

## WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE OFFER

Central European University is a graduate level, English-language university founded in Budapest, Hungary, and it currently has moved to the recently founded Vienna campus but it maintains its presence also in Budapest.

Our department offers [TWO-YEAR MA](#) and [PHD PROGRAMS](#), coordinated with the Bologna process requirements and accredited in Austria (that is, accepted throughout Europe) as well as in the US; and a [ONE-YEAR MA](#) accredited in the United States and Austria. Graduates of both MA programs have been admitted to the most prestigious PhD programs world-wide.

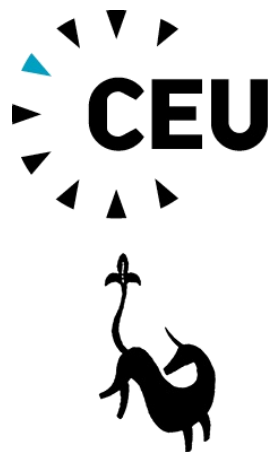
### FUNDING

CEU offers full or partial tuition awards and various other types of [FINANCIAL SUPPORT](#) on a merit basis. Most MA students are also offered housing.

### RESEARCH UNITS

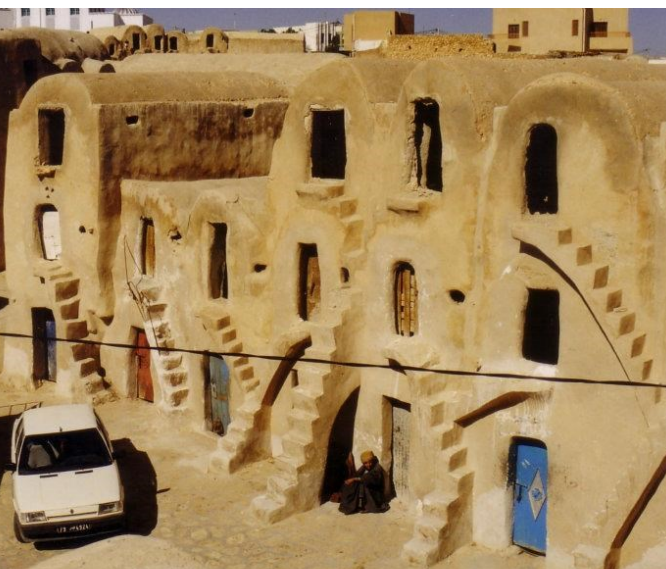
The Department, together with the Department of History and other CEU units, hosts numerous research units, among them the Center for Eastern Mediterranean Studies, the Center for Religious Studies, the Jewish Studies Program, the Medieval Central Europe Research Network (MECERN), etc., and offers a number of [SPECIALIZATIONS](#) and [ADVANCED CERTIFICATES](#) such as: the Advanced Certificate in Religious Studies (ACRS), Advanced Certificate in Eastern Mediterranean Studies (EMS), Jewish Studies Specialization (JSS), Advanced Certificate in Political Thought, and Cultural Heritage Specialization.

In addition, the Departments of Medieval Studies and History jointly run [Early Modern Studies](#), a new platform for studying all aspects of the Early Modern period.



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### CULTURAL HERITAGE STUDIES PROGRAM

The [CULTURAL HERITAGE STUDIES](#) two-year MA program grew out of the Department of Medieval Studies, but it is not focused exclusively on the Middle Ages. The program expects applicants dealing with a variety of periods and from a variety of fields related to cultural heritage, such as history, art history and management, archaeology, ethnography, anthropology, architecture, landscape design, monument protection, environmental science, and management studies. It combines theoretical and practical education, with a strong emphasis on practical knowledge and skills based on fieldwork and internships. Graduates of the program will be capable of working at various levels in cultural heritage and resource research, protection, and management.

In order to make the work of students more effective, the [Source Language Teaching Group](#) offers Latin, Greek, Ottoman, Turkish, Arabic and Syriac courses and, on demand, Middle English, Hebrew, Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian, Armenian, Old Georgian, Russian, Old Church Slavonic and Persian courses as well.

## OTHER EVENTS

Our department also participates in the international [ERASMUS EXCHANGE](#) program, which offers a 3-12 month long study abroad for PhD and MA students.

For undergraduate students who are interested in our program, CEU organizes an interdisciplinary conference in every August at which undergraduate students are more than welcome to participate. Watch the [VIDEO](#) about a previous undergraduate conference held in 2018.

## HOW TO APPLY

The deadline for application is **JANUARY 30, 2020 (MIDNIGHT, CENTRAL EUROPEAN TIME)** for master's and doctoral studies with financial aid. For application deadlines visit [HERE](#).

Please view the application checklist and begin the application process [HERE](#).

Further details about our programs are available at [OUR WEBSITE](#). Should you need any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us!

## ANY QUESTIONS?

For further questions concerning your research proposal or other academic issues, please contact Professor [Gerhard Jaritz](#), and concerning the language entry requirements or any other administrative details, please contact [Csilla Dobos](#).

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