



**EXPLORE HUNGARIAN
HIGHER EDUCATION
and discover the
participating institutions
at NAFSA 2026**

HIGHER EDUCATION SYSTEM

Postgraduate specialist training course
2-4 semesters

Doctoral programme (PhD/DLA)
4+4 semesters

Master's programme
2-4 semesters

One-tier master's programme
10-12 semesters

Higher-level vocational training
4 semesters

Bachelor's programme
6-8 semesters



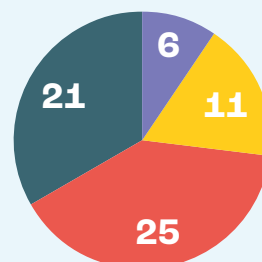
Number of institutions:
63



Number of students:
350,989

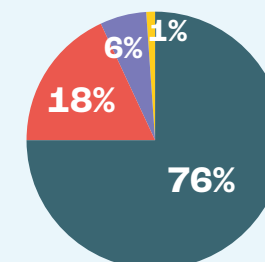


Number of international students:
49,458



By source of funding:

- state funded
- privately funded
- church funded
- maintained by trust funds



By language of education:

- English
- Hungarian
- German
- Other

TOP5 STUDY FIELDS IN 2025

(based on the number of international students)



Medical and Health Science
13,903



Economic Science
6,716



Engineering Science
4,723



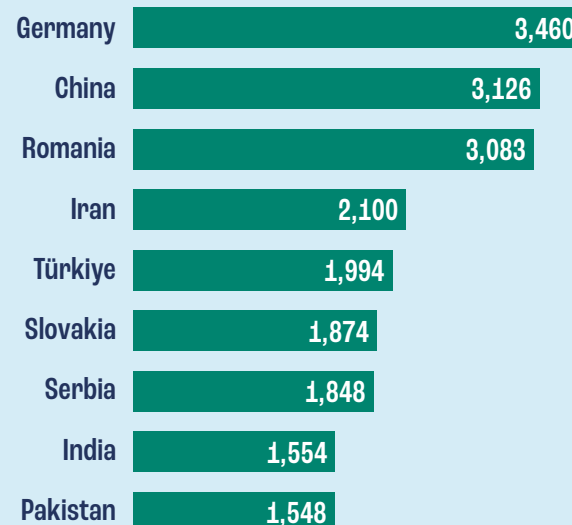
Computer Science and Information Technology
4,134



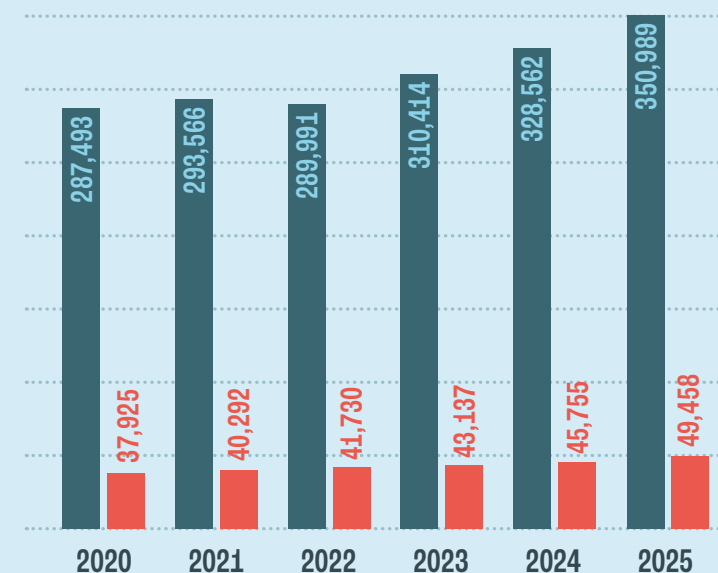
Arts and Humanities
3,287



TOP10 SENDING COUNTRIES

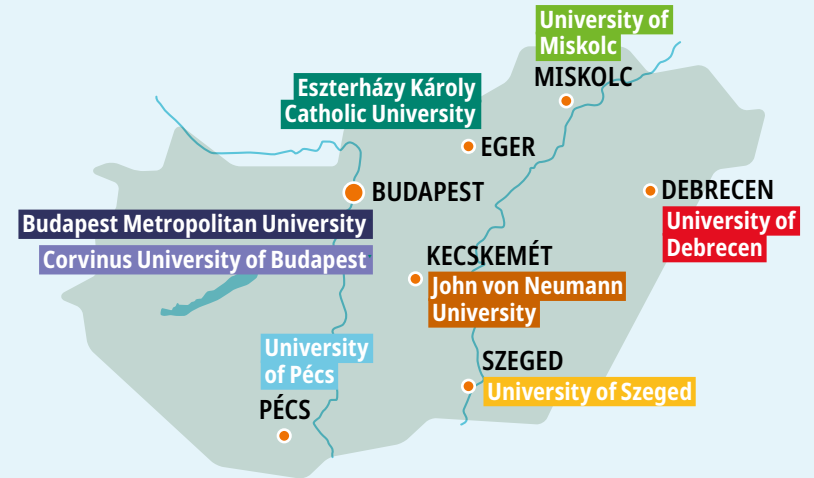


TRENDS IN THE NUMBER of Higher Education Students in Hungary 2020-2025



PARTICIPATING HUNGARIAN HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS – EAIE 2025


	Undergraduate (BA, BSc)	Graduate (MSc, MA)	One-tier master (OTM)	Doctoral level (PhD)
Agricultural Science	●●●●	●●		●
Art Education	●	●		
Arts	●●●●	●●●●	●●	
Musical Creative Art and Musicology	●●	●		●
Arts and Humanities	●●●●●	●●●●●		●●●
Computer Science and Information Technology	●●●●●●	●●●●●●	●	●●●●●
Economic Science	●●●●●●	●●●●●●		●●●●●
Engineering Science	●●●●●	●●●●	●	●●
Professional Pilot				
Legal Science		●●●●		●●●●
Medical and Health Science	●●●●	●●●	●●●	●●●
Natural Science	●●●●	●●●●		●●●
Religion and Theology		●		
Science of Public Governance				●
Social Science	●●●●●●	●●●●●●		●●●
Sport Science	●●	●●		
Teacher Training	●	●●		●



- University of Szeged
- Budapest Metropolitan University
- John von Neumann University
- University of Pécs
- Corvinus University of Budapest
- Eszterházy Károly Catholic University
- University of Debrecen
- University of Miskolc



University of Szeged

 u-szeged.hu/english

- › Alma mater of Nobel Laureates: Albert Szent-Györgyi (1937), Katalin Karikó (2023) and László Krasznahorkai (2025)
- › Top university in the 2025 ARWU
- › Member of EUGLOH, a European university alliance for global health
- › 25,000 students of which 20% are international students
- › Offers 12 faculties and access to Coursera's extensive online resources
- › Member of the SGroup University Network



Budapest Metropolitan University

 www.metropolitan.hu/en

- › Founded in 2000; 8,000 students, 1,000+ international from 100 countries
- › English-taught programs in business, communication, tourism, and arts
- › Focus on creative thinking, practical training, and lifelong learning
- › Modern facilities and strong industry links for internships and careers
- › 2024 partnership with Arizona State University for global study options
- › Partner with more than 200 educational institutions across five continents
- › 5-star rating in internationalization at the the QS Stars rating




John von Neumann University

 nje.hu/en

- › Located in Kecskemét, a rapidly developing industrial hub
- › Over 5,000 students, nearly 400 international
- › University of Applied Sciences with 3 faculties: Engineering and Computer Science, Business and Economics, Horticulture and Rural Development
- › Offers programs in engineering, IT, business, and agriculture
- › Strong industry ties, especially with the automotive sector
- › Dual education with 60+ partners
- › Established in 2016



University of Pécs

 international.pte.hu

- › Founded in 1367, the University of Pécs (UP) is Hungary's oldest university
- › Offers 500 programs to 25,000 students and has been teaching in English for 40 years
- › Hosts over 5,700 international students from more than 146 countries
- › Nearly 2,000 staff members engage in diverse research projects
- › A regional innovation hub with 10 faculties and 22 doctoral schools



Corvinus University of Budapest

www.uni-corvinus.hu

- › Hungary's leading university for Business, Economics, and Social Sciences
- › In the top 2% of business schools worldwide
- › Accredited by AACSB and AMBA
- › Short- and long-term global study options at over 170 partner institutions, including double degree opportunities and CEMS membership



Eszterházy Károly Catholic University

uni-eszterhazy.hu/en

- › One of Hungary's oldest higher education institutions
- › Offers 15+ English-language degree programs at bachelor, master, and doctoral levels
- › 8,000 students, including 100+ international students
- › 200+ international partners and recognized research centers
- › Located in Eger, a city with a vibrant cultural life and secure environment



University of Debrecen

www.edu.unideb.hu

- › One of the nation's largest universities
- › 500 research laboratories, 800 bilateral agreements with 615 partner institutions from 44 countries
- › 2 teaching hospitals, 2,900 beds, medical facilities handle 3 million patient cases annually
- › 33,000 students, 8,000 international students from 140 countries



University of Miskolc

www.uni-miskolc.hu/en/

- › One of Hungary's oldest and most comprehensive universities
- › 10+ Double Degree programs with 10+ partner universities In Europe and beyond
- › Active research with 220 labs, 109 reserachers and 153 PhD students supported by research institutes
- › Active participation in Horizon Europe, EIT Raw Materials, HERCULE, INTERREG, and EaSI programmes
- › Well-established international environment with students from more than 60 countries

TEMPUS PUBLIC FOUNDATION

Non-profit organization established in 1996 by the Hungarian Government

- › supporting initiatives aiming at the modernization and quality improvement of education, training and human resources development,
- › managing international cooperation programmes,
- › encouraging mobility,
- › provides various training courses,
- › plays the role of a knowledge center.

International activities include:

- › help in partner search,
- › a guide for international students, teachers and researchers,
- › taking part in international projects and bilateral cooperation as partner or coordinator,
- › active role in dissemination projects funded by the European Commission,
- › active participation in the implementation of the Lisbon Strategy.



International Scholarships in Higher Education managed by Tempus Public Foundation

Scholarship Programmes for obtaining a degree in Hungary



stipendiumhungaricum.hu



tka.hu/stipendium-hungaricum-sports-scholarship-programme



diasporascholarship.hu

Scholarship Programmes for obtaining part-time studies in Hungary



Erasmus+

studyinhungary.hu/erasmus



panniaosztondij.hu



studyinhungary.hu/ceepus



studyinhungary.hu/bilateral-state-scholarships