

Centre for International Relations

Pécs Summer Academy 2018





The University of Pécs is pleased to offer a Summer Academy program to the students of Shanghai Institute of Technology.

Date: 15 July - 29 July, 2018

Number of participants: 20 students + 1 teacher

Title of the summer course: Cultural Heritage of Hungary and Europe

Venue: Faculty of Culture, Education and Regional Development, Pécs

Language of instruction: English

Course requirements: regular attendance and active participation.

The classes are taught by highly experienced academics from the University of Pécs.

Language requirements:

Minimum English language requirements: Independent user (B2 according to Common European Framework of Reference of Languages)

Academic Program

Our summer school program offers students the chances to continue their studies in an instinctive environment of a 650-year-old university, rich in traditions and innovations. Students can live and learn together for two weeks and broaden their professional views by integrating European aspects. The program is composed of the following courses, all related to the European and Hungarian culture:

- Brief History of Europe and Hungary
- Art History of Europe and Hungary: Middle Ages 18th century
- Art History of Europe and Hungary: 19-20th century
- The History of Gastronomy in Europe. European Gastronomy
- Hungarian Gastronomy and Wine Culture
- European and Hungarian Folk Traditions
- Cultural Heritage of the Romas
- Contemporary High and Pop Culture in Europe
- Current Political, Economic and Social Challenges of the European Union. How does the European Union Work?
- Political, Economic and Social Challenges in Hungary Nowadays



The courses are complemented by very useful and enjoyable field trips in Pécs, in the neighboring region as well as in Budapest. All the field trips will be guided by a lecturer, an expert in the study field.

Preliminary Schedule

July 15 (Sunday): Arrival

July 16 (Monday):

9:00-10:00: Opening Ceremony and Orientation

10:00-10:30: Break

10:30-12:00 Brief History of Europe and Hungary - Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai

12:00-13:00: Lunch

16:00-17:30: City Tour by DOTTO guide: Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai

18:00: Welcome Dinner

July 17 (Tuesday):

9:00- 10:30: Art History of Europe and Hungary: Middle Ages- 18th century - Dr. Zsuzsa

Koltai

10:30-11:00: Break

11:00-11:45: Art History of Europe and Hungary: 19-20th. century- Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai

12:00-13:00: Lunch

16:00-18:00: Discovering the Zsolnay Cultural Quarter. Guided tour in the Zsolnay Cultural

Quarter. Visit to the Gyugyi Collection. Visiting the Kodály Centre - Dr. Teréz Kleisz

July 18 (Wednesday):

9:00-10:30: The History of Gastronomy in Europe. European gastronomy- Dr. habil Iván

Zádori





10:30-11:00: Coffee break

11:00-11: 45: Hungarian Gastronomy and Wine Culture - Dr. Inez Koller

12:00-13:00: Lunch

16:00- 18:00 Visit to the Pasha Gazi Qasim's Mosque and the Cathedral. (Guided tour);

Guide: Dr. Teréz Kleisz

July 19 (Thursday):

9:00-10:30: European and Hungarian Folk Traditions - Dr. Teréz Kleisz

10:30-11:00: Coffee break

11:00-11: 45: Cultural Heritage of the Romas- Dr. Teréz Kleisz

12:00-13:00 Lunch

16:00-17:00 The Synagogue of Pécs. The Jewish Heritage and Contemporary Religious Life of the Jewish Community in Pécs (Guided tour) - Dr. habil Iván Zádori

19:00: Dinner and Quiz Night

July 20 (Friday):

9:00-10:30: Contemporary High and Pop Culture in Europe - Dr. Judit Béres

10:30-11:00: Coffee break

11:00-11: 45: Contemporary High and Pop Culture in Hungary- Dr. Judit Béres

12:00- 13:00: Lunch

16:00-17:00: Visiting the Klimo Library and the Exhibition of the University History. Guided

tour - Dr. Teréz Kleisz



July 23 (Monday):

9:00-10:30: Current Political, Economic and Social Challenges of the European Union. How does the European Union Work? Dr. habil Iván Zádori

10:30-11:00: Coffee break

11:00-11: 45: Political, Economic and Social Challenges in Hungary Nowadays- Dr. Inez Koller

11.45- 12.15: Closing Ceremony

12:30- 13:30: Lunch

Free afternoon or optional trip to the Mecsextrém Park

15:00: Departure for the Mecsextrém Park by public transportation

16:00-19:00: Guide: Dr. Inez Koller: Mecsextrém Park

July 24 (Tuesday):

Field trip to Orfű by bus, Guide: Dr. habil Iván Zádori (full day)

9:00: Departure for Orfű by bus

10:00-11:00: Visit to the Abaliget Cave

12:00- 13:00: Lunch in Orfű

13:30-17:30: Visiting the "Orfű Aquapark"

19:00: Farewell Dinner

July 25 (Wednesday):

9:00 -12:00. Trip to Budapest by bus. Guide: Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai (full day)

12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-17:00: City tour of Budapest by bus (Heroes Square, St. Sthepen Cathedral, Royal Castle Citadell). The Cultural Heritage of Budapest.



18:00 Dinner

July 26 (Thursday):

Budapest: Guide: Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai (full day)

10:00-12:00: Visiting the Hungarian National Gallery.

12:00-13.00 Lunch

13:00-13:30: Guided visit in the Great Market Hall of Budapest.

13:30-14:30: Free time in the Great Market Hall of Budapest

15:00-18:00: Visit to the Rudas Bath

19:00 Dinner

July 27 (Friday):

9:00: Trip to Visegrád, Guide: Dr. Zsuzsa Koltai (full day)

10:00-12:00: Guided visit of Visegrád

12:30-13:30: Lunch

14:00-15:00: Guided walk in the dowtown of Szentendre

15:00-17:00: Free time in Szentendre. Optional shopping program.

17:00: Returning back to Budapest by bus

18:00 Dinner

July 28 (Saturday):

Free time

July 29 (Sunday):

Departure for Shanghai





Social programs:

The University of Pécs is pleased to organize various social programs for the students of Shanghai Institute of Technology to enable them to receive first-hand information and experience about Hungary, the Hungarian culture as well as about Europe. The organizers also provide the participants with various opportunities to meet the international and Hungarian students of the University of Pécs and to explore the city of Pécs, which is a multicultural city. Participating students will have lots of opportunities to join the various events taking place in Pécs during their stay.

Non-educational programs, excursions

Participating students and their lecturer will be provided with a city tour, a campus tour as well as with various enjoyable social activities throughout their stay.

To enrich their professional knowledge and to make their stay most enjoyable we are pleased to offer a tour to Budapest, capital of Hungary. The Summer Academy program also includes a Welcome and Farewell Party, a Quiz Night and other interesting and attractive social programs.



Program fee for the Summer Academy program:

Program fee:

1,435 EUR per student - for the group of 20 students and 1 lecturer

The program fee includes the following:

1. Tuition:

The program fee covers all costs arising in connection with instruction.

2. Meal:

The students and the lecturer will be provided with lunch every week day. The cost of the Welcome dinner, Farewell dinner and the dinner on 19 July is also included.

3. Transport:

We will be pleased to arrange one airport shuttle for the group from and to Budapest Liszt Ferenc Airport. Students will also be provided with local bus tickets and guidance about how to use local transport in Pécs.

4. Accommodation:

We will provide accommodation in a dormitory of the University of Pécs. Students will be staying in double rooms whereas their lecturer will be staying in a single room.

5. Non-educational programs, excursion

We are pleased to organize a bus tour to Orfű and an excursion to Budapest for the students and their accompanying lecturer. The cost of these excursions are included in the program fee.

The program fee includes the following services during the four-day-long Budapest excursion:

- travelling by first-class, comfortable, air-conditioned bus;
- 4-night accommodation in a hotel, including breakfast and dinner, with students placed in double rooms and their lecturer in a single room





The University of Pécs

The University of Pécs, the oldest university in Hungary, was founded in 1367. Today it is one of the largest Institutions of Higher Education in the country and offers a wide spectrum of courses to some 23,000 students in approximately 500 different study programs. The university accommodates a unique range of scientific fields in its 10 faculties/schools:

- Faculty of Business and Economics
- Faculty of Cultural Sciences, Education and Regional Development
- Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology
- Faculty of Health Sciences
- Faculty of Humanities
- Faculty of Law
- Faculty of Music and Visual Arts
- Medical School
- Faculty of Sciences.
- Faculty of Pharmacy



The University of Pécs provides a truly international learning environment. The university has been running degree programs in English for more than 30 years and so has become one of the most internationalized universities in Hungary. We are proud to host more than 3, 000 international students each year – students who come from more than 105 countries across the globe. The university manages more than 50 degree-programs and preparatory courses for international students taught in English and German. The University of Pécs is also actively involved in many different mobility programs and has twice received the European Union's Erasmus Quality Award for its achievements. In addition to the full-degree international programs the University of Pécs organizes a large number of summer schools, short-term programs and winter programs for the incoming international students.





The University of Pécs is one of the largest research universities in Hungary. The University functions as a knowledge center for innovation in the South Transdanubian Region. Nearly 2,000 members of our teaching and research staff at our 10 schools participate in research projects, whilst 22 doctoral schools offer PhD and DLA degrees covering a wide spectrum knowledge.





Pécs

Pécs is located in the southern part of Hungary, close to the Coratian border. It is the 5th largest city of the country. The closest airport is in Budapest which is a 2,5 hour drive from Pécs.



Located in the South Western part of Hungary, Pécs is a culturally diverse and stimulating city, with a population of about 150,000. It is one of the most beautiful Central European cities. Lying in the South of Transdanubia, close to the border with Croatia, it has a mild, almost Mediterranean climate.



The history of Pécs dates back over 2,000 years, and the name of the old Roman town, "Sopianae" is still found in the names of institutions and products.

Although its development suffered several setbacks throughout the centuries, such as during the Tartar invasions or the Ottoman-Turkish Rule, it has not only survived, but developed into a pleasant, modern town, rich in historical monuments, an administrative, cultural and



educational center with a lot to offer to those who wish to live or study here. The town is famous for its museums, galleries, the festivals and cultural events it hosts. It is a 'City of Culture'.



The downtown of Pécs is a unique mixture of the relics of Early Christianity, the arrival of the Hungarians, the Turkish reign and the achievements of modern architecture and art. The National Theatre, the Philharmonic Orchestra, the internationally renowned Ballet Ensemble as well as the unique Zsolnay Cultural Quarter offer fascinating experiences.





We are looking forward to receiving the Shanghai Institute of Technology students on the Pécs Summer Academy 2018 Program!







