STATEMENT FOR APPLICATION

for bachelor’s, master’s, one-tier master’s, doctoral study programmes, postgraduate specialist training courses and other non-degree programmes

By clicking on the “I accept” button, I agree to the followings.

I agree and understand that Tempus Public Foundation; the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade that awards the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship, the higher education institutions, the Hungarian Diplomatic Representations and the diaspora organisations may collect and use my personal data submitted as part of the application and enrolment process.

I agree and understand that my data is collected, processed and used for purposes of checking the eligibility for participation in the programme; conducting medical screenings, follow up, reporting and financial monitoring; the preparation of statistics, informational materials, surveys and research. My personal data can be stored and handled for 10 years.

I agree and understand that my data can be handled by the relevant employees of the Tempus Public Foundation and the higher education institution, participants of the reporting and monitoring processes; authorities responsible for supervision and inspection; health care providers responsible for medical screenings, and anonymous experts and researchers analysing the implementation and the impact of the programme. All safety measures shall be done in order to ensure data protection with special regard against unauthorized access, modification, forwarding, publication, deletion or destroy, as well as incidental destruction and damage.

I agree and understand that once I am a Scholarship Holder I will be required to sign a scholarship contract with the Host Institution. I also understand that the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship is a contribution to the living costs of the Scholarship Holder only, therefore – within the framework of the programme – visa-related assistance, additional allowance and administrative services are not provided for any accompanying people or family members. The legal entity of the scholarship contract is exclusively the Scholarship Holder and the Host Institution.

I agree and understand that once I am a Scholarship Holder I will be expected to follow the regulations of the Host Institution and continue my studies in good faith, to the best of my abilities, in order to meet the academic requirements of the study programme and thus finish the programme successfully.

If I am selected to be Scholarship Holder I agree to actively participate in events and programs organized in the framework of the scholarship program that aim to introduce Hungarian language and culture and to participate in the alumni system of the programme that supports the maintenance of relationships with the Scholarship Holders and facilitates the flow of information – such as the alumni website, alumni events and surveys about the satisfaction of students, career monitoring and the evaluation of research activities.

I agree and understand that unless the applicable regulations of the institution contain stricter provisions, the scholarship holder shall comply with their obligations of academic advancement set out in the studies and exams code and the curriculum by earning at least an average of 18 credits in each of the last two (continuous) semesters in which their student status was not suspended (that is, a total of 36 credits) (minimum credit requirement). Not applicable for students studying in doctoral programmes, non degree programmes and taking part in partial study mode.
I agree and understand that during my studies, I shall be required to attend the course of „Hungarian as foreign language” offered by the host university (except scholarship holders studying in Hungarian language). The scholarship holder status will be terminated of those scholarship holders who do not attend the course.

In case I do not take part in study programme taught in Hungarian language I agree and understand that I am required to pass a Hungarian as a foreign language exam at least at B2 level at the end of my studies but no later than 1 year after obtaining my diploma. This obligation does not apply for those who take part in short study programmes (1 or 2 semesters) or in partial studies. If the requirements concerning the exam obligations are not met, scholarship holders are obliged to pay back the tuition fee of their studies.

I agree and understand that once I am a scholarship holder, I am obliged to live and study in Hungary, therefore I am not allowed to live habitually in any other country during the study period – otherwise my scholarship holder status will be terminated. I agree and understand that I shall register in person at the international office of my host institution at the beginning of each semester.

I agree and understand that I shall not be entitled to use financial support for getting enrolled in full time or partial (exchange) study programmes outside Hungary (e.g. Erasmus+, CEEPUS, Campus Mundi) and that I will be entitled only to participate at conferences or research activities that are professionally relevant for my studies. These activities – except for scholarship holders studying on doctoral programmes – should not exceed 14 days – or in any way affect habitual living in Hungary.

I agree and understand that applicants are also not eligible to receive the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship in case they have another concurrent scholarship from the Hungarian central budget for studies in Hungary. In case that I am awarded more than one scholarship, I shall choose one of the scholarships and renounce from the other ones.

I agree and understand that in accordance with the Operational Regulations of the programme, the scholarship status is terminated if

- the student status of the scholarship holder is terminated by the Host Institution,
- the scholarship holder withdraws from the scholarship in a written form (sent to both Tempus Public Foundation and the Host Institution),
- the scholarship holder had obtained their degree at the study programme supported by the scholarship,
- the scholarship holder does not take part in “Hungarian as foreign language” course,
- the scholarship holder does not live in Hungary habitually and the Host Institution terminates their scholarship status for this reason,
- the scholarship holder becomes only Hungarian citizen, granted a refugee status (“menekült”), temporary protection (“menekültes”), or admitted for subsidiary protection (“oltalmazott”) or granted temporary protection (“befogadott”),
- as a result of institutional disciplinary or criminal proceedings against the scholarship holder, the scholarship holder is expelled, and for this reason the Public Foundation asks the host institution to terminate the scholarship status;
➢ the scholarship holder does not fulfil their obligation to participate in medical screenings, and their additional obligations set out in the healthcare protocol or provides false information in relation to the health screening protocol during the application period or during their scholarship period.

➢ in other cases described in the Operational Regulations of the programme in effect.

I agree and understand that if I will be awarded the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship, following the acceptance of the scholarship if I do not travel to Hungary and start my studies, nor do I notify Tempus Public Foundation of this fact, I will not be able to reapply for the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship within three years from being awarded.

I agree and understand that applicants who are awarded the scholarship cannot get a scholarship holder status if they

➢ withdraw the scholarship in a written form (sent to both Tempus Public Foundation and the Host Institution) or in the application system,

➢ do not upload their missing application documents until the deadline given in the Call for Applications,

➢ do not arrive and enrol until the registration date specified by the Host Institution (except cases described in the Operational Regulations), or

➢ do not hold a secondary school graduation certificate until 1 August 2022.

I agree and understand that all scholarship holders are bound by the Operational Regulations of the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship.

I hereby confirm that I am not only a Hungarian citizen.

I hereby confirm that I have Hungarian roots and Hungarian identity.

I hereby confirm that I have an address in a foreign country (outside of Hungary).

I hereby confirm that I have lived minimum 10 years outside Hungary before the submission of this application.

I hereby confirm that I have completed the last 4 years of my education preceding higher education – namely secondary education, or, if this lasts less than 4 years, the last year(s) of primary education as well, the two making 4 years altogether – in a foreign country (not Hungary).

I agree and understand that I am obliged to do 2 years voluntary work after graduation in a foreign country in favour of the local Hungarian diaspora community.

I understand that the scholarship can be awarded to only those who were born before 1 September 2004 unless they apply for dance study programmes at bachelor level.

I confirm that I have read, understood and agree to the content of this statement and the above procedures related to my participation in the Hungarian Diaspora Scholarship.

I confirm that all information I provided as part of the application and enrolment process is, to the best of my knowledge, accurate and true. I also declare that all information provided by me on the online application surface of Tempus Public Foundation – including the content of all uploaded documents –
are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. I am fully aware that false statements will disqualify me from the scholarship programme.