

Conditions for admission to study in doctoral degree programmes for the academic year 2017/2018

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The Dean of the Faculty of Arts, University of Ostrava – under Section 49, Subsection 5, Act no. 111/1998 Sb. on Higher Education, including amendments and additions to other Acts (the Higher Education Act), as subsequently amended – hereby announces the regulations governing admission to study in doctoral degree programmes for the academic year 2017/2018:

1. List of available degree programmes and degree subjects:

code	Degree programme	KKOV classification	Degree subject	Standard length of studies
P6101	Filozofie (Philosophy)	6101V004	Filozofie (Philosophy)	3 years
P7105	Historické vědy (Historical Sciences)	7105V010	České a československé dějiny (Czech and Czechoslovak History)	4 years
P7105	Historické vědy (Historical Sciences)	7105V068	Didaktika dějepisu (History Didactics)	4 years
P7105	Historické vědy (Historical Sciences)	7105V035	Kulturní dějiny (Cultural History)	3 years
P7105	Historické vědy (Historical Sciences)	7105V030	Hospodářské a sociální dějiny (Economic and Social History)	4 years
P7310	Filologie (Philology)	7310V126	Polský jazyk (Polish Language)	3 years
P7310	Filologie (Philology)	7310V105	Německý jazyk (German Language)	3 years
P7310	Filologie (Philology)	7310V008	Anglický jazyk (English Language)	3 years
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P7310	Filologie	7310V003	Anglická a americká literatura (English and American Literature)	4 years
P7310	Filologie (Philology)	7310V032	Český jazyk (Czech Language)	4 years
P7310	Filologie (Philology)	7310V355	Jazykovědná a literárněvědná srovnávací slavistika (Linguistic and Literary-Theoretical Comparative Slavonic Studies)	4 years
P8106	Teorie a dějiny literatury	8106V004	Teorie a dějiny české literatury (Theory and History of Czech	3 years

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P8106	Teorie a dějiny literatury (Theory and History of Literature)	8106V009	Literární věda – teorie a dějiny národních literatur (Literary Theory – Theory and History of National Literatures)	3 years

2. All the degree subjects listed above can be studied either in the form of full-time studies (“prezenční”) or in the form of part-distance studies (“kombinované”). Applicants must select the required form of study before submitting the application; the form of study cannot subsequently be changed, either during the admissions procedure or during the course of the studies.
3. The deadline for submission of applications is **31 August 2017**.
4. Applications may only be submitted in electronic form (e-applications).
5. No fee is charged for the administration of the admissions procedure for doctoral degree programmes.
6. To submit an e-application, follow the following procedure:
 - a) go to the link “E-přihláška ke studiu na OU” on the homepage of the University of Ostrava <http://www.osu.cz/>;
 - b) applicants enter their personal details and choose a degree subject, including the form of study (full-time studies = “prezenční”; part-distance studies = “kombinované”);
 - c) after submitting the e-application, applicants print out the short version of the application and send it, along with the documentation listed below, to the following address to arrive no later than 31 August 2017:
Studijní oddělení
Filozofická fakulta
Ostravská univerzita
Reální 5
701 03 Ostrava
Czech Republic
Applicants must also send the documentation listed below in electronic form to the e-mail address pavla.kocianova@osu.cz;
 - d) required documentation:
 - a curriculum vitae, including a statement of the applicant’s language skills according to the CEFR,
 - a certified copy of a certificate showing that the applicant has completed a Master’s-level university degree,
 - a description of the applicant’s plans for his/her doctoral thesis,
 - an overview of the applicant’s academic activities (publications, participation in conferences, study visits abroad),
 - if possible, a recommendation from a university teacher or researcher,
 - if possible, certificates or other documentation proving the applicant’s foreign language skills.

7. Entrance examinations in the individual degree subjects take the form of an interview. The interview may involve verification of the applicant's foreign language skills.
8. Entrance examinations are based on a points total. The maximum score attainable by an applicant is 100 points.
9. Entrance examinations are scheduled for **11–15 September 2017**. All applicants will receive an invitation to the entrance examination stating the precise date of the examination. The invitation will be sent to the applicant's e-mail address given in the application.
10. Preconditions for acceptance are:
 - a) the completion of studies in a Master's degree programme, and
 - b) the successful completion of the entrance examination.
11. Completion of studies in a Master's degree programme is demonstrated by a certified copy of the applicant's certificate of university education (diploma). The applicant must present this document no later than on the date of the entrance examination.
12. If the applicant completed a Master's degree programme in a foreign country (i.e. outside the Czech Republic), the applicant must present a certificate of recognition of the foreign university education in the Czech Republic; this document must be presented no later than on the date of the entrance examination.
13. The provisions set out in 12. do not apply if the Czech Republic is a signatory to an intergovernmental agreement on the mutual recognition of certificates of education. In such cases the applicant must present a certified copy of the foreign certificate of university education (diploma).
14. The maximum number of applicants admitted to study in each degree subject will be 5–7.
15. Successful applicants will enrol for their studies on 1 October 2017.

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