

ABOUT THE FACULTY

The Faculty of Social Studies (FSS) is one of ten faculties at Masaryk University. The faculty was founded in 1997, however it has roots to 1921 when the Department of Sociology was funded by I. A. Bláha a student of Emile Durkheim.

Today, the faculty is made up of 7 departments:

- Environmental Studies
- International Relations and European Politics
- Media Studies and Journalism
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Social Policy and Social Work
- Sociology

The Faculty is made up of over 3,000 students, over 10% of which study in one of the 16 English taught degree programmes, in which over 70 countries are represented.



RESEARCH

FSS prides itself in the quality and strength of the research produced by its professors, lecturers, researchers and students.

The Faculty is engaged in a number of local, national, and international research projects.

All PhD students are required to participate in research projects.

MASARYK UNIVERSITY

Masaryk University is the second largest university in the Czech Republic, resulting in students experiencing a wide range of opportunities during their studies and are well prepared upon graduation.

Students are able to engage in research, internships, mobility abroad, and volunteering opportunities as an MU student.



ABOUT BRNO

Brno is the second largest city in the Czech Republic. Located halfway between Prague and Vienna, Brno has historically been a blend of cultures, and today it is even more true.

Every 5th person is a student, and 17% of the city is made up of international inhabitants creating a vibrant environment for staff and students alike.

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FULL DEGREE STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

The Faculty of Social Studies offers 3 bachelor's programmes, 8 master's programmes, and 7 Doctoral programmes in English. Full degree studies in the Czech Language are also possible for anyone with a B2 level of Czech or higher. Programmes in taught in English have a programme fee.

Bachelor's programmes in English:

- Global Challenges: Society, Politics, Environment
- International Relations and European Politics
- Politics, Media, and Communication

Master's programmes in English:

- Conflict and Democracy Studies
- Cultural Sociology
- Energy Policy Studies
- European Governance
- International Relations and European Politics
- Joint Master Programme in International Relations: Europe from the Visegrad Perspective
- Public and Social Policy and Human Resources

Doctoral programmes in English:

- Clinical Psychology
- Psychology
- International Relations and European Politics
- Media and Journalism Studies
- Political Science
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Programme length:

- Bachelors; programmes: 3 years
- Masters' programmes: 2 years
- PhD programmes: 4 years

Tuition, Fees, and Scholarships:

- BA & MA tuition: €1,500/semester
- PhD tuition: €750/semester
- Merit scholarships for top students after 1st semester
- 1 time accommodation grant per semester
- Funding for semester abroad through Erasmus+ programme and other mobility programmes

Application deadlines:

- Autumn enrolment:
 - BA: 1 June
 - MA & PhD: 30 April
- Spring enrolment
 - BA & MA: 15 November
 - PhD: 30 November

Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis. Students who require a student visa are encouraged to apply early.

Students interested should write to admission@fss.muni.cz or follow QR code for further information.

