

### International Relations MA admission exam requirements 2023 non-central admission procedure

Name(s) of graduate program(s)	International Relations MA
Type of the exam	Written
Name of the exam	Competency profile
Duration of the exam	60 minutes
Method of the exam	online written
Short description of the exam	Competency measurement: we measure logical and critical thinking and numerical reasoning and information processing.
Materials that can be used during the exam	-
Recommended reading materials	-
Topics	-
Sample questions	Which number is the solution of the task? 5; 7; 11; 17; 25; ? The Monday relates to the Thursday so than, the Friday relation the ....? A: Tuesday B : Saturday C : Sunday D: Monday E: Wednesday The 400 seats in a parliament are divided amongst five political parties. No two parties have the same number of seats, and each has at least 20 seats. What is the largest number of seats that the third largest party can have? A: 22 B:118 C :119 D: 120 E:121

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Type of the exam	<b>Written</b>
Name of the exam	Essay on a given IR topic
Duration of the exam	
Method of the exam	Applicants are required to write a cca. 2000 word long essay with references. A research question has to be formulated, methods applied have to be chosen adequately and a short conclusion has to be included.
Short description of the exam	Two broader topics are given for applicants. Please, choose one of them and narrow it down to a specific question, case study, thematic issue, etc.
Materials that can be used during the exam	Mostly academic literature, databanks
Recommended reading materials	Finding relevant literature is part of the exam
Topics	Please choose one of the topics: A) How does climate change influence inter-state relations? B) The US-China rivalry
Sample questions	

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Name(s) of graduate program(s)	International Relations MA
Type of the exam	<b>Oral</b>
Name of the exam	Motivational and professional interview
Duration of the exam	cca. 15 minutes
Method of the exam	Online interview
Short description of the exam	Members of the exam committee ask questions regarding previous studies, motivation of the applicant and recent issues in IR are to be discussed.
Materials that can be used during the exam	None
Recommended reading materials	News and analysis from international media; Karen A. Mingst - Heather Elko McKibben - Ivan M. Arreguín Toft (2018): Essentials of International Relations. Eighth Edition.   New York : W.W. Norton and Company. Elérhető: <a href="http://www.lcwu.edu.pk/ocd/cfiles/Political%20Science/Maj/Pol.Sc-303/EssentialsofInternationalRelationsEighthEditionbyKarenA.Mingst.pdf">http://www.lcwu.edu.pk/ocd/cfiles/Political%20Science/Maj/Pol.Sc-303/EssentialsofInternationalRelationsEighthEditionbyKarenA.Mingst.pdf</a>
Topics	Contemporary international issues, main actors in world affairs, international political and economic trends, international crises and conflicts
Sample questions	Explain the EU's position on the war in Ukraine! Discuss the COVID-19 pandemic as a global challenge and its impacts on inter-state relations! Is a 'new Cold War' emerging?