SUMMER SCHOOL OF SLAVONIC STUDIES 2024

APPLICATION FOR A SCHOLARSHIP PROVIDED BY THE MINISTRY OF EDUCATION, YOUTH AND SPORTS OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

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1. INFORMATION ABOUT THE APPLICANT *(Please fill in this form using capital letters.)*

Surname(s)				
First name(s)				
Academic Degree				**Photo (optional)**
Gender	☐ MALE	☐ FEMALE		
Date of birth	*(day)*	*(month)*	*(year)*	
Citizenship				

<u>Permanent</u> Residence Address:

Street and House No.	
City and Postal code	
Country	

<u>Complete Mailing</u> Address (if different from above):

Street and House No.	
City and Postal code	
Country	

E-mail	
Telephone number	*(incl. country and city code)*
Occupation	*(e.g. student, employee etc.)*
Present employer/institution	
International passport / ID card No., as applicable (not required of citizens of EU/EEA countries)	

2. LEVEL OF APPLICANT'S CZECH LANGUAGE SKILLS

☐ Elementary level	☐ Low-intermediate level
☐ Intermediate level	☐ Advanced level

Describe your experience with the Czech language:

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Where did you study the Czech language, for how long and what study programme? *(if applicable)*

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What are your interests related to the Czech language or culture? *(linguistics, literature, history etc.)*

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Have you participated at the Summer School of Slavonic Studies before?

☐Yes, three or more times ☐Yes, twice ☐Yes, once ☐No, never

3. FURTHER INFORMATION

Dietary restrictions (optional) *:☐ YES☐ NO Specification (optional): …….	I request accommodation in a hall of residence (student dormitory) **: ☐ YES☐ NO
** Applicants who wish to utilize catering provided by the summer course organizers are advised to consider specifying their requirements in advance.* *** If you wish to request a single room in the accommodation facility, please consult the preferred institution providing the Summer School course directly.* Other requests:	

4. SELECTION OF PREFERRED SUMMER SCHOOL

I would prefer to attend the Summer School of Slavonic Studies at the following institution – choose one or indicate priorities (*The number of scholarships and their distribution among individual Summer Schools is established by the MEYS. Please, consult the Embassy of the Czech Republic or other institution receiving the applications to find out which Summer School course you may apply for. The MEYS reserves the right to change the location and start date of the Summer School course covered by the scholarship. Placement at the Summer School requested in your application is not guaranteed.)*:

☐ **Poděbrady** Summer Czech Language Course for foreigners in Poděbrady *Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies of Charles University* **1st – 26th July 2024**	☐ **Pilsen** International Summer Language School *Institute of Applied Language Studies, University of West Bohemia* **6th – 26th July 2024**	☐ **Brno** Summer School of Slavonic (Czech) Studies *Department of Czech for Foreigners, Faculty of Arts, Masaryk University* **20th July – 17th August 2024**
☐ **Olomouc** Summer School of Slavonic Studies *Faculty of Arts, Palacký University* **13th July – 11th August 2024**	☐ **Prague** Summer School of Slavonic Studies *Faculty of Arts, Charles University* **18th July - 15th August 2024**	☐ **České Budějovice** Summer School of Slavonic Studies *Faculty of Arts, University of South Bohemia* **11th August – 2nd September 2024**

5. IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Summer Schools of Slavonic Studies offering **Czech language courses** are organised by several public universities in the Czech Republic: **Charles University (**Faculty of Arts, **Prague),** Charles University **Institute for Language and Preparatory Studies in Poděbrady**, **Masaryk University (**Faculty of Arts, **Brno)**, **Palacký University in Olomouc (**Faculty of Arts, **Olomouc), University of South Bohemia** in České Budějovice (Faculty of Arts, **České Budějovice**) and the **University of West Bohemia in Pilsen**. The courses are held during the summer months (July – September), their length ranges from 3 to 4 weeks depending on the course content determined by each Summer School and are designed for foreign students, teachers, translators and interpreters and other experts active in the field of Czech/Slavonic studies. Due to their broad scope they are, however, open to anyone else who is interested in the Czech language, literature, history and culture. The Summer Schools offer language courses at various levels of proficiency, seminars on the Czech literature, culture and history, free-time activities including theatrical, musical and dance performances, trips etc.

For more information please visit our website.

Period of Scholarship and Benefits: The scholarship is provided in the form of free board and lodging, coverage of course fees (tuition and registration fee) and other services which are an integral part of the course programme. A scholarship holder will be provided with free board, lodging and other services covered by the scholarship only during the period of course offered by the respective Summer School.

Health insurance is NOT provided to scholarship-holders, who are advised to arrange a medical insurance policy for the period of their stay in the Czech Republic. More information can be provided by the consular section of the Czech Embassy in your country; EU/EEA medical insurance system is described on the website of the Health Insurance Bureau.

Visa – Information on the conditions of entry and residence of foreign nationals in the Czech Republic is available on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic.

A scholarship holder is obliged, once he/she receives information on acceptance, to confirm his/her attendance at the Summer School by sending a message to the contact e-mail posta@msmt.cz and/or to the relevant contact at the Summer School (see below). If an admitted scholarship-holder cannot attend the Summer School concerned, he/she is obliged to inform the relevant contact person at the Summer School immediately.

6. ANNEXES

- Curriculum Vitae in Czech or English

7. DECLARATION

I have been informed of the terms of the scholarship.

I hereby certify that the information given in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
By filing this application for the MEYS scholarship, I hereby acknowledge that my personal data provided in the application form and attachments thereto submitted for the purpose of selection proceedings as well as for the purpose of my possible later nomination will be processed by the respective diplomatic mission of the Czech Republic, by the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic, by the Czech National Agency for Education and Research and by the appropriate host university or universities in the Czech Republic, to the extent that is necessary to address my application, in compliance with the Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation). I also hereby acknowledge the fact that my aforementioned personal data will be

forwarded to other state authorities in the Czech Republic provided that it is necessary for the processing of my scholarship application, and information on the outcome of my application will be conveyed to the respective nominating agency, i.e. to the appropriate diplomatic mission of the Czech Republic or the respective authority of the foreign state concerned. I also acknowledge that my personal data will be stored in analogue documents as well as in digital form by the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic and by the Czech National Agency for Education and Research for the period of 10 years in their archives, in compliance with their respective File Retention and File Destruction Rules.

I hereby declare that I intend to utilise the entire scholarship and attend classes during the whole length of the course if I am awarded a scholarship for participation in a Summer School of Slavonic Studies. I am aware of the fact that my place on the course may be offered to a substitute candidate if I miss more than 4 days of the course.

In ....

Place *Date* *Signature*