



## GRADUATE CAREER TRACKING SYSTEM (DPR) AND MOTIVATION TESTS

The Graduate Career Tracking System (hereinafter: DPR) is one of the most important higher education research systems in Hungary, which collects real, credible data on the labour market situation of graduates. The aim of the system is to help students in career planning and self-awareness developing. The University of Miskolc considers it important to continuously improve the quality of its courses, and to follow the career development of its graduates and to strengthen the attachment to the University.

The DPR's research is available to anyone on the [diplomantul.hu](http://diplomantul.hu) website, which is fully public and searchable by subject and institution. By setting various filters, the system highlights a range of noteworthy data, including:

- how quickly graduates from a course have found a job;
- how quickly they found a job after graduating, and in what positions they were most likely to find employment;
- the salary they can expect for a given qualification;
- and more information on how earnings in the chosen field have changed over the years.

The DPR's research not only collects data, but also explores student opinions and motivations. Incoming motivational survey looks at the goals and expectations students have when they enter higher education. This determines their attitude to learning, their subsequent achievement and even their career orientation. Why is it important to assess incoming motivation?

- It can predict academic success or risk of dropping out.
- It can help to improve courses: if institutions understand the expectations of students, they can better support them.
- Career guidance programmes and counselling can be better targeted

Outgoing motivational survey looks at the state, goals and attitudes of students when they leave higher education institutions. This is key for career entry, labour market validation and lifelong learning. Why else is it important to measure outgoing motivation? Why else is it important to measure outgoing motivation?

- It indicates how successful the training programme has been in preparing students.
- It helps in career tracking: what proportion of people are in the right field for their qualifications.
- It reflects the socio-economic benefits of higher education.
- Provides feedback to institutions to improve the quality of training.

In addition to the DPR survey, the EUROSTUDENT survey is another important milestone in measuring student satisfaction. EUROSTUDENT is an international research project that examines the social and economic situation of students in higher education across Europe. The survey, which is repeated every three years, aims to collect comparable data on students in different countries, with a focus on their living conditions, learning environment, income sources, expenditure, mobility experiences and equal opportunities.

The next data collection will take place in the 2nd semester of the 2024/2025 school year, using the same online questionnaire method as the other surveys. The survey, which will be conducted almost simultaneously in almost 30 countries, will allow not only a scientific analysis of higher education in each country, but also an international comparative analysis of higher education in Europe. You can be part of an international survey that gives a picture of our living conditions, income, expenditure and learning opportunities - not just for decision-makers, but for us too.

**IF YOU CARE ABOUT YOUR FUTURE, USE DPR AND GET INVOLVED IN RESEARCH,  
BECAUSE YOUR FEEDBACK REALLY MATTERS!**

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