



Summer Schools 2019



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Dear friends and colleagues,

as in every academic year, this year Charles University has again prepared an overview of summer schools and other courses offering a wide range of interesting topics from diverse disciplines.

If you are interested in the Czech language, I can recommend, for example, traditional, already the 63rd session of Summer School of Slavonic Studies, which focuses not only on the Czech language, but also on the Czech cultural environment in a wider context, and on Czech history and literature in particular. The course also includes cultural and social events. The Czech Studies Programme, or East and Central European Summer Program, have similar focuses as well as the schools organized by the Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies, our specialized centre for Czech language courses.

Ethnomusicologists may be interested in the topic of Music in Socialism, which deals with cultural, political and economic conditions in European socialist and post-socialist states, or the Romani music course, which is organized in the framework of the Khamoro Romani Festival.

The Summer School of Experimental Surgery is intended for those who want to practice medicine, particularly in the field of surgery. Courses of this type are rather rare so do not hesitate to see more details.

Trends in the development of contemporary European politics in the light of Brexit, the radicalisation of Islam, and other current events are dealt with by the Geopolitical Summer School or e.g. Spring or Summer University Prague 2019.

If you are keen on experiencing the life of a cross-platform foreign correspondent, try the Prague summer school of journalism 2019.

The programmes I have presented here are only a small fraction of the rich range of courses that you can find in this brochure. I believe that reading this brochure will inspire you to make your choice according to your own interests and preferences.

I wish you a nice stay in Prague!



prof. MUDr. Tomáš Zima, DrSc., MBA
Rector of Charles University



Czech-Chinese Centre

EUROPEAN LAB

Organising faculty/department:

Czech-Chinese Centre, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

Charles University European Lab is an intensive two-week interdisciplinary summer school on contemporary Europe for Chinese students and young professionals. The summer school will provide participants with a dynamic and interactive programme and the students will learn to understand the issues like Brexit, Euro Crisis and many others from rich selection of diverse topics such as European history and culture, European Union, societal and political landscape of European countries, state and future of European economies, European-Chinese relations, and law.

To complement lectures with practical experience, the Summer School will include rich program encompassing both social and cultural events as well as visits of government institutions and private companies. All students will be awarded a certificate acknowledging their participation in the summer school.

Date: 13 – 27 July, 2019

Application deadline: 30 April, 2019

Tuition Fee: 2,770 EUR (tuition, excursions, cultural activities, accommodation and meals)

Contact: info@europeanlab.cz

Web: <http://www.europeanlab.cz>





Faculty of Arts

SUMMER SCHOOL OF SLAVONIC STUDIES

Organising faculty/department:

Institute of Czech Studies, Faculty of Arts, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The Summer School of Slavonic Studies provides a snapshot of the current situation in Czech and Slavic studies with particular focus on the Czech language and Czech history, literary theory and literary history. Its practical language courses, optional seminars, workshops and lectures are led by teaching staff of Charles University and researchers from the Czech Academy of Sciences. The students attend a practical course in the Czech language with five classes (5 x 45 min.) every day.

An integral part of The Summer School of Slavonic Studies is also its cultural and social programme organised for students at all language levels. The cultural programme is offered on afternoons and evenings and on weekends, participation is voluntary.

Date: 26 July – 23 August 2019

Application deadline: 15 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 19,500 CZK (tuition, excursions and cultural activities)

37,500 CZK (tuition, excursions, cultural activities, accommodation and meals)

Contact: lsss.praha@ff.cuni.cz

Web: <http://lsss.ff.cuni.cz/en>

EAST AND CENTRAL EUROPEAN STUDIES (ECES) SUMMER PROGRAM

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Arts, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The ECES program is a liberal arts program offering courses from different fields such as Art and Culture, Literature, History, Politics and Economics, Sociology and Psychology, and Czech Language for beginners. The Summer program gives students who cannot study in Prague for an entire semester the opportunity to join us for a short-term, credit-bearing academic experience. The Summer program is a condensed version of the ECES Semester program, and includes many of the same elements, including introductory Czech classes, field trips and emergency assistance. The courses are taught in two sessions from June to August and students can attend both or either of them. The ECES Program also offers students the opportunity to join us for a 3.5 week program in January called J-Term.

Dates:

Session A: 17 June – 3 August; 7 weeks

Session B: 17 June – 13 July; 4 weeks

Session C: 8 July – 3 August; 4 weeks

Application deadline:

15 April 2019

Tuition Fee:

Session A (7 weeks): 3,245 USD

Session B and C (4 weeks): 1,800 USD

(+ accommodation fee)

Contact: eces@ff.cuni.cz

Web: <http://eces.ff.cuni.cz>





Faculty of Arts

CZECH STUDIES PROGRAMME

Organising faculty/department:

International Office + Institute of Czech Studies, Faculty of Arts, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The Czech Studies Programme is a rich and sophisticated programme intended for non-Czech speakers who are interested in the Czech language and Czech literature, history and culture. Each semester consists of around 240 45-minute lessons (20 lessons per week). However, the programme consists of much more than just classroom learning. We also provide cultural activities, excursions, Czech Language Certificate Exams with ALTE licence and preparation for them. These exams are included in the tuition fee.

Dates:

Academic year: 1 September 2019 – 30 June 2020

Winter semester: 1 September 2019 – 31 January 2020

Summer semester: 1 February 2020 – 30 June 2020

Application deadline:

Academic year + winter semester: 15 August 2019

Summer semester: 15 January 2020

Tuition Fee:

Registration fee – 4,000 CZK (paid with the application form)

1st semester – 35,000 CZK, 2nd semester – 30,000 CZK

Academic year – 65,000 CZK

Contact: czechstudies@ff.cuni.cz

Web: <http://czechstudies.ff.cuni.cz>



SUMMER SCHOOL OF LINGUISTICS

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Arts, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The aim of the Summer School of Linguistics is to give an opportunity to students and young researchers who are interested in language and its use to get acquainted with the range of current achievements in linguistic research. The lectures usually cover various research fields such as first and second language acquisition, psycholinguistics, typology and language contact, corpus linguistics, neurolinguistics, phonetics, etc. The 13th Summer School of Linguistics will take place in Kroměříž, Czech Republic.

Date:

9 – 18 August 2019

Application deadline:

April 2019 (see website for the exact date)

Tuition Fee:

No fee

Contact:

summerlinguistics@ff.cuni.cz

Web:

<http://www.lingvistika.cz>



ROMANI MUSIC: MUSIC – MEMORY – MINORITIES

Ethnomusicology summer school

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Humanities, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

One-week course organized in the framework of the Khamoro Romani Festival, intended for university students.

The morning lectures will focus on the relationship of music to memory, specifically in the case of minority communities. Collective memory is –through (collective) acts of remembering– one of the basic axes which bind and strengthen communities. Nevertheless, much more than by the past, remembering is formed by the present: by the needs of those who remember, and also by the available “materials of remembering.” This is even true of institutions of memory (archives, museums...): they are shaped by the needs of their times. What are the factors which form remembering in Romani communities?



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The students become acquainted with the main areas in which Roma participated in the creation of distinctive music styles and through several case examples with the specificity of Romani music remembrance – its characteristics, stakeholders, and the influence of the majority culture.



Study materials are available on-line for students. On Wednesday and Thursday afternoons, students will take part in the Music – memory – minorities international colloquium. In the evenings, students will attend festival concerts.

Date: 26 May – 1 June 2019

Application deadline: 3 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 100 EUR. Lower-income applicants can also apply for a reduced fee (see application forms).

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Web: <http://fhs.cuni.cz/FHSENG-674.html>



MUSIC IN SOCIALISM AND POSTSOCIALISM

Ethnomusicology Summer School

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Humanities, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The summer school Music in socialism and postsocialism will provide students with a general understanding of social, cultural, political, and economic conditions of the European socialist and postsocialist states and societies, and the role of music in this regard. The class topics will be related to a variety of music cultures (art music, village music, folklore, rock, pop, and folk-pop) discussed in the context of culture and politics of socialism and/or postsocialism. Each class will be based on one or two case studies of particular music cultures from particular states. The main framework of analysis will be the topics of resistance, memory/nostalgia, and nationalism. Furthermore, students will have an opportunity to attend lectures by one international scholar (dr. Mojca Piškor, from Zagreb, Croatia), and several Czech academics. In addition, we will organize a discussion with Mira Wanek from a renowned Czech rock group Už jsme doma.

Date: 2 – 10 June 2019

Application deadline: 3 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 100 EUR. Lower-income applicants can also apply for a reduced fee (see application forms).

Contact: david.verbuc@fhs.cuni.cz

Web: <http://fhs.cuni.cz/FHSENG-674.html>

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SUMMER SCHOOL OF EXPERIMENTAL SURGERY

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Medicine in Pilsen, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

Students will have a great experience, both professionally and personally, while attending our SSES and getting to know experimental surgery in practice. They will also have an extraordinary opportunity to work on experimental animal models and study important issues in experimental surgery, anaesthesia, radiology etc.



*Faculty
of Medicine
in Pilsen*

Date: 1 – 12 July 2019

Application deadline: 31 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 1,300 EUR

Contact: Jitka Černošousová

Mail: info@sses.eu **Phone:** +420 608 792 488

Web: <http://www.sses.eu>



Faculty of Social Sciences

SPRING UNIVERSITY PRAGUE 2019: Project Europe at a Crossroads: Building up open structures or breaking down into local identities?

Organising faculty/department:

Institute of International Studies, Faculty of Social Sciences

Short description of the school/programme:

The objective of the “Spring University Prague 2019: Project Europe at a Crossroads” academic course is to provide students with a broad understanding of the most significant political and social issues in contemporary Europe.

This study programme is internationally acknowledged. Successful participants will receive 3 or 6 ECTS credits depending on their efforts. The course provides an interdisciplinary approach and combines multiple learning methods, such as lectures, workshops, round-table discussions, field work, group-work and student presentations.

Moreover, there will be numerous free-time activities that will provide participants with a chance to enjoy the wide range of attractions that Prague has to offer.

Date: 7 – 18 April 2019

Application deadline: 1 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 860 EUR

(The fee includes: tuition, social and cultural events, on-line reading materials, accommodation in the dormitory, daily breakfast and lunch, advice and help of our team during your stay in Prague)

Contact: spring.university@fsv.cuni.cz

Web: <http://www.spring-university.fsv.cuni.cz>

(see also the Facebook page Spring and Summer Universities Prague)

SUMMER UNIVERSITY PRAGUE 2019:

European Identity between Unity and Diversity: Problems and Challenges

Organising faculty/department:

Charles University, Faculty of Social Sciences, Institute of International Studies

Short description of the school/programme:

The objective of the “Summer University Prague 2019: European Identity between Unity and Diversity: Problems and Challenges” academic course is to provide students with a broad understanding of the most significant political and social issues in contemporary Europe. This study programme is internationally acknowledged. Successful participants will receive 4 or 8 ECTS credits depending on their efforts. The course provides an interdisciplinary approach and combines multiple learning methods, such as lectures, workshops, round-table discussions, field work, group-work and student presentations.

Moreover, there will be numerous free-time activities that will provide participants with a chance to enjoy the wide range of attractions that Prague has to offer.

Date: 8 – 22 September 2019

Application deadline: probable application deadline: 26 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 990 EUR

(The programme fee includes: tuition, social and cultural events, on-line reading materials, accommodation in the dormitory, breakfasts and lunches, advice and help of our team during your stay in Prague.)

Contact: summer.university@fsv.cuni.cz

Web: <http://www.summer-university.fsv.cuni.cz>

(see also the Facebook page Spring and Summer Universities Prague)



*Faculty
of Social
Sciences*



Faculty of Social Sciences

GEOPOLITICAL SUMMER SCHOOL

Europe in troubled times: the future of the European geopolitics

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Social Sciences, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

Europe undergoes a period of great geopolitical shifts. With Brexit, Russian influence, rise of radical Islamism and secessionist tendencies in many parts of the continent, study of the European geopolitics returns back to a foremost prominence. Understanding of the disintegration tendencies is the key skill that the contemporary and future policy-makers need to possess in order to navigate through the complex world of threats and opportunities that these changes in the international system bring. The Summer school programme is designed to give participants an opportunity to gain a profound knowledge of ongoing processes and events shaping and influencing the dynamic geopolitical environment surrounding Europe with a particular focus on the EU's position and the role within it. Students will be introduced to the key concepts and theories. Practical exercises will be also employed to enable the students to apply the knowledge gained to solve problems, which could occur in real-world scenarios.

Date: 30 June – 6 July 2019

Application deadline: 14 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 290 EUR if paid before 15th March/390 EUR if paid before 15th May/450 EUR later (120 EUR per person for sharing accommodation)

Contact: martin.riegl@fsv.cuni.cz

Web: <http://geopolitics.fsv.cuni.cz/GEO-6.html>

PRAGUE SUMMER SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM 2019:

„Cross-platform Foreign Correspondence“

Organising faculty/department:

Institute of Communication Studies and Journalism, Faculty of Social Sciences

Short description of the school/programme:

During the summer course, students will have a chance to explore and experience the life of a cross-platform foreign correspondent. Foreign correspondence occupies one of the most prestigious positions within journalism, and is being rapidly transformed by emerging technologies. During the two week professionally and academically guided simulation, students report back to their countries and internationally about the Czech Republic and Central Europe in a number of formats and across multiple platforms.



Date: 31 August – 14 September 2019

Application deadline: 30 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 990 EUR

(Includes: tuition, housing, breakfasts and lunches, social and culture events.)

Contact: summer-school@fsv.cuni.cz

Web: <http://summer-school.fsv.cuni.cz>





Faculty of Science

IOM SUMMER SCHOOL ON MIGRATION STUDIES 2019

Organising faculty/department:

Faculty of Science, Charles University in partnership with IOM International Organisation on Migration

Short description of the school/programme:

The Summer School on Migration is an annual event designed for both students and young professionals from the Czech Republic and abroad in the field of migration. It provides a unique space where academic debates can be linked to practical experience. The one-week programme includes topics from different areas of migration– labour migration, integration of migrants, migration and development, migration and gender, migration and climate change and others. Lectures and workshops involving both Czech and foreign (USA) experts should increase the knowledge of university students and young professionals (from both NGOs and state institutions) in the field of migration.

Date: 26 August – 1 September 2019

Application deadline: 30 April 2019

Tuition Fee: 300 EUR (includes accommodation and board)

Contact: jschroth@iom.int; eva.janska@natur.cuni.cz

Web: <http://www.iom.cz>





Faculty of Law

SUMMER LAW PROGRAMMES

Traditional Law / New Technology Law

Organising faculty/department:

European Centre for Career Education under auspices of the Faculty of Law, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

The Law Global Career Summer Program enables students to choose, of two cohorts, the one best aligned with their professional goals and personal interests. The New Technology cohort (starting 8 July 2019) is ideal to cover business and legal bases. It is the right choice for students who want to explore business transactions from a business-law perspective. It is meant for those who strive to be legal professionals, but also want the insights of executives or entrepreneurs, and for those who desire to become entrepreneurs themselves.

In contrast, the Traditional Law cohort (from 17 June 2019) is meant for future legal professionals who strive to understand more specialised areas of law such as energy law, capital markets or franchising. Both cohorts are organised under the auspices of Charles University.

Dates:

17 June – 2 August 2019 (Traditional Law)

8 July – 23 August 2019 (New Technology Law) + internship

Application deadline: 31 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 3,300 EUR main package/ 4,700 EUR premium package

Contact: question@eccedu.org

Web: <http://www.eccedu.org>

SOUTH TEXAS SUMMER PROGRAM IN PRAGUE

Organising faculty/department:

South Texas College of Law, Consortium for Innovative Legal Education, Faculty of Law of Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

Programme especially intended for students of South Texas College of Law. Courses are taught by U.S. professors in Prague and guest lectures are given by academicians from the host institution – the Faculty of Law of Charles University.



Dates:

Session I 24 May – 20 June 2019

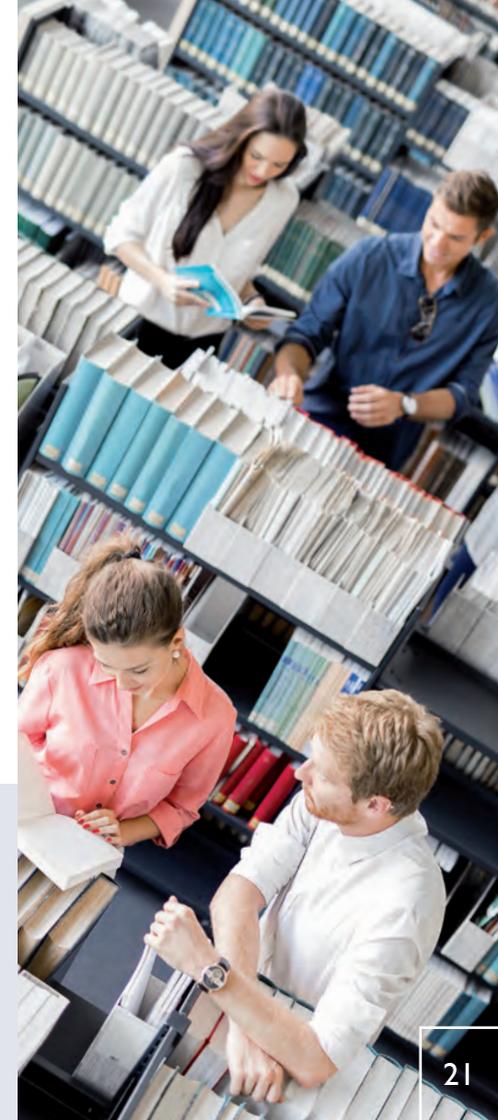
Session II 24 June – 5 July 2019

Application deadline: 25 March 2019

Tuition Fee: 3,000 USD (Session I only) or 4,500 USD (Session I and Session II)

Contact: wmorrow@stcl.edu; kohout@prf.cuni.cz

Web: <http://www.stcl.edu/academics/foreign-programs/summer/prague-czech-republic/>





Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

CZECH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE COURSE (PRAGUE)

Organising faculty/department:

Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies, Study Centre Prague-Albertov

Short description of the school/programme:

This original summer Czech language course called CZECH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE is held under the auspices of the Czech Ministry of Culture and the City of Prague. The course is suitable for those who are interested not only in Czech language, but also in Czech culture and life. As a special feature we offer the opportunity to meet important personalities of Czech cultural life.



Date: 29 July – 23 August 2019

Application deadline: 22 July 2019

Tuition Fee: 935 EUR (fee includes Czech language lessons and all cultural activities)

Contact: albertov@ujop.cuni.cz

Web: <http://ujop.cuni.cz/en/course/czech-language-and-culture-course>

CZECH SUMMER SCHOOL (PRAGUE)

Organising faculty/department:

Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies, Charles University

Short description of the school/programme:

Our Summer School is designed for the general public. The course does not assume any previous knowledge of Czech, and we always offer classes at various levels (from total beginners up to highly advanced). The Czech Summer School (Prague) is an intensive course focusing on language and communication. We strike a balance between spoken and written communication, as well as between reading and listening skills, without overlooking grammar. The course is structured based on our years of experience in language teaching and is based on modern language teaching methods. It corresponds to the Common European Framework for Languages.

Date: 1 – 28 July 2019

Application deadline: 25 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 780 EUR (660 EUR course price + 120 EUR registration fee)

Contact: lscp@ujop.cuni.cz

Web: <http://ujop.cuni.cz/en/course/czech-summer-school-prague>





Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

CZECH LANGUAGE PROGRAMME SUMMER FLAS PRAGUE

Organising faculty/department:

Centre for Language Learning (CLL), Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

Short description of the school/programme:

The course focuses on practical as well as academic language and communication. We strike a balance between spoken and written communication, as well as between reading and listening skills, without overlooking grammar. It corresponds to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages as well as to American Language Framework ACTFL. Individual student support is an integral part of the programme, as well as consulting students' projects and their presentation. The course contains 140 hours of language instruction on intermediate level.

Date: 17 June – 27 July 2019

Application deadline: 31 May 2019

Tuition Fee:

1,165 EUR (for tuition and course materials)

Contact: sarka.vasickova@ujop.cuni.cz

Web: <http://ujop.cuni.cz/en/course/czech-summer-school-prague-flas>

CZECH FOR COMPATRIOTS (PODĚBRADY)

Organising faculty/department:

Poděbrady Centre, Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

Short description of the school/programme:

The course is aimed at people of Czech descent living abroad, who want to learn (or just brush up on) the language of their forefathers, learn about Czech culture and visit the most beautiful places in the Czech Republic. All participants are encouraged to take part in an extensive extracurricular programme, as well as in sports activities. Full-day and half-day trips are also on offer. It is also possible to attend the course on a scholarship provided by the Czech Ministry of Education, Youth and Sport. Further information is available at representative offices of the Czech Republic abroad or on the website of the House of Foreign Services.

Date: 19 July – 16 August 2019

Application deadline: 18 July 2019

Tuition Fee:

Tuition and study materials: 605 EUR

Extracurricular programmes, plus weekend trips: 230 EUR

Accommodation: 300 EUR

Full board: 285 EUR

Contact: Mgr. Vladimíra Korenová, vladka.korenova@ujop.cuni.cz

Web: <http://ujop.cuni.cz/en/course/czech-for-compatriots>; <http://www.kurzkrajanu.cz>





Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

SUMMER SCHOOL OF SLAVIC STUDIES (PODĚBRADY)

Organising faculty/department:

Poděbrady Centre, Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies

Short description of the school/programme:

The Summer School of Slavic Studies is designed for the general public, from beginners to more advanced students. Minimum age required for attending the course is 18 years (younger persons may attend the courses only when accompanied by a parent). In special cases, a shorter term (the course takes one month) can be negotiated and approved in advance.

This course is an intensive one, with focus on the Czech language and area studies. The optional afternoon programme consists of lectures held in Czech and English, screenings of Czech films, and cultural and sporting activities.

Date: 1 – 26 July 2019

Application deadline: 17 June 2019

Tuition Fee: 780 EUR (tuition and course materials)

Contact: ilona.mazurkova@ujop.cuni.cz

Web: <http://ujop.cuni.cz/en/course/summer-school-of-slavonic-studies>



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