UNIVERSITY OF WEST BOHEMIA

- 9 faculties, 4 research centres, 2 university institutes
- 11,500 students
- 600 international students every year
- 275 study programmes
- 10 dormitories, 2 canteens, 3 snack bars and 4 cafés
- 5 university library locations
- 555 international partner institutions
- more than 70 scientific, research, and development teams
- various exchange programmes
- extensive range of sports and sports grounds
- support for sports students
- wide offer of sports facilities

UWB EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- **Days of Science and Technology** | this interactive exhibition turns the Pilsen centre into a science laboratory for two days
- **Night of Scientists** | pan-European science and technology festival
- **Summer schools** | if you don't want to leave the campus, it lives even during the holidays. You can choose from art, language or technically oriented summer schools.
- **Job Fair** | students network with potential employers
- **Year One** | a festival that will help every freshman enter the university world
- **Bandage Battle of the Bands** | competition and festival of student bands
- **Hockey Battle of Pilsen** | hockey duel between the University of West Bohemia in Pilsen and the Faculty of Medicine of the Charles University
- **Student Ball** | the largest student social event
- **University Vampires** | voluntary blood donation
- **Running with the Rector** | relay race with the rector on campus
- **Beer with the Rector** | the rector pulls beer for students at the Pilsner Urquell brewery
FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

• part of the University since its foundation
• combination of disciplines rooted in Engineering and Natural Sciences
• active participation of students in the implementation of research and development projects
• highly qualified graduates with excellent prospects on the job market
• a modern building on campus right next to a tram stop
• NTIS Research Centre (New Technologies for the Information Society)
• laboratories with state-of-the-art instruments
• Faculty of 2019 in the field of Technology
• a variety of summer schools offers
• intensive cooperation with professionals
• six departments
BACHELOR'S PROGRAMMES:
• Mathematics and its Applications
• Mathematics for Business Studies
• Computer Science and Engineering
  Computer Science
  Computer Engineering
• Information Systems
• Cybernetics and Control Engineering
  Automatic Control and Robotics
  Artificial Intelligence and Automation
• Applied Physics and Physical Engineering
• Computer Modelling in Mechanics
• Geomatics
• Civil Engineering

MASTER'S PROGRAMMES:
• Mathematics and its Applications
• Mathematics for Business Studies
• Teaching of Mathematics at Secondary Schools
• Teaching of Physics at Secondary Schools
• Civil Engineering
  Design and Construction of Buildings
  Management and Control of the Building Operation
• Land-Use Planning
  Building Information Modeling
  Strategic Planning of Cities and Regions
• Applied Physics and Physical Engineering
• Applied Mechanics
  Dynamics of Structures and Mechatronics
  Biomechanics and Mechanics of Modern Materials
  Calculations and Design
• Geomatics
• Computer Science and Engineering
  Information Systems
  Medical Informatics
  Computer Graphics
  Computer Systems and Networks
  Software Engineering
• Applied Sciences and Computer Engineering
  Cybernetics and Control Engineering

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES:
• Mathematics*
• Computer Science and Engineering*
• Cybernetics*
• Geomatics*
• Plasma Physics and Physics of Thin Films*
• Applied Mechanics**

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All programmes taught in Czech.
Programmes marked with * also offered in English.
The English programme Applied Mechanics marked with ** is now in the process of accreditation, expected to be open during the summer semester - see the faculty websites.
LADISLAV SUTNAR FACULTY OF DESIGN AND ART

- young art faculty
- work with traditional and modern crafts, technologies and materials
- promotion of interdisciplinary approaches and inspiration
- team of respected artist-teachers
- ability to cooperate with leading experts from technical faculties
- development of practical skills by carrying out real projects
- unique open space studios
- the largest film and animation studio in the Czech Republic
- the largest archive of works of art by Ladislav Sutnar in Europe
- ArtCamp Summer School
- gallery in the city centre
BACHELOR’S PROGRAMMES:

Fine Arts
- Graphic Art
- Metal and Jewellery
- Painting
- New Media
- Sculpture and Space

Graphic Design and Illustration
- Didactic Illustration
- Graphic Design and Digital Media
- Graphic Design and Visual Communication
- Comics and Illustration for Children
- Book Design and Paper Shaping

Audiovisual Art
- Animation
- Photography
- Interactive Design
- Media Illustration
- Multimedia

Design and Applied Arts
- Furniture and Interior Design
- Fashion Design
- Ceramic Design
- Product Design
- Industrial Design
- Enviromental Design for Architecture

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FACULTY OF ECONOMICS

- one of the founding faculties of UWB
- well qualified staff and guest lecturers
- a building in the centre of the Bory campus
- operations in the Karlovy Vary region - a fully equipped building in Cheb, including accommodation with about five departments
- 60+ partner universities in the EU, East Asia, USA and Mexico
- cooperation with companies and experts
- relationships with both commercial and non-profit sectors as well as state administration
- activities focusing on sustainability and social responsibility
BACHELOR’S PROGRAMMES:

- Business Economics and Management
- Marketing Management
- System Engineering and Informatics
- Information Systems Management
- Project Management
- Economic and Regional Geography

MASTER’S PROGRAMMES:

- Business Economics and Management
- Information Systems Management
- Project and Process Management
- Economic and Regional Geography

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME:

- Economics and Management*

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FACULTY OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

- implementation of study programmes with an impact throughout the Czech Republic
- an individual approach to all students
- the possibility of studying abroad
- RICE Research Centre (Research and Innovation Centre for Electrical Engineering)
- active participation of students in research and development projects
- highly qualified graduates with the most up-to-date knowledge and practical skills
- scientific and research collaboration with universities and research institutes around the world
- cooperation on projects with leading industrial partners
- a modern building in the heart of the campus
- five departments
BACHELOR’S PROGRAMME
- Electrical Engineering and Information Technology

MASTER’S PROGRAMMES
- Electronics and Information Technology
  - Electronics
  - Power Electronics Technology
  - Information and Communication Technology
- Electrical Power Engineering
  - Power Electronics Technology and Drives
  - Electric Machines Design
  - Electrical Power Engineering
- Materials and Technologies for Electrical Engineering
- Applied Electrical Engineering

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME:
- Electrical Engineering and Information Technology*

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All programmes taught in Czech.
The programme marked with * also offered in English.
FACULTY OF ARTS

- wide range of disciplines in the social sciences and humanities
- important role in the region's cultural development
- situated in the heart of Plzeň
- diverse international cooperation
- rich offer of foreign language teaching
- graduates usually find jobs with cultural and educational institutions, in journalism, publishing, public administration or the non-profit sector
- ten departments
FACULTY OF ARTS

STUDY

BACHELOR'S PROGRAMMES:
• Archaeology
• Cultural Studies of the Middle East
• Foreign Languages for Business
  French
  Russian
  German
• Foreign Relations
• History
• Humanities Studies
• International Regional Studies
• Philosophy
• Social Work
• Society and Politics

MASTER'S PROGRAMMES:
• Archaeology
• Area Studies: Bavarian Studies
• Cultural Studies of the Middle East
• Humanities Studies
• International Relations
• Modern History
• Philosophy for Artificial Intelligence*
• Political Science
• Social and Cultural Anthropology
• Sociology
• Teaching French at Secondary Schools

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES:
• Archaeology*
• History and Philosophy of Science and Technology
• Modern History*
• International Relations

All programmes taught in Czech.
Programmes marked with * also offered in English.

APPLICATION
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FACULTY OF EDUCATION

- outstanding degree programmes for future professionals in various areas and levels of education
- wide range of programmes as part of Lifelong Learning (aimed at continuous teacher training)
- the oldest faculty in the UWB family
- situated in the city centre
- close connection with professionals – cooperation with kindergartens and schools
- a new network of faculty schools
- modern technologies in curriculum (virtual classroom)
- fourteen departments and centres
BACHELOR’S PROGRAMMES:
- Biology in Education
- Physics in Education
- Geography in Education
- Chemistry in Education
- Information Technologies in Education
- Mathematics in Education
- Technology and Design in Education
- Physical Education and Sport
- Sport in Education
- English Language in Education
- Czech Language in Education
- History in Education
- Music in Education
- German Language in Education
- Russian Language in Education
- Arts and Culture in Education
- Preschool and Out-of-School Pedagogy
- Health Education
- Civics in Education
- Special Pedagogy

MASTER’S PROGRAMMES – 2 YEARS:
- Lower Secondary School Teacher Training, choose 2 specializations:
  - English Language, Biology, Czech Language, History, Physics, Geography, Music, Chemistry, Informatics, Mathematics, German Language, Russian Language, Technology and Design, Sport, Health Education, Arts

All programmes taught in Czech.

MASTER’S PROGRAMME – 5 YEARS:
- Primary School Teacher Training

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME:
- Music Theory and Pedagogy

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STUDY
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FACULTY OF LAW

- team of experts known for their erudition and outstanding work in legislative processes
- highly qualified graduates who find excellent opportunities on the job market
- a registered historic building in the center of Pilsen
- intensive cooperation with practitioners
- eleven departments
- repeatedly at the top of the Faculty of the Year poll
BACHELOR’S PROGRAMME:
- Legal specialization

MASTER’S PROGRAMME – 2 YEARS:
- Public Administration

MASTER’S PROGRAMME – 5 YEARS:
- Law and Legal Science

DOCTORAL PROGRAMME:
- Theoretical Legal Sciences

All programmes taught in Czech.

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FACULTY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

- education and research with majors in both traditional engineering and modern areas
- highly qualified professionals very much in demand in the labour market
- headquartered in the center of the campus
- regularly at the top of the competition
- Schools Recommended by Employers
- RTI Research Centre (Regional Institute of Technology)
- six departments
- close cooperation with industrial companies
- quality education directly linked with up-to-date engineering practices
FACULTY OF MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

STUDY

BACHELOR’S PROGRAMMES:

- Mechanical Engineering
  Design Engineering of Power Machines and Equipment
  Design Engineering of Machines and Technical Devices
  Engineering Materials and Technology
  Industrial Engineering and Management
  Technology of Metal Cutting
  Engineering Materials and Manufacturing Technology
- Engineering
  Automotive Industry Specialist
  Quality Control
  Programming of NC Machines

MASTER’S PROGRAMMES:

- Design of Power Machines and Equipment
- Design Engineering of Machines and Technical Devices
  Design Engineering of:
  - Manufacturing Machines and Equipment
  - Vehicles and Handling Machinery
  - Health and Cooperative Technology
- Machining, Additive Technology and Quality Assurance
- Materials Science and Manufacturing Technology
- Industrial Engineering and Management
- Smart Manufacturing Systems**

DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES:

- Theory and Construction of Machines*
- Manufacturing and Materials*
- Industrial Engineering and Management*

All programmes taught in Czech.
Programmes marked with * also offered in English.
The English programme Smart Manufacturing Systems marked with ** is now in the process of accreditation, expected to be open on September 2022 – see the faculty websites.

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FACULTY OF HEALTH CARE STUDIES

- bachelor and master programmes in various disciplines for allied health professionals (excluding the training of future medical doctors)
- practical training in the main hospitals of the Pilsen and the Karlovy Vary regions
- qualified graduates with the scientific and theoretical knowledge combined with practical skills
- situated in the city center
- unique classrooms equipped with an ambulance simulator, a virtual autopsy table and a skiagraphic device for imaging body tissue
- intensive international cooperation
- close connection with professionals
- three departments
FACULTY OF HEALTH CARE STUDIES

BACHELOR’S PROGRAMMES:

• Ergotherapy
• Physiotherapy
• Laboratory Diagnostics in Healthcare
• Midwifery
• Radiological assistance
• Medical Rescue
• General Nursing

All programmes taught in Czech.

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PILSEN

- Fourth largest city in the Czech Republic (160,000 inhabitants)
- World-famous traditions of mechanical engineering (the engineering complex Skoda)
- Rich architectural heritage (St. Bartholomew’s Cathedral, City Hall, Jewish synagogue, etc.)
- Good location of the city and thus a great opportunity to discover the continent
- Safe place to live (Czech Republic is among the top 10 safest countries in the world)
- Birthplace of Spejbl, Hurvinek and the world-famous lager
- Indians = excellent hockey
- Viktorka = great football
- International theater festival
- Film festival Finale
- Cultural zone DEPO2015
- Multi-genre summer festival Živá Ulice
- Four rivers and a lively river walk
- Parks everywhere you look
- Cafés with atmosphere
- Sports and beautiful nature
- Reasonable living expenses

PILSEN’S BEST

- The largest pub in the country - in the brewery complex
- The tallest church tower in the Czech Republic (102.26 m)
- The largest synagogue in the Czech Republic - the third largest in Europe and the fifth in the world
- The first city in the Czech Republic to build a completely new theater after 1989

#STUDUJPLZEN

www.plzen.eu
The University of West Bohemia is a public university that offers a wide range of study programmes in both Czech and English. Those who wish to improve their level of Czech or English can prepare themselves for studies by attending our preparatory language courses. UWB also offers double-degree programmes, which allow you to earn a degree at two universities/faculties at the same time.

Higher education institutions in the Czech Republic offer accredited degree programmes at 3 levels:
- Bachelor's (Undergraduate) – 3 years
- Master's (Postgraduate) – 2 years
- Doctoral (Postgraduate) – 3–4 years

Studies in the Czech language are free of charge. If you wish to study in English, the fee for an academic year is 3000–4000 € according to faculty (approx. 3600–4800 $) and is due before a student's enrolment in the University at the beginning of the academic year. The fee covers courses, consultations, examinations and access to the Library. Students with excellent results can gain a scholarship.

Due to intensified cooperation and long-term bonds with universities all over the world, the University of West Bohemia offers its students not only a wide range of accredited degree programmes but also a broad variety of exchange programmes and professional internships abroad.

Short Study Stays – We accept international students within the Erasmus+ programme and also within other national or international programmes and partnerships for 1 or 2 semesters.

Internships – Our faculties accept international students for internships within the Erasmus+ programme and also within other national or international programmes and agreements for one or more months.

International Office
The development of worldwide cooperation is one of the University’s priorities. The International Office is a centralized University division managing international activities and links, counselling on study and work placement opportunities abroad and taking care of international students, trainees, etc.

www.international.zcu.cz/en
Institute of Applied Language Studies
The Institute of Applied Language Studies offers semester and year-long intensive Czech language courses and preparatory courses in Czech for university study, which include additional professional subjects relating to the student's chosen major. Taking intensive Czech language courses and preparatory courses for university study helps students not only with their language skills, but also with getting familiar with their new environment.

www.ujp.zcu.cz
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International Summer Language School
We organize an International Summer Language School held every July. Students not only take intensive 3-week courses and master the language of their choice but also participate in social activities, sports, sightseeing events and excursions. This is a great opportunity to get to know the University, Pilsen and the Czech Republic!

Languages Offered:
- English
- French
- Czech for foreigners
- Spanish
- German
- Chinese
- Italian
- Russian

www.isls.zcu.cz

STUDY AT UWB

COURSES

ONE-YEAR-LONG PREPARATORY COURSE IN CZECH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDY (TECHNICAL FIELDS)
Duration: September to June
Goal: Achieve B1 Level in Czech
- 900 academic hours of Czech language
- 150 academic hours of Czech lessons specifically related to the chosen field of study
- Long-term visa for the purpose of study
Price: 4,200 €

SEMIESTER-LONG PREPARATORY COURSE IN CZECH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDY (TECHNICAL FIELDS)
Duration: January to June
Level of Czech Required to Apply: A2
Goal: Achieve B1 Level
- 450 academic hours of Czech language
- 150 academic hours of Czech lessons specifically related to the chosen field of study
- Long-term visa for the purpose of study
Price: 2,500 €

ONE-YEAR-LONG PREPARATORY COURSE IN CZECH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDY (ECONOMIC FIELDS)
Duration: September to June
Level of Czech Required to Apply: A2
Goal: Achieve B2 Level in Czech
- 900 academic hours of Czech language
- 150 academic hours of Czech lessons specifically related to the chosen field of study
- Long-term visa for the purpose of study
Price: 4,200 €

SEMIESTER-LONG PREPARATORY COURSE IN CZECH FOR UNIVERSITY STUDY (ECONOMIC FIELDS)
Duration: January to June
Level of Czech Required to Apply: B1
Goal: Achieve B2 Level
- 450 academic hours of Czech language
- 150 academic hours of Czech lessons specifically related to the chosen field of study
- Long-term visa for the purpose of study
Price: 2,500 €

ONE-YEAR-LONG INTENSIVE CZECH LANGUAGE COURSE
Duration: September to June
Goal: Achieve B1 Level in Czech
- 900 academic hours of Czech language
- Long-term visa for other purposes
Price: 3,400 €

SEMIESTER-LONG INTENSIVE CZECH LANGUAGE COURSE FOR BEGINNERS / PRE-INTERMEDIATE LEARNERS
Duration: September to December / January to June
Goal: Achieve A2 / B1 Level in Czech
- 450 academic hours of Czech language
- Long-term visa for other purposes
Price: 1,750 €
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Applicants for study at UWB should complete and submit an online application form and the following documents.

Online application form: complete and send by the deadline for submission of applications. Please make sure to contact the desired faculty about the deadlines!

Documents to be delivered to the Student Affairs Office of the faculty by the given deadline:
- certified copy of previous education
- copies of all other diplomas and qualification certificates obtained
- document or confirmation of English or Czech language knowledge

All documents must be submitted in English or as a verified translation into Czech.

1) Certified copy of previous education
Graduates from foreign schools and universities who wish to use their qualifications in the Czech Republic must have their foreign degrees officially recognized, depending on the level of degree obtained, either by Czech regional/city authorities or a Czech university that offers an identical/similar study programme.

The UWB also has an institutional accreditation, which offers the possibility of recognition of your previous education within the admission procedure to some of its faculties. Such a recognized education applies only to the particular faculty.

Please make sure to contact your faculty about the deadlines and regulations for providing the documents recognized either by the faculty or by Czech officials, as the conditions may vary.

2) Language proficiency
The majority of faculties at UWB require at least a B1 Czech or English language certificate from international students interested in bachelor’s, master’s or doctoral study programmes. To receive more information on levels, certificates, application deadlines and language testing opportunities at UWB, please contact the administration of the desired faculty.

Please note that Czech and English tests/qualifications normally need to have been taken within two years before your programme starts.
• Study terms and conditions of application procedures to your desired major/faculty are available on the webpage of every faculty under the part Studium/Study.

• Fill in an electronic application form before the given deadline, pay administrative fees and file all the required documents to the faculty officials.

• Go through the application process. It may be necessary to pass entrance exams (or an entrance interview) to study in certain faculties/majors. It is important to check both post and personal email regularly, following the instructions and deadlines.

• Apply for a long-term visa / long-term residence permit when admitted. If you pass through the stages of the application procedure successfully and receive a positive reply from your faculty, it is very important to file the paperwork for the long-term visa/long-term residence permit for the purpose of studies immediately. In this case, the University of West Bohemia will provide you with the necessary paperwork required for the visa office.

ACCOMMODATION AND MEALS
Accommodation is available for all international students at the University's own halls of residence. Prices vary depending on the room type: single/double/triple bedrooms. All halls of residence have fitted kitchens with facilities for self-catering. Students can take advantage of the University canteen offer.

APPROXIMATE LIVING EXPENSES IN PILSEN
Accommodation UWB: 110 €/month
Board at the UWB Cafeteria: 1–3 €/meal (students)
Public Transport: 10 €/month (students)

STUDENT LIFE
The University has a number of student clubs and organizations that are actively involved in the everyday running of the University. They also organize various cultural events and help students spend their free time and prepare them for their future professional life.