



CUM SCIENTIA PRO AQUIS HUNGARIAE!

**INFORMATION ON ADMISSION**  
**MA IN INTERNATIONAL WATER GOVERNANCE AND WATER DIPLOMACY**  
**UNIVERSITY OF PUBLIC SERVICE, BUDAPEST, HUNGARY**  
**2020-2022**

The University of Public Service of Hungary launches a Master of Arts programme in International Water Governance and Water Diplomacy for the academic years of 2020-2022. This document contains information on the programme and the application process.

## Outline of the MA programme

The two year (four semester) MA programme comprises five broad knowledge clusters as follows:

- General questions of water management
- Introduction to water governance and conflict management
- Water law
- International water governance
- Water diplomacy and international conflict management.

For the overall structure of the programme see <https://vtk.uni-nke.hu/oktatas/mesterkepzes-waterdiplo/syllable>

## Who can apply?

Any student with a bachelor (or graduate) degree in **political science, law, international relations, economics, water or environmental management/engineering** with a professional command of **English** can apply for the MA programme. Given the broad scope of the curriculum **no specific prior studies**, professional experience, etc. is **required** in any discipline related to water or diplomacy.

## Conditions of application

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- **bachelor or graduate degree in political science, law, international relations, economics, water or environmental management/engineering**
- proof of language **English** proficiency (level B2<sup>1</sup>).

English language proficiency can be demonstrated by:

- any recognised English language test certificate (IELTS, TOEFL etc.) or
- college degree in English.

## The application process

<sup>1</sup> Using the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages: <https://www.coe.int/en/web/common-european-framework-reference-languages/table-1-cefr-3.3-common-reference-levels-global-scale>

Applicants of **Hungarian citizenship** must follow the centralised application process through [www.felvi.hu](http://www.felvi.hu).

Non-Hungarian nationals:

- download and fill in the **application form** available at: <https://vtk.uni-nke.hu/oktatas/mesterkepzes-waterdiplo/admission-and-application>
- **send** a scanned copy of the application form to [waterdiplo@uni-nke.hu](mailto:waterdiplo@uni-nke.hu)
- attach a photocopy of your relevant **degree**, your **language certificate** and **passport**.

Submission of your application will be confirmed immediately.

## **Deadline for application**

The deadline for application is **15 May 2020**.

## **Tuition fees**

Tuition fees:

- for full time students: **HUF 285 000**/semester (ca. 950 USD)
- part time students: **HUF 265 000**/semester (ca. 900 USD)

## **Scholarships**

For the academic year 2020-2021 the MA programme does not qualify for the government scholarship scheme for foreign students (Stipendium Hungaricum). Hungarian nationals are eligible for a public service scholarship in a limited number.

## **Visa requirements**

For non-European Union nationals participation in the MA programme is subject to an appropriate **visa**. Confirmation of admission issued by University of Public Service is a precondition for a student visa application, but does not guarantee the actual issuance of a visa.

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