

PhD Opportunities for students from non-EU countries in CSSNT-UPB

The enrollment will be done at the **Faculty of Applied Sciences**, and the **PhD title** will be awarded in **Natural Sciences – Physics**.

Keywords for PhD Topics: Physics, Chemistry, Engineering, Materials, Nanomaterials, Materials Science, Nanotechnology, Nanodevices, Semiconductor Physics, Solid State Physics, Advanced Characterization Methods, etc.

Scholarship awarded: 550-800 Euro/month.

Accommodation available in student dorms: 60-100 Euro/month.

The registration process will take place online, usually between February 1st and August 1st. In 2023, the period is **extended to September 1st**.

General conditions

The minimum grade for graduating both the Bachelor's degree and Master's is at least 8, corresponding to the scoring system in Romania '**Good**' score, as the case.

For the admission process, the first step is to obtain an approval from the prospective supervisor/coordinator of the thesis (UPB does not automatically provide a thesis supervisor). The next step is to pass the entrance exam of the Doctoral School.

Admission to doctoral studies is organized in the sessions June-July 2023 (session I) and September (session II).

After completing the steps above, UPB will submit your file to the Romanian Ministry of Education (the minimum period for processing the application is 60 days). If the application is successful, you will receive the official Letter of acceptance from UPB.

The Office for International Students will issue to the admitted candidates, who have confirmed the place, a document confirming the enrolment necessary for completing the file for obtaining the study visa.

The enrollment will take place between September 15 – November 15, 2023.

The file is submitted in person at the UPB Office for International Students and must contain the original documents and certified copies or translations for all documents submitted online.

Documents required for enrollment to PhD studies

1. Approval of the prospective supervisor/coordinator of the thesis. Proof that you have passed the entrance exam for the Doctoral School (applicable for PhD candidates);
2. Statement of documents authenticity;
3. Consent for processing personal data;

4. Birth certificate, authenticated translation;
5. Passport (with study Visa);
6. National Identity Card or any other document proving the permanent residence (home address);
7. High school diploma;
8. Transcript of records for high school diploma – certified translations at a public notary in Romanian, English or French, if the original is not issued in one of these languages;
9. Bachelor diploma;
10. Transcript of records for Bachelor's diploma (certified translations at a public notary in Romanian, English or French if the original is not issued in one of these languages);
11. Master diploma;
12. Transcript of records for Master's diploma – certified translations at a public notary in Romanian, English or French if the original is not issued in one of these languages;
13. International language certificate (TOEFL, IELTS, Cambridge) with a minimum B2 level – for programs in English/French language. Candidates who can prove that the official language of their country is English or French or that they studied at least 4 years in this language are exempt from this requirement;
14. Medical certificate (translated into a language widely spoken internationally) attesting the current health situation of the applicant and the potential antecedents regarding chronic affections, respectively infections with SARS-COV2;
15. Power of attorney, if the application of the candidate is carried out by a representative and the passport of the representative (If the case);
16. Letter of acceptance (original);
17. 4 photos 3x4 cm;