

# UNIVERSITY OF MISKOLC



## CALL FOR APPLICATIONS to doctoral (PhD) programmes

The University of Miskolc is calling for applications to doctoral programmes for the academic year 2023/24 in its accredited doctoral schools.

Eligible applicants are students in their last year of studies and those having a university or master's degree. Acknowledgement of foreign qualification level must be requested by the applicant, attaching the authentic copies of the diploma and any documents certifying the duration and successful completion of studies as well as the authentic translations of the above documents. The University accepts non-authentic translations of documents and certificates issued in English, German, French and Spanish. The relevant Disciplinary Doctoral Council decides on the acknowledgement of documents and certificates issued in other languages).

### Requirements and conditions:

- a university diploma certifying university studies completed with a successful final (state) examination awarded with at least “good” or “cum laude” honours, or a diploma certifying the earning of a master’s degree with the same qualification,
- proof of language proficiency in the field of study necessary to do research as defined in the regulations of the doctoral school,
- an appropriate level of professional knowledge in the selected topic.

Initial certified scholarly/professional achievement (e.g. publication, Pro Scientia gold medal, studies in another higher education institution abroad, publication, award-winning TDK (Scientific Students' Association) paper or other similar activities) is an advantage.

### Documents to be attached:

- a copy of the course record (that of the registration course book or printed from Neptun or diploma supplement),
- a copy of the diploma (the original must be presented as well),
- a professional CV,

- a copy of the certificate of language proficiency,
- a certificate of participation in Scientific Students' Association,
- a copy of publications and conference papers,
- a proposal for the doctoral research topic (research plan),
- a receipt certifying the payment of admission procedure fee,

The doctoral schools may set other specific requirements for their programmes which are available on the website of the doctoral schools ([uni-miskolc.hu/phd-kepzes](https://uni-miskolc.hu/phd-kepzes)).

#### **Assessment criteria:**

The admission board conducts an oral examination to assess the applicant's professional knowledge, ideas about his or her doctoral work, previous scholarly activities and language proficiency. The board scores the applicants' performance with maximum 100 points, ranks them and either recommends or does not recommend their admission.

In order to get admitted, applicants must get a minimum of 60 points. A score of 60 points is only a necessary condition for admission but does not mean automatic admission. The admission boards rank applicants according to the scores achieved and submit these ranking orders to the doctoral council of the relevant discipline. The doctoral councils then make a proposal about admission taking into account the grant limits received from the University Doctoral Council as well as other possibilities and capacity of the doctoral school. Decisions on admission are made by the University Doctoral Council.

Students who apply before their final examination may only be admitted conditionally.

Admission can only be finalised if the applicant's diploma receives at least "good" or "cum laude" honours.

Admitted full-time students are eligible for a scholarship. Admitted state-funded scholarship holders receive dormitory placement in justified cases and are required to pay dorm fees corresponding to their student status.

**Application deadline:** 16 May 2023

**Estimated date of oral examination:** June 2023

**Estimated date for release of admission decisions:** July 2023

**Admission procedure fee:** 150 EUR

The application form can be downloaded from the website of the University of Miskolc

(<https://www.uni-miskolc.hu/phd-kepzes> ).

Deadline for submission of the application package is 16 May 2022. The application package needs to be submitted in person to the Directorate for Scientific and International Affairs of the University of Miskolc (Miskolc – University, Room 111 Building A/4) during office hours (Monday to Thursday 9:00-16:00, Friday 9:00-13:30) or electronically to the following address: [judit.szucsne.kovacs@uni-miskolc.hu](mailto:judit.szucsne.kovacs@uni-miskolc.hu).

The Directorate for Scientific and International Affairs forwards the application packages which are found suitable after a formal inspection to the respective doctoral schools. The copies can be authenticated on the basis the original documents at the Directorate for Scientific and International Affairs of the University of Miskolc (Miskolc – University, Room 111 Building A/4) during office hours (Monday to Thursday 9:00-16:00, Friday 9:00-13:30).

The admission procedure fee can be paid by bank transfer.

Bank account number of the university: MKB Bank Nyrt 10102718-51382100-01005004

Note to add: PhD admission procedure fee, as well as the financial ID of the relevant doctoral school as follows:

Mikoviny Sámuel Doctoral School of Earth Sciences **MFSZ50400T**

Kerpely Antal Doctoral School of Materials Science and Technology **AKKE04002T**

Sályi István Doctoral School of Mechanical Engineering Sciences **GEKE04003T**

Hatvany József Doctoral School for Information Sciences **GEKE04004T**

Deák Ferenc Doctoral School of Law **AJSZ50400T**

Hantos Elemér Doctoral School of Business and Management and Regional Sciences **GTSZ50400T**

Doctoral School of Literary Studies **BTKE04001T**

Anyone preparing individually for obtaining a doctoral degree may join **the second, research and dissertation phase of the doctoral training** provided they have fulfilled the general requirements for admission. Application deadline is 15 April or 15 November of the current year. The complex examination is administered after the approval of the appointed admission board. The research and dissertation phase shall begin after the applicant has passed the complex examination and following the admission decision of the Doctoral Council of the University. The admission requirements for the complex examination are laid down in the operational regulations of the Disciplinary Doctoral Councils.

The doctoral schools inviting applicants are listed in Annex 1.

The call for application, the application form and the Regulation of the Doctoral Training and the Doctoral Degree Award Procedure of the University of Miskolc are available at the university website <https://www.uni-miskolc.hu/phd-kepzes>. Additional information is available at the National Doctoral Database ([www.doktori.hu](http://www.doktori.hu)).

Miskolc, 20 March 2023



Prof. Dr. Péter Szűcs

vice rector



### Doctoral Schools of the University of Miskolc

Faculty	Name of Doctoral School	Head of Doctoral School	E-mail
Materials Science and Engineering	Antal Kerpely Doctoral School of Material Sciences and Technologies <a href="http://www.kerpely.uni-miskolc.hu">www.kerpely.uni-miskolc.hu</a>	Prof. Valéria MERTINGER	<a href="mailto:valeria.mertinger@uni-miskolc.hu">valeria.mertinger@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
Law	Ferenc Deák Doctoral School of Law <a href="https://jogikar.uni-miskolc.hu/deak_ferenc_doktori_iskola">https://jogikar.uni-miskolc.hu/deak_ferenc_doktori_iskola</a>	Prof. Erika RÓTH JÁMBORNÉ	<a href="mailto:erika.roth@uni-miskolc.hu">erika.roth@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
Arts	Doctoral School of Literary Studies web: <a href="http://www.uni-miskolc.hu/~bolphd">www.uni-miskolc.hu/~bolphd</a>	Prof. Gábor KECSKEMÉTI	<a href="mailto:gabor.kecskemeti2@uni-miskolc.hu">gabor.kecskemeti2@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
Economics	Hantos Elemér Doctoral School of Business, Management and Regional Sciences <a href="http://.gtk.uni-miskolc.hu/doktoriiskola">http://.gtk.uni-miskolc.hu/doktoriiskola</a>	Prof. Tamás SIKOS T.	<a href="mailto:tamas.sikos.t@uni-miskolc.hu">tamas.sikos.t@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
Mechanical Engineering and Informatics	József Hatvany Doctoral School of Information Science, Engineering and Technology web: <a href="http://www.hjphd.iit.uni-miskolc.hu">www.hjphd.iit.uni-miskolc.hu</a>	Prof. Jenő SZIGETI	<a href="mailto:jeno.szigeti@uni-miskolc.hu">jeno.szigeti@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
	István Sályi Doctoral School of Mechanical Engineering web: <a href="http://geik.uni-miskolc.hu/intezetek/SALYI">http://geik.uni-miskolc.hu/intezetek/SALYI</a>	Prof. Gabriella BOGNÁR VADÁSZNÉ	<a href="mailto:gabriella.v.bognar@uni-miskolc.hu">gabriella.v.bognar@uni-miskolc.hu</a>
Earth Science and Engineering	Sámuel Mikoviny Doctoral School of Earth Sciences <a href="https://mfk.uni-miskolc.hu/doktori-kepzes">https://mfk.uni-miskolc.hu/doktori-kepzes</a>	Prof. Péter SZŰCS	<a href="mailto:peter.szucs@uni-miskolc.hu">peter.szucs@uni-miskolc.hu</a>