

# Foreign students- Romanian ethnics

## WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMISOARA

Admission- Romanian ethnic students and Romanian citizens with permanent residence abroad-

Admission for undergraduate study cycle and master at West University of Timisoara is organized in accordance with: the National Education Law no. 1/2011, Law no. 288/2004 concerning university studies, Ministerial Order no. 3544/2013 concerning general organization of the admission for undergraduate, master and doctoral studies for the academic year 2013-2014 (published in Monitorul Oficial no. 223 of 18.04.2013).

According to “Methodology of enrollment of young Romanian ethnics and Romanian citizens with permanent residence abroad, into the Romanian educational system since school/academic year 2013-2014”, citizens of the Republic of Moldavia, Albania, Bulgaria, Republic of Serbia, Republic of Ukraine, Republic of Hungary and the Romanian Diaspora can participate in the enrollment for granted places, subsidized by the Ministry of Education, but only for the approved specializations. These students maintain their financial status obtained on admission throughout this period of studies (but have to pay a fee in case of repetition of academic year). Apart from the state granted places, the WUT accepts additional Romanian ethnic students who have to pay a tuition fee for each academic year, having the same financial rights as Romanian citizen.

For the academic year 2013-2014 the following categories of scholarship are offered:

- No tuition fee places with monthly scholarship with financing from the state budget for: tuition fee, monthly scholarship (65 euro/ month for students, 75 euro/ month for MA students and 85 euro/ month for PhD students) and accommodation in student dormitory;
- No tuition fee places without scholarship: with financing from the state budget for: tuition fee and accommodation in student dormitory.

Admission at the university is carried out under the following conditions:

I. For UNDERGRADUATE studies:

I.1 Candidates from the Republic of Moldavia:

- a) Graduates from Romanian high schools with baccalaureate degree or equivalent diploma enroll directly at the West University of Timisoara under the same conditions as Romanian citizens and their admission will be carried out on the basis of the application files they submit. Some of these students will benefit from scholarships provided by the Ministry of National Education, according to their academic results.
- b) High school graduates with baccalaureate degree from the Republic of Moldavia, enroll at the premises of diplomatic missions of Romania in the Republic of Moldavia, benefiting from scholarships provided by the Ministry of National Education, the process of admission being carried out by the MEN-MAE-DRP commission.

I.2 Candidates from the Republic of Albania, Bulgaria, Macedonia, Serbia, Ukraine, the Republic of Hungary and the Romanian Diaspora:

Candidates shall submit their application files at the premises of diplomatic missions of Romania abroad and those who benefit from scholarships provided by the Ministry of National Education will address the West University of Timisoara for registration.

## II. For MASTER studies:

### II.1 Candidates from the Republic of Moldavia

a) Graduates with bachelor's degree from Romania or from another EU or EEA member state, or the Swiss Confederation, enroll directly to the West University of Timisoara. Some of these students will benefit from scholarships provided by the Ministry of National Education, according to their academic results.

b) Graduates with bachelor's degree from the Republic of Moldavia or from EU third countries can enroll for master's degree but have to pay a tuition fee for each academic year, having the same financial rights as Romanian citizens.

### II.2 Candidates from the Republic of Albania, Bulgaria, Macedonia, Serbia, Ukraine, the Republic of Hungary and the Romanian Diaspora

Graduates with bachelor's degree from Romania or from another EU or EEA member state, or the Swiss Confederation, enroll directly to the West University of Timisoara, in the same period as Romanian citizens, benefiting from scholarships provided by the Ministry of National Education.

## III. For DOCTORAL studies:

For DOCTORAL STUDIES you must apply to: CSUD, The Council for PhD University Studies

## **Admission of Romanian ethnics that did not obtained a scholarship provided by the Ministry of National Education**

Romanian ethnics who participated in the admission organized by the Ministry of National Education and did not obtained a scholarship will be able to register directly at the West University of Timisoara in the September under the same financial circumstances as Romanian citizens.

If the candidate does not know the Romanian language, he/she must attend **Preparatory Year for learning Romanian language**. In the first semester of the Preparatory Year the students study Romanian Language as a Foreign Language and in the second semester the students study the Romanian terms specific to the faculty domains where he/she will continue the studies: mathematics, economy, law, arts, humanities, etc. Candidates who have not studied at least 4 years in Romanian and do not want to attend the preparatory year will take the Romanian language test and must obtain the Certificate of Romanian language proficiency.

For obtaining a scholarship from the Ministry of National Education, the candidates must be Romanian ethnics or Romanian citizens with permanent residence abroad, who do not have Romanian identity cards or permanent residence in Romania.

Candidates will not enroll directly to the faculty, they must carry out the pre-inscription at the Department of International Relations (room 155B).

Necessary documents for pre-inscription (2 copies of each documents):

- **Birth certificate** - copy and legally certified translation;

- **ID card**- copy in which the permanent residence is visible
- **Copy of the passport**
- **Romanian ethnic certificate**
- **Medical certificate**
- **Documents of studies**– legally certified copies and translations of High School Diploma (and of Bachelor Diploma if the candidate applies for Master studies).

## NECESSARY DOCUMENTS FOR OBTAINING STUDY RESIDENCE IN ROMANIA

Foreign citizens that live in Romania for studies must register their stay for studies purposes at the Romanian Authority for Foreigners, Timiș, with the following documents:

1. *Typified request from the Immigration Office, Timiș*
2. *Typified declaration from the Immigration Office, Timiș*
3. *Documents needed for crossing the border : Passport (having study visa on it)*
4. *Student Certificate, from the Department of International Relations for prolonging study visa*
5. *Health Certificate from The Student Polyclinic, next to C12 dormitory or any any public or private health clinic (the students above the age of 26, must have in addition the proof of health insurance payment form The National Health Insurance Agency, Timiș, No.4, Corbului Street )*
6. *Proof of accommodation (rental contract or hostel contract)*

Romanian ethnics are exempt from paying fees for residence permit.

Address of the Romanian Authority for Foreigners, Timiș:  
 Str. Mocioni nr. 8-10, (County Police Inspectorate) Inspectoratul de Politie Judetean (behind the police building on Take Ionescu Boulevard)  
 Phone: 004 -0256 – 402.432, 004 -0256 – 402.434.

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