **IBAN: SK52 8180 0000 0070 0026 9925**.

USEFUL DATES

Open Day	Deadline for submitting the application form	Entrance examination
4 February 2027 [1]	1st round until 31 March 2027 2nd round until 31 July 2027	1st round 14 June 2027 2nd round 19 August 2027

ACCOMMODATION

The accommodation facilities of the University of Žilina provide accommodation according to the accommodation capacity, taking into account the distance between the student´s permanent residence and the seat of the University. Accomodations are only offered to students over 18 years old. **Monthly accommodation fee: €66 – € 134**. [2]

CATERING

Students can use the services of the catering facility of the University of Žilina. **Price for food: € 1.10 – € 4.70**. [2]

SCHOLARSHIPS

Students of all study programmes can obtain motivational scholarships (for excellent results or exceptional achievements) in accordance with the stated criteria. In case of an unfavourable social situation, the student can apply for a social scholarship during the study. Students can find all the information about the scholarships on the website: https://www.uniza.sk/index.php/uchadzaci/vseobecne-informacie/stipendia.

[1] Applicants may also request individual consultations regarding their studies and study programmes.
[2] Accommodation and meal fees are subject to change depending on price developments.

FOLLOW-UP STUDY AFTER COMPLETION OF BACHELOR'S DEGREE STUDY

There is a possibility for continuing bachelor's degree study within follow-up master's degree study programmes at the IMCH in the academic year 2027/2028 in the study programme Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage (information about study programmes can be found on the university/institute website). After completing the bachelor's degree study, it is necessary to verify the current offer of the study programmes in a particular academic year.

GRADUATE PROSPECTS

BACHELOR´S DEGREE STUDY PROGRAMMES

MEDIAMATICS AND CULTURAL HERITAGE

(Field of study 7205 Media and Communication Studies)

Graduates of the bachelor's degree study programme Mediamatics and Cultural Heritage is prepared for careers in the media, cultural sector, and creative industries. They can find employment in media, marketing, cultural, and memory institutions.