

Universidade Católica Portuguesa is 57 years old, institution public interest. It is nationally and internationally distinguished by its high-quality teaching, its top research, and its service to the community.



UNIVERSITY

17

Teaching Units

15

Research Units

126

Study Cycles



FACULTY MEMBERS

1 058

National faculty

225

International faculty



STUDENTS

12 634

Undergraduate, Master's and Ph.D.

7 549

Post-graduate & executive education



INTERNATIONALIZATION

3 870

International students

108

Nationalities

763

Mobility Protocols



EMPLOYABILITY

97%

employment rate of graduates

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

ADMISSION PROCEDURES TO BACHELOR'S OR INTEGRATED MASTER'S DEGREES UNDER THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT STATUTE

To be qualified for the International Student Statute, applicants must comply with the following requirements:

NATITONALITY REQUIREMENTS

- Not to be a national of a European Union Member State.
- Not to be a direct descendant, spouse (husband/wife) or partner of a national of a European Union Member State.
- Not having been legally and uninterruptedly residing in Portugal for more than two years. In this context, the date to be considered is the 1st of January of the year in which you intend to access higher education (yourself, your spouse or any of the parents with whom you lawfully reside).
- Not to be a beneficiary of the Equal Rights and Duties status. This right is conferred by international treaties between the Portuguese State and the State of the applicant.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- The following conditions must be met cumulatively: To have completed an educational degree that is equivalent to the Portuguese secondary education OR to have an educational qualification that grants access to higher education in the country of origin.

To hold one of the following items, as ranked below:

- Final exam for secondary education at the country of origin that may be considered as an equivalent to the to the required exam for the program you wish to apply to;
- Passing grade at the secondary school subject in your home country at hat may be considered as an equivalent to the required exam for the program you wish to apply to;
- National admissions exams in Portugal that are required for the program you wish to apply to.

Other options may be available on a case-by-case assessment by the University (e.g. for some programs, applicants can take admission exams at UCP).

APPLICATION SCORE

The application score is determined using the final grade from secondary education as well as the grade for the access exams(s).

The application score (except for Cinema, International Undergraduate Programs – in Business Administration and in Economics & Finance -, Medicine and Sound and Image,) is estimated according to the following formula:

Final grading from secondary education or from the legally equivalent diploma: **60%**
Grading of the entry exam or exams (in case the requirements are 2 exams, we will consider 20% of each): **40%**

For the undergraduate Programs in Cinema, International Undergraduate Programs in Business Administration and in Economics & Finance, Medicine and Sound and Image, there is also a prerequisite requirement. The formula for determining the access grade is as follows:

Final grading of the secondary education course or from the legally equivalent diploma: **50%**

Grading from entry exams: **35%**

Grading from prerequisite: **15%**

PREREQUISITES

- Medicine: Proof of English Proficiency - C1 CEFR | Group A – Interpersonal Communication | Motivation letter | Skills tests | Interview
- International Undergraduate Programs in Business Administration and in Economics & Finance - Proof of English Proficiency - C1 CEFR | Motivation letter | Curriculum Vitae | when required, an elevator Pitch Video (1 minute) and Interview
- Cinema and Sound and Image: Individual survey, portfolio (optional), and an interview if/when required
- Dental Medicine and Nursing: Group A – Interpersonal Communication

DOCUMENTS

- Copy of Identification Document (passport)
- Diploma and detailed secondary school transcripts or equivalent document (including a list of completed courses including grading and final mark) ^{[1][2]}
- A proof certificate of final exams regarding secondary school subjects ^{[1][2]}, at your home country, including the individual grade for each subject..
- Declaration of honor that the applicant is eligible for "international student" status
- Certificate of Proficiency in Portuguese or English, B2 level or a comparable one (depending on whether the program is taught in Portuguese or in English)
- Declaration issued by the official education authority at the home country, stating that the secondary education qualification held by the applicant, meets the specific Program access requirements to at local Higher Education Institutions. ^[2]

^[1] These documents should include the grading scale used, as well as the minimum and maximum marks for approval. If it does not, the candidate must attach an official declaration issued by the educational institution, where that information is included.

^[2] These documents must be authenticated by the Portuguese embassy or consulate in the issuing country, or to include the Hague Apostille. When written in a foreign language other than Spanish, French or English, the documents must be translated in accordance with the Portuguese notary laws.

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- Faculty of Law – Porto School
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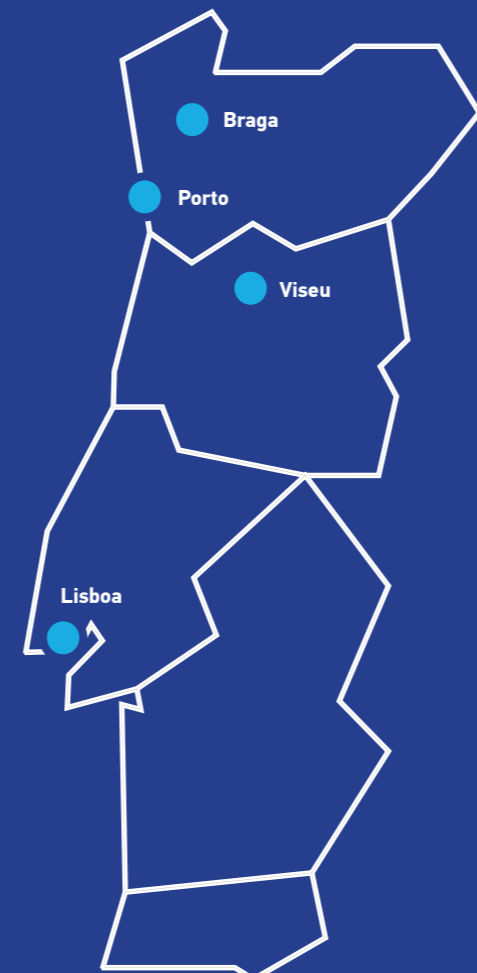
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BACHELOR'S AND INTEGRATED MASTER'S DEGREES



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LISBOA						lisboa.ucp.pt
DEGREES	CODES ADMISSION exams in Portugal	EXAM: ADMISSION MINIMUM SCORE <small>Portuguese grading 0-200</small>	APPLICATION: MINIMUM SCORE <small>Portuguese grading 0-200</small>	PROGRAM DURATION AND LANGUAGE OF INSTRUCTION	YEARLY FEE* <small>To be paid in 10 installments</small>	
APPLIED FOREIGN LANGUAGES	(13) English or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 950€ 6 150€**	
COMMUNICATION AND CULTURAL SCIENCES	(11) History or (13) English or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 950€ 6 150€**	
EXECUTIVE BACHELOR IN COMMERCIAL AND RETAIL MANAGEMENT (E-LEARNING)	(17) Applied Mathematics for Social Sciences	100	-	3 years Portuguese	4 500€	
INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	(19) Mathematics A	120	140	3 years English	6 830€	
INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM IN ECONOMICS & FINANCE	(19) Mathematics A	120	140	3 years English	6 830€	
LAW	Two of the following exams: (06) Philosophy; (11) History; (16) Mathematics; (18) Portuguese	95	100	4 years Portuguese	5 250€	
MEDICINE (INTEGRATED MASTER)	(02) Biology and Geology (B) and (07) Physics and Chemistry (C) and (16) Mathematics	140	150	6 years English	17 950€ 23 250€**	
NURSING	One of the following set of courses: (02) Biology and Geology or (02) Biology and Geology and (07) Physics and Chemistry or (02) Biology and Geology and (16) Mathematics	95	100	4 years Portuguese	5 640€	
PHILOSOPHY (E-LEARNING)	(06) Philosophy or (11) History or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 650€ 5 850€**	
PHILOSOPHY, POLITICS AND ECONOMICS (PPE)	One of the following sets: (19) Mathematics A or (18) Portuguese and (19) Mathematics A or (06) Philosophy and (19) Mathematics A	95	120	3 years Portuguese	5 400€	
POLITICAL SCIENCE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS	(11) History or (13) English or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 950€	
PSYCHOLOGY	(02) Biology and Geology or (17) Applied Mathematics for Social Sciences or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 950€ 6 150€**	
SOCIAL WORK	(11) History or (17) Applied Mathematics for Social Sciences or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 950€ 6 150€**	

Visa and Residence Permit

Non-European (Non-EU) Citizens:

For stays longer than three months and up to one year, non-EU students need to apply for a Student Visa in their home country or country of residence before entry into Portugal. A Student Visa may take up to 2-3 months to be completed. While staying in our country students will be required to renew their Student Visas.

For stays longer than one-year, non-EU students need a Residence Permit. To apply for a Residence Permit, students need to have completed and entered a Resident Visa into their passport before entry into Portugal. You can apply for the Resident Visa at a Portuguese embassy or a Portuguese consulate in your home country or your country of residence. Residence Permits take between 3 weeks to a month to be issued by our authorities.

There are specific services at each campus to assist the students with finding the most suited accommodation option as well as to assist the students with all the practicalities regarding their moving to Portugal.

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ART – CONSERVATION AND RESTORATION	(11) History or (12) History of Culture and Arts or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 100€	
BIOENGINEERING	(One of the following sets: (19) Mathematics A or (02) Biology and Geology and (19) Mathematics A or (07) Physics and Chemistry and (19) Mathematics A	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 790€	
CINEMA	(03) Drawing or (06) Philosophy or (11) History or (12) History of Culture and Arts or (17) Applied Mathematics for Social Sciences or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 760€	
ECONOMICS	(19) Mathematics A	95	100	3 years 2 tracks available both in Portuguese and English	5 715€	
LAW	(11) History or (16) Mathematics or (18) Portuguese	95	100	4 years Portuguese	5 295€	
LIBERAL SCIENCES	(02) Biology and Geology or (07) Physics and Chemistry or (16) Mathematics	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 790€	
MANAGEMENT	(19) Mathematics A	95	100	3 years 2 tracks available both in Portuguese and English	5 715€	
MICROBIOLOGY	(02) Biology and Geology or (07) Physics and Chemistry or (16) Mathematics	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 790€	
NURSING	One of the following sets: (02) Biology and Geology or (02) Biology and Geology and (07) Physics and Chemistry or (02) Biology and Geology and (16) Mathematics	95	100	4 years Portuguese	5 640€	
NUTRITIONAL SCIENCES	(02) Biology and Geology	95	100	4 years Portuguese	5 790€	
PSYCHOLOGY	(02) Biology and Geology or (17) Applied Mathematics for Social Sciences or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 160€	
SOUND AND IMAGE	(09) Geography or (10) Descriptive Geometry or (12) History of Culture and Arts or (13) English or (16) Mathematics or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	5 760€	

Accommodation

The University does not offer on campus accommodation. In Lisbon and Braga, the University has Residences near the campuses. In Lisbon female University Residence and a mixed one in Braga.

In Porto and Viseu the University offers a wide range of private accommodation for students, like residences, apartments and rooms at reasonable prices.

Health

If you are a Non-European Union (Non-EU) Citizen, valid International Insurance is necessary. You should check with the service provider which Health units you can use during your stay. However, as a norm, you should always check what coverage your national health insurance provider gives you.

Life in Portugal

BRAGA						braga.ucp.pt
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APPLIED DATA SCIENCE	(19) Mathematics or (19) Mathematics and (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	
COMMUNICATION AND MEDIA STUDIES	(11) History or (13) English or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	
PHILOSOPHY	(06) Philosophy or (11) History or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	
PORTUGUESE STUDIES	(11) History or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	
PSYCHOLOGY	(02) Biology and Geology or (06) Philosophy or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	
SOCIAL WORK	(11) History or (13) English or (18) Portuguese	95	100	4 years Portuguese	4 395€	
TOURISM	(13) English or (16) Mathematics or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 395€	

VISEU						viseu.ucp.pt
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BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES	(02) Biology and Geology or (07) Physics and Chemistry or (16) Mathematics	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 860€	
DENTAL MEDICINE (INTEGRATED MASTER)	One of the following sets: (02) Biology and Geology or (02) Biology and Geology and (07) Physics and Chemistry or (02) Biology and Geology and (19) Mathematics A	95	130	5 years Portuguese	8 295€	
MANAGEMENT	(04) Economy or (16) Mathematics	95	100	3 years Portuguese	4 080€	

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RELIGIOUS AND THEOLOGICAL STUDIES (E-LEARNING)	(11) History or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	3 675€	
THEOLOGY (OFFERED IN 3 DIFFERENT LOCATIONS: LISBOA, PORTO AND BRAGA)	(11) History or (18) Portuguese	95	100	3 years Portuguese	3 675€	

* Fees for the academic year 2023/24

** Yearly fee for non-European Union Citizens;

*** Application must be submitted using one of the following options:

- Portuguese National Exams: 02 - Biology and Geology AND 07 - Physics and chemistry E 16 - Mathematics; OR
1. Foreign secondary education final exams when those are recognized as equivalent to the access exams in that specific country (ex: IB, SAT, AICE)
OR
- Written, on site exams offered by Católica Medical School. These exams are only offered in English and are focused on the same topics as the Portuguese national admissions' exams.



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