

# Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study Bachelor's and Master's Study Programmes at the Faculty of Science of the University of Hradec Králové for the academic year 2023/2024

These rules are promulgated on the basis of the provisions of Section 49 of Act No. 111/1998 Sb. On Higher Education Institutions and on amendments and supplements to other acts (the Higher Education Act), as amended, and the provisions of Articles 23 to 25 of the Constitution of the University of Hradec Králové and were approved by the Academic Senate of the Faculty of Science of the University of Hradec Králové on 16 November 2022.

#### 1 ADMISSIONS PROCEDURE TIMETABLE

Deadline for applications (Round 1 of admissions procedure):				
31 March 2023				
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from 22 May 2023 to 2 June 2023				
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from 12 June 2023 to 16 June 2023				
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30 April 2023				
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9 June 2023 / 15 September 2023				
26 June 2023 / 15 September 2023				
19 June 2023 / 15 September 2023				
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1 July 2023				
1 July 2023				

Deadline for submission of applications in Round 2 of admi	ssion procedure, if announced:			
Bachelor's study programmes:	31 July 2023			
Follow-up Master's study programmes:	31 July 2023			
Indicative date of Round 2 entrance examination, if announ	ced*:			
Bachelor's study programmes:	from 21 August 2023 to 25 August 2023			
Follow-up Master's study programmes:	from 21 August 2021 to 25 August 2023			
Deadline for payment of the admission fee (Round 2 of adm	ission procedure):			
Bachelor's study programmes:	31 July 2023			
Follow-up Master's study programmes:	31 July 2023			
Date of verification of the fulfilment of the admission proprocedure):	cedure conditions (Round 2 of admission			
Bachelor's study programmes:	7 September 2023			
Follow-up Master's study programmes:	7 September 2023			
Enrolment in Year 1 of study**:				
For applicants admitted in Round 1 of the admission procedure:	from 1 September 2023 to 8 September 2023			
For applicants admitted in Round 2 of the admission procedure:	14 September 2023			
Completion of the admission procedure:				
Bachelor's study programmes:	15 October 2023			
Master's study programmes:	15 October 2023			
Doctoral study programmes	15 October 2023			

<sup>\*</sup>The specific dates of the entrance examinations for the individual study programmes will be communicated to applicants by e-mail and published on the portal: https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec.

#### 2 GENERAL CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION PROCEDURE

#### 2.1 Prerequisites for admission to study:

- a. Timely submission of a duly completed **application form** with all necessary information;
- b. Timely payment of the admission procedure **fee** in the required amount;
- c. Proper and timely production of the required prior **qualifications** and, where applicable, **any other certificates, attestations or affidavits** required (in particular, a medical certificate of fitness);
- d. Attendance at and successful completion of the entrance examination or fulfilment of the conditions for exemption from the examination if the entrance examination is required in the admission procedure.

#### 2. 2 Procedure for determining the outcome of the admission procedure:

Only the following students are admitted to study if they meet the necessary conditions, on the basis of the ranking achieved, which is compiled exclusively according to the number of points obtained in the admission procedure:

<sup>\*\*</sup>Applicants from Round 1 of the admissions procedure who provide evidence of previous education in September are enrolled on the date set for enrolment of applicants from Round 2 of the admissions procedure.

- a. Applicants who have **passed the entrance examination**, if an entrance examination is required, who have achieved at least **the minimum overall grade**, if the minimum overall grade is determined with respect to more than one part of the admission procedure, and who, at the same time, **achieved at least such ranking** in the overall ranking of applicants that does not exceed the capacity of the study programme as determined by the Rector's act of management. If more than one applicant achieves the same ranking and the admission of some of them would exceed the capacity of the programme, all applicants of the same ranking shall be or shall not be admitted on the basis of the recommendation of the admissions committee;
- b. Applicants who have been exempted from the entrance examination (as a whole) and who have achieved at least **the minimum overall assessment**, if the minimum overall assessment is determined with respect to more than one part of the admission procedure, and who **have also achieved at least such ranking** in the overall ranking of applicants that does not exceed the capacity of the study programme as determined by the Rector's act of management. If more than one applicant achieves the same ranking and the admission of some of them would exceed the capacity of the programme, all applicants of the same ranking shall be or shall not be admitted on the basis of the recommendation of the admissions committee.

If the admitted applicants **express their intention not to enrol**, the point threshold for admission may be reduced and the **best applicants** who were not admitted **for capacity reasons** according to the original decision **may be admitted additionally**. All such applicants will subsequently receive a new admission decision. In such a case, the Dean shall decide in accordance with the provisions of Section 101(b) and Section 102(3) of the Administrative Procedure Code.

#### 2. 3 Criteria for the admission procedure evaluation:

For all **Bachelor's and Master's study programmes for which the** admission procedure is announced, the **maximum number of points** that an applicant may obtain in the individual parts of the admission procedure is **200**. The admission procedures of the two departments of the Faculty of Science that provide follow-up Master's study programmes (without specializations) with programme codes beginning with N0114A and the programme title "Teaching ... for secondary schools", accredited by the Faculty of Science, are also considered a separate part of the admission procedure.

The minimum number of points for successful completion of the admission procedure is specified individually for each study programme below.

Unless specified otherwise for any individual programme of study, the following applicants will be exempted from entrance examinations:

- a. Applicants who appear in person on the day of the entrance examination in accordance with the invitation on the given day and time in the relevant classroom and announce at the attendance that they meet the conditions for exemption from the entrance examination. Such applicant shall submit his/her secondary school certificates for inspection (usually from the last 3 to 4 years of study; for further details, see the individual study programmes below). If approved, the applicant will be awarded points, which he/she will sign.
- b. Applicants who apply for exemption from entrance examination by correspondence no later than on 15 April 2023 (only for Round 1 of the entrance examination). The applicant shall send (to the address of the Study Department of the PřF UHK, Rokitanského 62, 500 03 Hradec Králové) an application for exemption from entrance examination with authenticated copies of 3 or 4 secondary school certificates (for further details, see the individual study programmes below). These authenticated copies of

certificates may be returned to the applicant only on request after completion of the admission procedure. Alternatively, the applicant can send the original transcript of grades from his/her secondary school studies provided with the stamp of the school. If the deadline for submitting the correspondence application is not met, it will be postponed and the applicant must apply for exemption on the day of the entrance examination. Exemption from the entrance examination on the basis of an application sent by correspondence is only possible on the basis of the documents available to the applicant no later than on the last day of the deadline for sending the application for exemption from entrance examination (the final year certificate thus cannot be sent). If the applicant wishes to submit supporting documents obtained at a later date for the exemption, he/she will only be allowed to apply for the exemption on the day of the entrance examination.

The entrance examination in biology will also be exempted for applicants who have placed no worse than 10th in the regional or national round of the Biology Olympiad, or in the relevant field of the Secondary Professional Activity (SOČ; 4. Biology).

If the applicant does not apply for an exemption from the entrance examination within the deadline, or if he/she fails to submit it properly, he/she loses the right to be admitted without an entrance examination. If the applicant meets the conditions for exemption from the entrance examination and proves his/her eligibility for exemption within the required time limit, he/she will receive the **maximum number of points** in the relevant part of the admission procedure.

In the case of **integrated Bachelor's study programmes** (programmes aimed at teaching), applicants always choose one major programme and one minor programme as part of their application. The admission procedure in the integrated Bachelor's programmes is carried out separately for the major and minor programmes. The applicant must successfully meet the rules and conditions for admission to both programmes (major and minor) in order to be admitted to study. If an applicant meets the requirements for exemption for both programmes in a given combination, he/she may apply for exemption from both entrance examinations (if specified and if exemptions are granted) on one form. If he/she meets the exemption requirements for only one programme, the examination for the 2nd programme must be taken (e.g., in a chemistry-biology combination, the applicant meets the requirements for chemistry but does not meet the requirements for biology – the chemistry examination may be exempted and the biology examination must be taken).

In accordance with the provisions of Section 49(3) of the Higher Education Act, the Dean of the faculty may set different conditions for admission of applicants who have completed or are studying a study programme or part thereof at a higher education institution in the Czech Republic or abroad. The Dean may set an entrance examination to verify compliance with the admission requirements pursuant to Section 49(4) of the Act.

The Dean of the faculty may individually determine a different method of verifying the fulfilment of the admission requirements for foreign applicants, usually exempting from the written examination and replacing the oral examination with a videoconference, taking into account the results of the applicant's previous studies documented by a recognized proof of education.

#### 3 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR INDIVIDUAL STUDY PROGRAMMES

#### 3.1 Bachelor's study programmes:

The standard study period for all Bachelor's study programmes accredited at the Faculty of Science of the UHK is 3 years. The condition for admission is the attainment of secondary

education with a school-leaving examination ("maturita" in Czech). Specific admission rules for individual study programmes are specified below.

Bachelor's study	nrogra	ammac.
Bachelor's study programmes:		
Biology and Ecology (full-time study)		
Entrance		
examination examination	YES	Test of secondary school knowledge (general secondary school) of biology.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	An applicant may be exempted from the entrance examination if he/she achieved grade 1 (Excellent) in Biology on his/her secondary school transcript throughout the last three years of study preceding the last year of secondary school studies, both in Term I and Term II. (Grades in the mast year of studies and grades in Biology Seminars and other similar subjects are not taken into account.) The entrance examination in biology will also be exempted for applicants who have placed no worse than 10th in the regional or national round of the Biology Olympiad, or in the relevant field of the Secondary Professional Activity (SOČ; 4. Biology).
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
Biology Aimed at	Teach	ing
(full-time study, in	ntegrat	ed study programme)
Entrance examination	YES	Test of secondary school knowledge (general secondary school) of biology.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	An applicant may be exempted from the entrance examination if he/she achieved grade 1 (Excellent) in Biology on his/her secondary school transcript throughout the last three years of study preceding the last year of secondary school studies, both in Term I and Term II. (Grades in the mast year of studies and grades in Biology Seminars and other similar subjects are not taken into account.)  The entrance examination in biology will also be exempted for applicants who have placed no worse than 10th in the regional or national round of the Biology Olympiad, or in the relevant field of the Secondary Professional Activity (SOČ; 4. Biology).
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.  As part of the admissions procedure, an applicant may choose Biology Aimed at Teaching as his/her major programme in combination with the following minor programmes:  • English language aimed at teaching,  • Czech language and literature aimed at teaching,  • Ethics education aimed at teaching,  • French language aimed at teaching,  • Physics aimed at teaching,  • Music aimed at teaching,  • Chemistry aimed at teaching,  • Computer science aimed at teaching,  • Mathematics aimed at teaching,  • German language aimed at teaching,  • Russian language aimed at teaching,  • Social sciences aimed at teaching,  • Physical education aimed at teaching,  • Artwork aimed at teaching,  • Fundamentals of technology aimed at teaching.

Physics Aimed at Teaching			
(full-time study, integrated study programme)			
Entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Physics studies shall provide the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Physics and Mathematics.	
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted from the entrance examination.	
Other conditions and information	YES	Applicants will receive points in the admissions procedure for their results in Physics and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Physics competitions (Physics Olympiad, SOČ, Young Physicists Tournament) can earn up to 14 additional points.  Applicants shall complete grades in Physics and Mathematics achieved in years 1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their eapplication.  To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in their e-application (https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html) their catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of attendance in Physics competitions.  The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155 points.  As part of the admissions procedure, an applicant may choose the Physics Aimed at Teaching programme as a major in combination with the following minor programmes:  • English language aimed at teaching,  • Biology aimed at teaching,  • Czech language aimed at teaching,  • Ethics education aimed at teaching,  • History aimed at teaching,  • Music culture aimed at teaching,  • Chemistry aimed at teaching,  • Chemistry aimed at teaching,  • Computer science aimed at teaching,  • Mathematics aimed at teaching,  • Russian language aimed at teaching,  • Russian language aimed at teaching,  • Social sciences aimed at teaching,  • Physical education aimed at teaching,  • Artwork aimed at teaching,  • Fundamentals of technology aimed at teaching.	
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Entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Physics studies shall provide the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Physics and Mathematics.	
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted from the entrance examination.	
Other conditions and information	YES	Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in Physics and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Physics competitions (Physics Olympiad, SOČ, Young Physicists Tournament) can earn up to 14 additional points.	

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		Instead of study results in Physics and Mathematics, the applicant's previous work
		experience can also be taken into account.
		Applicants shall complete grades in Physics and Mathematics achieved in years 1 to
		3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their e-
		application.
		To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in
		their e-application (https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html) their
		catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of
		attendance in Physics competitions.
		The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155
		points.
Physical and Tec	hnical	Measurements and Computer Technology
(full-time study)		
		There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Physics studies shall provide
Entrance	NO	the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Physics and
examination		Mathematics.
Exemption		
from entrance	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted
examination		from the entrance examination.
		Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in
		Physics and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Physics competitions
		(Physics Olympiad, SOČ, Young Physicists Tournament) can earn up to 14
		additional points.
		Instead of study results in Physics and Mathematics, the applicant's previous work
		experience can also be taken into account.
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Other	7/E/C	Applicants shall complete grades in Physics and Mathematics achieved in years 1 to
conditions and information	YES	3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their e-
Illiormation		application.
		To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in
		their e-application (https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html) their
		catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of
		attendance in Physics competitions.
		The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155
		points.
Chemistry Aimed		
(full-time study, i	ntegrat	ed study programme)
Entrance		There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Chemistry studies shall provide
examination	NO	the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Chemistry and
		Mathematics.
Exemption		There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted
from entrance	NO	from the entrance examination.
examination		
		Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in
		Chemistry and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Chemistry
		competitions (Chemistry Olympiad, SOČ in Chemistry) can earn up to 14 additional
Other		points.
conditions and	YES	Applicants shall complete grades in Chemistry and Mathematics achieved in years
information		1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their e-
		application.
		To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in
		their e-application (https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html) their

catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of attendance in Chemistry competitions.

The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155 points. Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK. Certificates on other types of forms are not acceptable.

As part of the admissions procedure, an applicant may choose the Chemistry Aimed at Teaching programme as a major in combination with the following minor programmes:

- English language aimed at teaching,
- Biology aimed at teaching,
- Czech language and literature aimed at teaching,
- Ethics education aimed at teaching,
- French language aimed at teaching,
- Physics aimed at teaching,
- History aimed at teaching,
- Music culture aimed at teaching,
- Computer science aimed at teaching,
- Mathematics aimed at teaching,
- German language aimed at teaching,
- Russian language aimed at teaching,
- Social sciences aimed at teaching,
- Physical education aimed at teaching,
- Artwork aimed at teaching,
- Fundamentals of technology aimed at teaching.

### Chemistry – specialization Bioorganic Chemistry

#### Chemistry – specialization Toxicology and Analysis of Pollutants

(full-time study, study programme with specializations)

Entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Chemistry studies shall provide the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Chemistry and Mathematics.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted from the entrance examination.
Other conditions and information	YES	Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in Chemistry and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Chemistry competitions (Chemistry Olympiad, SOČ in Chemistry) can earn up to 14 additional points.  Applicants shall complete grades in Chemistry and Mathematics achieved in years 1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their eapplication.  To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in their e-application ( <a href="https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html">https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html</a> ) their catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of attendance in Chemistry competitions.

		The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155 points. Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK. Certificates on other types of forms are not acceptable.
Computer Science		
(full-time study, int	tegrat	ed study programme)
Entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Computer Science studies shall provide the grades for the years 1-3 of secondary school (both terms) in Computer Science and Mathematics.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted from the entrance examination.
Other conditions and information	YES	Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in Computer Science and Mathematics (up to 186 points). Participation in Computer Science competitions (programming competitions, SOČ in Computer Science) can earn up to 14 additional points.  Applicants shall complete grades in Computer Science and Mathematics achieved in years 1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their e-application.  To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in their e-application (https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html) their catalogue sheet or Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of attendance in Computer Science competitions.  The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155 points.  As part of the admissions procedure, an applicant may choose the Computer Science Aimed at Teaching programme as a major in combination with the following minor programmes:  English language aimed at teaching,  Echics education aimed at teaching,  Caech language and literature aimed at teaching,  French language aimed at teaching,  History aimed at teaching,  Music culture aimed at teaching,  Chemistry aimed at teaching,  Mathematics aimed at teaching,  Russian language aimed at teaching,  Russian language aimed at teaching,  Russian language aimed at teaching,  Physical education aimed at teaching,  Artwork aimed at teaching,  Fundamentals of technology aimed at teaching.

(full-time study, i	ntegrat	ed study programme)
Entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; applicants for Mathematics studies shall provide the grades for the years 1-3 of their secondary school studies (both terms) in Mathematics and the average of grades for the years 1-3 of their secondary studies in all compulsory and compulsory elective subjects (both terms).
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	There are no entrance examinations; therefore, applicants cannot be exempted from the entrance examination.
Other conditions and information	YES	Applicants will receive points in the admission procedure for their results in Mathematics and for their averages calculated from the grades achieved in all compulsory and compulsory elective subjects (up to 186 points). Participation in Mathematics competitions (Mathematics Olympiad, SOČ in Mathematics) can earn up to 14 additional points.  Applicants shall complete grades in Mathematics achieved in years 1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies and average grades achieved in all compulsory and compulsory elective subjects in years 1 to 3 (both terms) of their secondary studies in the relevant boxes of their e-application.  To verify the results of their previous studies, applicants shall also download in their e-application ( <a href="https://staguhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html">https://staguhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec/eprihlaska.html</a> ) their catalogue sheet. If the applicant cannot submit the catalogue sheet, he/she shall download his/her Year 1 to 3 secondary school transcripts, and/or certificates of attendance in Mathematics competitions.  The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 155 points.  As part of the admissions procedure, an applicant may choose the Mathematics Aimed at Teaching programme as a major in combination with the following minor programmes:  • English language aimed at teaching,  • Ethics education aimed at teaching,  • French language aimed at teaching,  • Physics aimed at teaching,  • Music culture aimed at teaching,  • Computer Science aimed at teaching,  • Chemistry aimed at teaching,  • Computer Science aimed at teaching,  • Russian language aimed at teaching,  • Russian language aimed at teaching,  • Social sciences aimed at teaching,  • Physical education aimed at teaching,  • Physical education aimed at teaching,  • Physical education aimed at teaching,  • Fundamentals of technology aimed at teaching.

# Follow-up Master's study programmes:

The standard duration of study for all Master's study programmes accredited at the UHK Faculty of Science is 2 years. Admission is conditioned (in terms of achieved education) by completed higher education. Specific admission rules for the individual study programmes are specified below.

Follow-up Master's study programmes:		
Biology and Ecology - specialization Plant Biology		
(full-time study)		
Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	-
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
<b>Biology and Ecol</b> (full-time study)	logy - s	pecialization Animal Biology
Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	-
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
Biology and Ecol (full-time study)	logy - s	pecialization Experimental Biology
Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	-
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
Physical Measure	ements	and Modelling
(full-time study)		
Entrance examination	YES	Oral examination within the scope of the Bachelor's degree knowledge of the given field. The applicant's performance in the Bachelor's studies and previous experience can also be taken into account.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	In case of appropriate number of applicants, the head of the Department of Physics can exempt a clearly defined group of applicants from the entrance examination, e.g., the graduates of the study programme Physical and Technical Measurements and Computer Technology, or the graduates who have passed their previous Bachelor's studies with distinction.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
Physical Measure (combined form of		
Entrance examination	YES	Oral examination within the scope of the Bachelor's degree knowledge of the given field. The applicant's performance in the Bachelor's studies and previous experience can also be taken into account.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	In case of appropriate number of applicants, the head of the Department of Physics can exempt a clearly defined group of applicants from the entrance examination, e.g., the graduates of the study programme Physical and Technical

		Measurements and Computer Technology, or the graduates who have passed their previous Bachelor's studies with distinction.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.
Chemistry – spec (full-time study)	ializat	ion Bioorganic Chemistry
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Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of the course and results of the Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption		Graduates of the Bachelor's study programme in Chemistry or a close Bachelor's
from entrance	YES	study programme who have graduated with distinction can be exempted from the
examination		admission procedure. The exemption is granted within the admission interview.
Other conditions and	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.  Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original
information		medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and
		<b>Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK.</b> Certificates on other types of forms are not acceptable.
Chemistry – spec	ializat	ion Toxicology and Analysis of Pollutants
(full-time study)		
Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of the course and results of the Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	Graduates of the Bachelor's study programme in Chemistry or a close Bachelor's study programme who have graduated with distinction can be exempted from the admission procedure. The exemption is granted within the admission interview.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.  Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK. Certificates on other types of forms are not acceptable.
	ializat	ion Analysis of Biomolecules
(full-time study)		
Entrance examination	YES	The entrance examination for all applicants is based on the assessment of the course and results of the Bachelor's studies and an oral interview.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	Graduates of the Bachelor's study programme in Chemistry or a close Bachelor's study programme who have graduated with distinction can be exempted from the admission procedure. The exemption is granted within the admission interview.

Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points.  Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK. Certificates on other types of forms are not acceptable.
Physics and Matl (full-time study)	nemati	cs Teaching at Secondary Schools
Entrance examination	YES	An oral interview within the scope of the Bachelor's degree knowledge of the given field. The applicant's performance in the Bachelor's studies and previous experience can also be taken into account.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	In case of appropriate number of applicants, the head of the Department of Physics can, in agreement with the head of the Department of Mathematics, exempt a clearly defined group of applicants from the entrance examination, e.g., the graduates of the study programme Physics Aimed at Teaching – Mathematics Aimed at Teaching, and Mathematics Aimed at Teaching – Physics Aimed at Teaching, or the graduates who have passed their previous Bachelor's studies with distinction.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points obtained in each of both parts of the admission procedure (Physic, Mathematics).
-	iology	Teaching at Secondary Schools
Entrance examination	YES	Graduates of the study programme Biology Aimed at Teaching are admitted on the basis of a successful oral interview in Biology that covers the specialist knowledge acquired by the applicant during the Bachelor's studies.  Graduates of programmes close to the study programme Biology Aimed at Teaching can be admitted after assessment by the head of the Department of Biology and must pass an oral entrance examination (oral interview aimed at Bachelor's knowledge and necessary skills for the study of Biology Teaching.  Graduates of the study programme Chemistry Aimed at Teaching are admitted on the basis of a successful oral interview in Chemistry that covers the specialist knowledge acquired by the applicant during the Bachelor's studies.  Graduates of programmes close to the study programme Chemistry Aimed at Teaching can be admitted after assessment by the head of the Department of Biology and must pass an oral entrance examination (oral interview aimed at Bachelor's knowledge and necessary skills for the study of Chemistry Teaching.
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	-
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful passing of the admission procedure is 100 points obtained in each of both parts of the admission procedure (Chemistry, Biology). Medical fitness to study the relevant study programme is another condition for admission to the study programme. Medical fitness is usually certified by a general practitioner and the certificate may not be older than 4 months before the closing

		date for applications. In the case of medical fitness certified by a physician abroad, an official translation is required. Applicants shall always submit an original medical fitness certificate in documentary form in accordance with the general information about the admission procedure published on the PřF web site. The form of the medical report, including the text of the medical fitness requirements, forms an annex to these Admission Procedure Rules and Conditions for Admission to Study at the PřF UHK. Certificates on other types
		of forms are not acceptable.
Computer Science	e and l	Physics Teaching at Secondary Schools
(full-time study)	T	
Entrance examination	YES	Oral interviews within the scope of the Bachelor's degree knowledge of the given fields. The applicant's performance in the Bachelor's studies and previous experience can also be taken into account.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	In case of appropriate number of applicants, the head of the Department of Applied Cybernetics can, in agreement with the head of the Department of Physics, exempt a clearly defined group of applicants from the entrance examination, e.g., the graduates of the study programme Computer Science Aimed at Teaching – Physics Aimed at Teaching, and Physics Aimed at Teaching – Computer Science Aimed at Teaching, or the graduates who have passed their previous Bachelor's studies with distinction.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points obtained in each of both parts of the admission procedure (Computer Science, Physics).
Computer Science	e and l	Mathematics Teaching at Secondary Schools
(full-time study)	T	
Entrance examination	YES	Oral interviews within the scope of the Bachelor's degree knowledge of the given fields. The applicant's performance in the Bachelor's studies and previous experience can also be taken into account.
Exemption from entrance examination	YES	In case of appropriate number of applicants, the head of the Department of Applied Cybernetics can, in agreement with the head of the Department of Mathematics, exempt a clearly defined group of applicants from the entrance examination, e.g., the graduates of the study programme Computer Science Aimed at Teaching – Mathematics Aimed at Teaching, and Mathematics Aimed at Teaching – Computer Science Aimed at Teaching, or the graduates who have passed their previous Bachelor's studies with distinction.
Other conditions and information	YES	The minimum score for successful completion of the admission procedure is 100 points obtained in each of both parts of the admission procedure (Computer Science, Mathematics).
	d Chem	nistry Teaching at Secondary Schools
(full-time study)		
Entrance examination	YES	Oral entrance examination in Mathematics (oral interview aimed at Bachelor's knowledge and necessary skills for the study of Mathematics Teaching).  Graduates of the study programme Chemistry Aimed at Teaching are admitted on the basis of a successful oral interview in Chemistry that covers the specialist knowledge acquired by the applicant during the Bachelor's studies.  Graduates of programmes close to the study programme Chemistry Aimed at Teaching can be admitted after assessment by the head of the Department of Chemistry and must pass an oral entrance examination (oral interview aimed at Bachelor's knowledge and necessary skills for the study of Chemistry Teaching).
Exemption from entrance examination	NO	-

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# 4 OTHER INFORMATION ABOUT THE ADMISSION PROCEDURE

General information on the admission procedure (details on how to submit the application form, how to pay the administrative fee for the admission procedure, etc.) is published on the UHK website (www.uhk.cz). The instructions are binding for all applicants.

The UHK website also provides more detailed information on the profile of the applicant and the graduate, the content of the entrance examination for individual study programmes, including recommended study literature. In the case of study programmes divided into specializations, the capacities of the individual specializations and the framework rules for the selection of students into specializations are also listed.

#### 4.1 Submission of applications:

Applications for studies are submitted in electronic form only via the IS/STAG portal at https://stag.uhk.cz/portal/studium/uchazec.

#### 4. 2 Payment of the fee for the admission procedure:

The administrative fee for each application is CZK 500. If the applicant fails to pay the fee for the admission procedure even after being asked to do so within the specified time limit, he/she will not be allowed to participate in the individual parts of the admission procedure.

#### 4. 3 Evidence of attained previous education:

The educational attainment for **Bachelor's study programmes** is proved by an officially certified copy of the school leaving certificate. In the case of secondary education completed abroad, an officially certified document pursuant to Section 48(4)(a), (b) or (c) of the Higher Education Act is required.

The educational attainment for **follow-up Master's study programmes** is proved by an officially certified copy of the higher education diploma. In the case of higher education completed abroad, an officially certified copy of a document pursuant to Section 48(5)(a) or (b) of the Higher Education Act is required.

Foreign applicants for study programmes taught in the Czech language must prove that they have completed a Czech language course at least at level B1. This condition does not apply to applicants from the Slovak Republic.

#### 4. 4 Course of the entrance examination

On the basis of the data in the application form, the applicant receives an invitation to the entrance examination via the IS/STAG electronic information system. The invitation indicates the date, time and place of the entrance examination. The applicant is invited for attendance checking which starts half an hour before the examination begins, in a designated classroom where he/she presents his/her identity card for inspection and submits a certified copy of his/her school-leaving certificate, or a secondary school certificate of completion of the school-leaving examination, or a proof of successful completion of a Bachelor's degree (depending on the nature of the programme of study, specialization or major-minor combination in the context of the integrated studies for which he/she is applying). The identity checkers will carefully check that the documents submitted are valid.

If the applicant does not present the relevant document proving previous education at the time of attendance, he/she may take the entrance examination provided that this information is included in the list of applicants and the applicant is instructed to deliver the relevant document proving the previous education to the study department without delay after passing the school-leaving examination or the state final examination in the Bachelor's study programme.

All applicants are obliged to provide evidence of the achieved previous education, either in form of an officially certified copy of their school-leaving certificate or Bachelor's diploma (in the case of a follow-up Master's studies), or a simple copy of the same document submitted together with the original for verification to the staff member of the Study Department of the Dean's Office of the Faculty of Science (who will compare the simple copy with the original, confirm the match on the copy and return the original document to the applicant).

The applicant shall either send the proof of the required previous educational attainment to the address of the Study Department by a registered letter, or deliver it in person to the Study Department before the date of enrolment for studies, or submit it at the latest when enrolling for studies. Only applicants who have not been issued a school-leaving certificate by the date of enrolment are allowed an exception.

Prior to the commencement of the written part of the examination, the examiner shall inform the applicants of the course of the entire entrance examination, including the time and room number of the oral examination, if prescribed. The examination must always be held within the pre-specified range of requirements.

Every faculty member who comes into contact with applicants must be identified by a name tag.

The faculty staff ensure that the entrance examinations take place in a regular environment. They maintain equal access to applicants, exclude extreme climatic conditions during the examination and observe generally applicable hygiene principles – ventilation of classrooms, noise-free environment, etc.

No one may accompany the applicant to the classrooms where the written entrance examination takes place. Exceptions may be granted by the department head only to accompany a disabled applicant if officially recommended by the Augustin – Centre for Support of Students with Specific Needs upon timely request. If the applicant leaves the classroom during the examination for any reason, he/she will turn in his/her work and may not return. If the applicant has a cell phone with him/her during any part of the entrance exam, he/she must turn it off. Any active communication or recording device detected during the entrance examination shall be grounds for exclusion from the admission procedure.

Before the start of the written part of the entrance examination, the test version for the given date will be drawn. The draw will take place in the presence of at least three students or

applicants and two members of the teaching staff. A record of the draw will be made and kept at the worksite.

#### 4. 5 Consideration of excuses for absence from the entrance examination

If an applicant fails to appear for the entrance examination without an excuse, he/she will have no further opportunity to take it. The Faculty may announce an alternative date of the entrance examination for duly excused applicants from Round 1 of the admission procedure, only for study programmes, specializations or combinations of integrated study programmes majorminor guaranteed by the PřF UHK. An alternative date is granted on the basis of a written application and cannot be required by anybody; the Dean decides on the allocation of an alternative date according to the capacity of the faculty.

The alternative date for entrance examinations will be determined on the basis of approved applications.

#### 4. 6 Admission committees and formation of examination committees:

In the case of written entrance examinations, the task of the examination committees is to ensure the preparation of a sufficient number of versions of the examination tests, to administer these tests to the applicants, to correct them and to submit the results recorded on a form issued by the PřF UHK Study Department. The forms are then processed by the Study Department. The examination committees are also responsible for conducting admission interviews in cases where the entrance examination takes the form of an oral interview or where the oral round is one of the components of the entrance examination. A record shall be kept of the oral and written entrance examination, recording the number of points obtained by the applicant and, in the case of an oral examination, the content of the interview. The examination committees also make recommendations on exemption from the entrance examination for programmes where the rules provide so.

Each examination committee is chaired by the head of the department whose academic staff member is the guarantor of the relevant study. The number and members of the necessary subcommittees consisting of at least two members shall be determined and appointed by the head of the department, who defines the duties and powers of the individual members of the examination committee.

The committee may not publish any list of applicants containing the applicants' personal data.

The forms, duly signed, shall be handed in on the day of the examination (or, after consultation with the Study Department, the next morning) to the PřF UHK Study Department. The head of the department is responsible for the sufficient number of test versions and for any leakage of information about the prepared tests. Lists of applicants will be sent to departments in the week before the entrance examinations.

All the agenda of the admission procedure, including the assignment of tests, all completed tests, records of the oral examination, is handed over to the UHK Registry within one year at the latest and, after the expiry of the shredding deadlines, it is forwarded for shredding according to the UHK Filing and Shredding Regulations.

The examination committee informs the applicant of the score achieved in the entrance examination, which the applicant confirms by signing in the list of applicants or the record of the oral part of the examination. The committee may not publish any list of applicants containing their personal data.

The examination committee informs the applicant that he/she will receive the Dean's decision on (non-)admission to study after the meeting of the admission committee and instructs the

applicant on the possibility of submitting a request for review of this decision in accordance with the law.

The admission committee will meet as soon as possible after the entrance examinations (usually within a week). The admissions committee is chaired by the Faculty Dean/Vice-Dean. The time and place of the meeting will be determined at a later date.

#### 4.7 Decision on admission

Pursuant to Section 50(4), sentence one of the Higher Education Act, the admission/non-admission decision will be issued within 30 days from checking the fulfilment of the admission conditions. In the event that the applicant fails to submit the necessary confirmation of previous education (secondary education with the school-leaving examination ("maturita") for Bachelor's study programmes or higher education for follow-up Master's study programmes) no later than on the day of the entrance examination, and the applicant meets the other necessary conditions for admission to study in the given study programme, the checking of the fulfilment of the admission conditions will take place only after the relevant proof of previous education has been submitted.

The latest date for the acceptance of evidence of prior secondary education with a school-leaving examination is the date of enrolment for applicants who have been issued the school-leaving certificate before the date of enrolment; other applicants shall submit their school-leaving certificates without undue delay, but no later than on 30 September 2023. The latest date for receipt of the proof of attained prior higher education is 30 September 2023.

If the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports decides to grant special powers to the higher education institution in the event of an extraordinary situation in accordance with Section 95b of the Higher Education Act, as amended, the deadline for checking the educational attainment requirement is 17 June 2023. Applicants who provide evidence of prior educational attainment by 17 June 2023 at the latest will be issued a decision on admission to study without being required to comply with the requirement to provide evidence of prior educational attainment. Other applicants will be required to do so.

Pursuant to Section 50(4), sentence two of the Higher Education Act, the higher education institution is not obliged to notify the applicant of the possibility to comment on the grounds for the decision before issuing a decision in the case. Thus, the applicant will only be informed of the admission procedure by the delivery of the admission/non-admission decision.

If the applicant is admitted to study, the admission decision will be delivered to him/her via the IS/STAG electronic information system, if the applicant has agreed to this method of delivery in advance on the application form. The non-admission decision will be sent to applicants by post.

#### 4. 8 Access to decisive materials:

Pursuant to Section 50(5) of the Higher Education Act, the applicant has the right to inspect the file after he/she is notified of the decision. The dates on which the applicant may inspect these materials may be agreed with the Study Department. The PřF UHK may provide the applicant with a copy of the file instead of allowing him/her to inspect it.

Each department will therefore publish, at the time of the entrance examinations, the dates and places where applicants can consult their materials, and will designate a competent person to give explanations. Each department will also publish a contact person (e-mail) with whom the applicants can arrange to consult the materials if necessary. The department must allow access to the materials before the expiry of the appeal period, i.e. approximately two months from the date of the examination.

#### 4. 9 Review of admission decisions:

Pursuant to Section 50(6) and (7) of the Higher Education Act, the applicant has the right to appeal the decision within 30 days of its notification.

The appeal is filed with the faculty that issued the contested decision. The faculty which issued the contested decision may annul or amend it (Section 87 of the Administrative Procedure Code).

The Rector is the administrative appellate authority. The Rector examines the compliance of the contested decision and the proceedings preceding the decision with the legal regulations, the internal regulations of the higher education institution and the faculty, and the conditions of admission to study set by the higher education institution or faculty.

All possible changes in the study programme, specialization or combination within an integrated study, form, etc. can only be dealt with as part of the review of the decision on (non-)admission to study. If such a change will lead to the use of available capacities in a given study programme, specialization, or combination within an integrated study, form, etc., the application may be granted by way of an internal appeal.

Applicants can check the data essential for the decision on (non-)admission to study (i.e. the scores obtained in the entrance examinations and the ranking achieved in these examinations) on the University website.

#### 4.10 Publication of the admission procedure:

In accordance with the Decree of the Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports of the Czech Republic No. 343/2002 Sb., on the procedure and conditions for publishing the admission procedure at higher education institutions, the departments/institutes will provide the test papers of the entrance examinations held in 2023 for publication. The head of the department is responsible for submitting the documents for the publication of information in accordance with the decree.

The full test papers of the written entrance examinations will be submitted in electronic form only to the Study Department no earlier than on the day following the last day of the regular date of the entrance examinations and no later than fifteen days after that day. If the test papers include multiple-choice questions (tick-box answers), the correct solution will be indicated in the electronic form of the test papers. Where the question requires formulation of an answer, the answer will not be published. The maximum score for each question/part of the test will always be indicated.

#### 4. 11 Protection of the written entrance examination test papers:

The head of the department and the staff providing for reprographic services or other administrative handling of the written entrance examinations are responsible for protecting the test papers from misuse until they are published.

For maximum data protection, I recommend not sending these files by e-mail, not storing them on the hard drive of the faculty computer but in properly secured copies on portable disks. Copies of the tests will be delivered to the examination in a sealed envelope stamped with the stamp of the department-guarantor.

#### 4. 12 Cancellation of the admission procedure

The Dean reserves the right to cancel an already announced admission procedure for any of the study programmes for reasons considered important. In the event that applicants are already registered for such a study programme, they will be offered a transfer to another study programme or a refund of the application fee. If the applicant does not agree to the application

transfer to another study programme, a resolution on stopping the admission procedure will be issued to him/her.

#### 5 ROUND TWO OF ADMISSIONS

The PřF Dean may announce Round 2 of admissions to certain study programmes in the event that the capacity of a study programme was not filled in Round 1 of admissions. The possible announcement of Round 2 of admissions will be published on the Faculty's website. The announcement of Round 2 of admissions will include a detailed timetable for its conduct.

These admissions rules and the conditions for admission to study shall apply mutatis mutandis to Round 2 of admissions, unless otherwise specified for Round 2.

# 6 SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION PROCEDURE IN THE EVENT OF EXTRAORDINARY SITUATIONS

# 6.1 Modification of the conditions of admission in the event of an extraordinary situation:

If the possibility of verifying the fulfilment of the conditions of admission to study (in particular, the holding of an entrance examination in presence of the applicant) is restricted due to a crisis measure announced under the Crisis Act or due to the ordering of an extraordinary measure under a special law (in particular, due to a worsened epidemic situation, natural or other disasters and catastrophes, industrial accidents, etc.), the Dean may change the rules and conditions of the admission procedure already announced after approval by the Academic Senate of the Faculty.

The faculty will publish information on the modification of the rules and conditions of the admission procedure on its website at least 15 days before the verification of the relevant condition of the admission procedure.

#### 6. 2 Proof of educational attainment in the event of an extraordinary situation:

If, due to a crisis measure announced under the Crisis Act or due to the ordering of an extraordinary measure under a special law (in particular, due to a worsened epidemic situation, natural or other disasters and catastrophes, industrial accidents, etc.), the applicants' ability to prove, at the time of the prior education attainment checking, that they have fulfilled the prior education attainment condition is hindered (see Article 4.7 for the date of verification of this condition), the applicant will be admitted to study without proof of prior educational attainment. In the admission decision, the applicant will be required to comply with the requirement to provide evidence of prior educational attainment within maximum 60 days from the date of enrolment.

#### 6. 3 Procedure in the event of failure to provide evidence of educational attainment:

In the event that the applicant fails to prove his/her previous educational attainment even within the time limit as per Article 6.2, referred to in Article 4.7Chyba! Nenalezen zdroj odkazů. above, the Dean decides that the admission to study and enrolment in the study cease to be valid and effective on the date of the entry into force of the decision to revoke the admission decision; this decision cannot be appealed. The period from the date of enrolment in the course of study until the date on which the decision to revoke the admission decision becomes final shall be included in the student's period of study.

# List of abbreviations and terms used:

UHK University of Hradec Králové

FF Philosophical FacultyPdF Faculty of EducationPřF Faculty of Science

Administrative Procedure Code Act No. 500/2004 Sb., the Administrative Procedure Code,

as amended

Higher Education Act Act No. 111/1998 Sb., on Higher Education Institutions and

on amendments and supplements to other acts, as amended

#### List of annexes:

**Annex 1** Medical certificate of fitness to study at a higher education institution

This decision comes into force and effect on the date of its signature.

Ass. Prof. RNDr. Jan Kříž, Ph.D. Dean of the PřF UHK