

STUDENT FACT SHEET 2026/27

Name of the institution	Academy of Arts, Architecture and Design in Prague (UMPRUM)
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Application deadlines	<p>20 APRIL for the autumn semester</p> <p>15 OCTOBER for the spring semester</p>
Nomination deadlines	<p>15 APRIL for the autumn semester</p> <p>10 OCTOBER for the spring semester</p> <p>To nominate a student, send an email containing the student's first and last name, their email address, and the name of the studio they are interested in to michaela.bizova@umprum.cz.</p>

Academic calendar	<p>Autumn semester: 29th September – 31st January Orientation days: 23rd - 27th September</p> <p>Public holidays: 28th September – St. Wenceslas Day 28th October - Independent Czechoslovak State Day 17th November - Struggle for Freedom and Democracy Day 21st December – 3rd January – Christmas break</p> <p>Spring semester: 15th February – mid-June Orientation days: 10th – 12th February</p> <p>Public holidays: 26th – 29th March – Easter break 1st May – Labour Day 8th May – Liberation Day https://www.umprum.cz/en/web/applicant/exchange-students/important-dates</p>
Application requirements	<p>Students nominated by their home university for exchange studies in one of UMPRUM studios are required to submit their:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • curriculum vitae • letter of motivation • digital portfolio – maximum size 10 MB • copy of the biographical page of passport (only students who have to apply for a Czech visa) • 1 photo <p>via an online application.</p> <p>Applicants to UMPRUM theoretical programme submit a letter of motivation (instead of a digital portfolio) that includes their research topic and its brief description.</p> <p>Admission is based on the portfolio and artistic quality and the number of spaces available in individual studios. Not all nominated students who apply to UMPRUM are guaranteed a place.</p>
Studios	All UMPRUM studios are open to exchange students.
Decision response time	About 4 weeks after the application deadline
Language	Applicants are not required to submit results of official language tests but we highly recommend that students have a minimum English language level of B1.

	<p>International students are integrated among Czech students in the studios and follow the tuition together; parallel or additional tutoring in English or separate consultations in English with international students.</p> <p>The language of instruction of elective courses is English (drawing, bookbinding, clay modelling, Czech language, art history and theory courses, etc.).</p>
Course offer	https://www.umprum.cz/en/web/student/study-information/course-catalogue
Departments /Studios	<p>Departments:</p> <p>Architecture (studios I, II, III, IV)</p> <p>Design (industrial, interior and furniture, product)</p> <p>Applied Arts (glass, ceramics/porcelain, metal and jewellery (K.O.V.), textil design, fashion design, fashion and footwear design)</p> <p>Fine Arts (studios I, II, III, IV)</p> <p>Graphics (illustration, typography, graphic design, new media, animation and film, photography II, design and digital technology)</p> <p>Theory and History of Art</p>
Study programmes	<p>BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES</p> <p>In Czech language: in all art disciplines (4-year), not in architecture</p> <p>MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMMES</p> <p>In Czech language: architecture (integrated 6-year or post-graduate 3-year); in other art disciplines (2-year); theory and history of art (2,5-year)</p> <p>In English language (Visual Arts programme) (in architecture 3-year, in other art disciplines 2-year)</p> <p>DOCTORAL DEGREE PROGRAMMES</p> <p>In Czech language: in all art disciplines (4-year); theory and history of art (4-year)</p> <p>In English language: in all art disciplines (4-year)</p>
Grading	<p>https://www.umprum.cz/en/web/student/study-information/grading-system-and-ects-at-umprum</p> <p>After completed exchange the student receives a transcript of records including ECTS credits. ECTS is fully implemented.</p>
Housing/Visa/Insurance/Other	https://www.umprum.cz/en/web/student/practical-guide-and-life-in-prague