

CALL FOR APPLICATION

The University of Pécs, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences call for applications for participating in the Pannónia Scholarship Program Student Mobility for Traineeship for the spring semester of the 2025/2026 academic year

The object of the call for applications:

The purpose of the call is to offer traineeships at companies or organizations in another program country, lasting a minimum of 2 and a maximum of 4 months. The aim is to assist in acquiring the skills necessary in the community labour market and to understand the economic and social culture of the host country. The host enterprise can be active in the labour market or in the fields of education, training, or youth, with the exception of National Offices and EU bodies.

Within the framework of the Pannónia Scholarship Program, successful applicants have the opportunity to complete traineeships at universities, professional organizations, and non-profit organizations in the program country. The aim of the mobility can be a traineeship combined with specialized studies. Mobility can only take place if the credits obtained during the foreign traineeship are accepted by the sending institution and are credited to the student's progress at home (with the PTE credit system) and /or a Diploma Supplement is issued.

The credit acquisition and recognition process must be recorded in the mobility agreement of the student participating in the mobility.

Students participating in the Pannónia Scholarship Program abroad also enrol at home, establish an active student status, pay their tuition fees at home, and receive their regular scholarship during their stay abroad.

Duration of traineeship mobility abroad: **minimum 2 months (62 days) - maximum 4 months (120 days)**

Period of mobility: 01/06/2026- 30/09/2026

Currency of the scholarship: **HUF**

Scholarship disbursement: **90% pre-financing – 10% post-financing**

Working hours: minimum 30 working hours/week.

Pannónia Scholarship Program trainees being abroad:

- spend 2-4 months abroad (min. 62 days)
- **enrol at the home university, establish an active student status, pay any applicable tuition fees to their home university**, and receive their grants for the period of being abroad.
- **do not obtain their degree and maintain an active student status before ending the mobility.**
- 100% credit recognition (credits earned abroad are 100% accepted by PTE)
- **compulsory traineeships** (embedded in the curriculum) **are preferred**

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- In the case of a traineeship, the programme guarantees the recognition of credits earned abroad for students: the activities carried out by the student during the traineeship must be accepted by the sending institution, as the requirement of recognition as part of the studies also applies to traineeships
- **The conclusion of the Support Agreement is only possible if there is a Learning Agreement signed by all three parties.** Completion and compliance with the courses agreed in the Learning Agreement is binding for both the student and the institutions. Fulfillment and recognition as agreed in the Learning Agreement are binding for both the student and the institutions.

We would like to draw your attention to the fact that mobility cannot be started without a signed and faculty-approved Learning Agreement, the decision of the Faculty International Committee, and the signed grant agreement. The university will not transfer funds after the start date of the mobility if the above-mentioned conditions are not met.

Diverse mobility options available across the globe!
Thanks to the extensive mobility options of the Pannónia Scholarship Program, **everyone can find what best suits their professional career path.**

Destination countries:

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| I. COUNTRY GROUP High living cost countries | Andorra, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Cook Islands, Denmark, South Korea, United States, Canada, Faroe Islands, Fiji, Finland, France, Hong Kong, Ireland, Israel, Japan, East Timor, Kiribati, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Macau, Marshall Islands, Micronesia, Monaco, Nauru, United Kingdom, Niue, Norway, Palau, Papua New Guinea, Solomon Islands, San Marino, Switzerland, Sweden, Samoa, Singapore, Taiwan, Tonga, Tuvalu, New Zealand, Vanuatu |
| II. COUNTRY GROUP Medium living cost countries | Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Belarus, Bhutan, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, North Macedonia, Estonia, Georgia, Greece, Croatia, Iraq, Yemen, Cambodia, China, Kyrgyzstan, Kosovo, Laos, Poland, Latvia, Lithuania, Hungary, Maldives, Malta, Myanmar, Moldova, Montenegro, Nepal, Italy, Russia, Armenia, Pakistan, Portugal, Romania, Spain, Sri Lanka, Serbia, Syria, Slovakia, Slovenia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Uzbekistan |
| III. COUNTRY GROUP Low living cost countries | Albania, Algeria, Angola, Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Belize, Benin, Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, Brunei, Burkina Faso, Burundi, Chile, Comoros, Costa Rica, Chad, South Africa, South Sudan, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Djibouti, Ecuador, Equatorial Guinea, United Arab Emirates, Egypt, El Salvador, Ivory Coast, Eritrea, Ethiopia, Philippines, Gabon, Gambia, Ghana, Grenada, Guatemala, Guinea, Guinea-Bissau, Guyana, Haiti, Honduras, India, Indonesia, Iran, Jamaica, Jordan, Cameroon, Qatar, Kazakhstan, Kenya, Colombia, Congo, Democratic Republic of Congo, Central African Republic, Cuba, Kuwait, Lesotho, Lebanon, Liberia, Libya, Madagascar, Malaysia, Malawi, Mali, Morocco, Mauritania, Mauritius, Mexico, Mongolia, Mozambique, Namibia, Nicaragua, Niger, Nigeria, Nigeria, Oman, Palestine, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Rwanda, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, São Tomé and Príncipe, Seychelles, Sierra Leone, Suriname, Saudi Arabia, Senegal, Somalia, Sudan, Swaziland, Tanzania, Thailand, Togo, Turkey, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Uganda, Uruguay, Venezuela, Vietnam, Zambia, Zimbabwe, Cape Verde |

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Who can apply?

General participation conditions:

- the student is pursuing studies aimed at obtaining a diploma (Bachelor, Master, Undivided, PhD) at the institution.
- the student has **1 completed active semester** at the time of application.
- in the semester in which the mobility takes place, **the student has an active student status at PTE; and do not obtain their degree before the end of the mobility period.**
- the student has a high communication level of English and/or language competences corresponding to the native language of the destination country (minimum B2 but recommended C1).
- **students with Stipendium Hungaricum/SCYP/HDS scholarship cannot apply for Pannónia grant.**
- the student is allowed to participate in a traineeship mobility period for a maximum of 12 months per academic cycle, regardless of the number or type of mobility activities.
- meet the application requirements announced by the given faculty. (Check the points system below.)

In case you are in the semester of your graduation, you must complete your traineeship in the month before the completion of all coursework requirements and obtaining your pre-degree certificate (absolutorium).

Documents to be submitted by the applicants:

- Professional CV(with picture)
- Motivational Letter (at least 1500 characters, including your name and major)
- Official Transcript of Records of the 2 previous semesters **issued by the Registrar's Office** - 1 semester in case of a first-year student
- Language certificate(s)
- Recommendation Letter (one from an assistant lecturer is not acceptable)
- Certificate of professional or public activities (optional)
- Acceptance letter from the host institution (including the exact dates)
- Learning Agreement Before the Mobility (fully filled and signed by 3 parties)

Grants for the academic year 2025/2026:

The amount of the grant depends on the length of the mobility period (number of days) and on the host country.

| | I. COUNTRY GROUP | II. COUNTRY GROUP | III. COUNTRY GROUP |
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| Mobility for studies (2-12 months) | 400.000 HUF/MONTH | 375.000 HUF/MONTH | 350.000 HUF/MONTH |

The final scholarships are calculated daily based on the submitted support agreement. The amount of the scholarship does not necessarily cover all costs incurred during the stay abroad, these must be covered from other sources.

Under the general mobility program, students participating in traineeship mobility training are eligible for travel support if the destination of their mobility is more than 2,000 km away. In this case, based on RVÉ Decision 2025.11.13. Based on the table below, travel support may be granted based on an institutional decision.

| Distance | | Travel allowance available |
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| Minimum limit | Maximum limit | |
| 2 000 km | 2 999 km | 86 900 Ft |
| 3 000 km | 3 999 km | 139 200 Ft |
| 4 000 km | 7 999 km | 308 880 Ft |
| 8 000 km | | 485 800 Ft |

Deadline and method of submitting the application: throughout the academic year of 2025/2026, in Neptun. **Due to faculty and university evaluations, your application must be submitted in time, at the latest 45 days before the planned mobility.**

You can find the application form in Neptun under the "Requests" tab!

[Application guide](#)

Due to the faculty and university evaluation procedures, we are only able to accept the application if it is submitted on time, at the latest 45 days before the planned start date of the mobility.

Travel distance is calculated exclusively via Erasmus+ Distance Calculator: <https://erasmus-plus.ec.europa.eu/resources-and-tools/distance-calculator>

Evaluation of submitted applications:

The submitted applications will be evaluated by the professional committee **set up by the faculty, the Faculty Erasmus Committee.**

Please note that incomplete applications, applications that do not meet the requirements, or applications arriving after the deadline will not be accepted. Therefore, please only submit your application in Neptun if you have all the necessary documents at your disposal!

Point System:

A maximum of 100 points can be awarded for the applications.

1. Academic Achievement: maximum 30 points

The grade point average of the two semesters preceding the application submission. (If the student has only completed one semester at the time of the submission, they can provide proof of completing the second semester before traveling, by submitting the transcript for that semester. In this case, the score will be calculated by doubling the result of the first semester.)

Grading based on the student's GPA:

| GPA Range | Points |
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| 5,00 - 4,50 | 30 points |
| 4,49 - 4,00 | 20 points |
| 3,99 - 3,50 | 10 points |

The student must have a minimum GPA of 3.5 to apply for the scholarship.

If the student's GPA is below 3.5, the BTK Erasmus Committee may decide to approve the application based on the recommendation letter from the department (the result can be scored up to 5 points).

2. Language Exam: maximum 30 points

Knowledge of the language of the host country is mandatory.

If the student only has a B2 type C language exam and is not enrolled in a foreign language program or department, they must attend an additional language assessment.

(The language test will be conducted with the involvement of university professors who teach in the relevant language.)

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| State-recognized advanced type C language exam | 25points. |
| State-recognized intermediate type C language exam | 20 points. |
| Language exam in a second language (at least intermediate level) | 5 points |

3. Academic Activity: maximum 30 points

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| Republic scholarship | 8 points |
| OTDK/ TDK placement, award | 6 points |
| Scientific Students' Associations/ Advanced Studies Activity: | 4 points |
| Academic publications | 4 points (total) |
| Presentation at an academic professional conference | 4 points |
| Participation in an academic competition | 4 points |

4. Public life and other Student Activities: maximum 10 points

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| Work in university, city, or national press | 3 points |
| Active participation in Student Government (HÖK) | 3 points |
| Supporting foreign students as an Erasmus „Buddy” | 2 points |
| Other Erasmus promotional activities (departmental, faculty) | 2 points |

(If the students engage in other academic, public life, or student circle activities, the Pannónia Committee has the right to award additional points.)

A minimum of 40 points is required for a successful application!

For further information related to submitting the application, you can contact Ms. Virág Fűzes, the faculty coordinator at btok-erasmus@pte.hu

We wish you a successful application!

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Pécs, 15th April, 2026