SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES, SOCIAL SCIENCES AND ECONOMICS
ANNOUNCEMENT
Admission of Graduate Students
“MA in Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Studies”

1. The School of Humanities, Social Sciences and Economics of the University Center of International Programmes of Studies of the International Hellenic University invites interested parties to apply for the Postgraduate Programme of Studies "MA in Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Studies" for the academic year 2022-2023. All courses are taught exclusively in English. The academics teaching on the programme come from universities both abroad and in Greece.

2. The postgraduate studies for this MA programme lead to the acquisition of a Master’s Degree. The programme's curriculum requires the attendance of taught courses for two academic semesters and the submission of a master’s dissertation. The duration of the full-time study programme in order to obtain the MA degree is three academic semesters. For students who so wish, there is also the possibility, upon request, of attending the programme on a part–time basis. In this case, the duration of the MA will be doubled.

3. The MA in Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Studies of the International Hellenic University accepts, after a careful selection process, graduates of History, Archaeology, Social Sciences, Humanities, Political Sciences, Geography, International Relations, Theology, journalism, Balkan, Mediterranean or Oriental Studies and other related subject areas, from Greek universities or equivalent institutions from abroad and from Technological Educational Institutions of related subject areas according to Law 4485/2017 and 4610/2019, as applicable. The MA in Black Sea and Eastern Mediterranean Studies is designed to provide a postgraduate (Master’s) level education in archaeology, history, contemporary politics, international relations, and culture in general of the people and countries of the Black Sea and the Eastern Mediterranean areas.

4. The selection of postgraduate students will be undertaken in accordance with the provisions of current legislation based on the relevance of the subject of the candidate’s first degree with the subject area of the postgraduate programme, the grades received in first degree qualifications,
the grades received on the thesis and undergraduate courses related to the MA, the candidate’s certified proficiency in the English language and the candidate’s curriculum vitae.

5. Interested parties are invited to submit their application by September 30th, 2022 or until places are filled, by following instructions at the link https://www.ihu.gr/ucips/shsse/applications.

Application documentation must include the following:
- A completed application form (a passport size photograph in digital form must also be attached in the application)
- A detailed curriculum vitae
- Copy of the first cycle degree. For graduates of non-Greek institutions, a degree recognition is required from the “Hellenic National Recognition and Information Center” (D.O.A.T.A.P. in Greek).
- Copy of the transcript of grades
- Certification of English Language proficiency (level C1) is demonstrated by submitting one of the following titles proving very good level: IELTS (6.5 or above), TOEFL (95 or above), TOEIC (745 or above). In case of absence of these, other certificates are also acceptable which prove, however, very good knowledge of English, according to those standards designated by the Greek Authority ASEP. Candidates who do not possess the relevant certification may submit an application on the understanding that, in order to be allowed to commence Postgraduate Studies, they must submit such a certificate by September 30th, 2022.

6. Further information is available from the Secretariat and the Programme Manager of the School of Humanities, Social Sciences and Economics of the University Center of International Programmes of Studies of the International Hellenic University (tel. 2310 807526/523, email: info@ihu.edu.gr).

Compliance with the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) (EE 2016/679)
Prospective students who submit an application and the supporting documents, give their consent to the processing of their personal data for the purpose of assessment of their candidacy in order to become accepted to a postgraduate programme of the International Hellenic University. If a candidate is not selected, his/her details are deleted from the School’s archives within a period of 30 days. A candidate whose application is not successful is entitled to receive the documents submitted, otherwise the documents are destroyed within 30 days.

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The Dean of the School
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