Conditions for admission to a full-time three-year bachelor’s degree study program “BIOMEDICAL TECHNOLOGY” in the academic year 2021/2022 (in the English language)

Each applicant must pass the admission procedure. The admission procedure consists of the entrance examination and the submission of the below listed documents in paper form:

1) **Certified copy of the secondary school** leaving certificate from the secondary school with the seat in the Czech or Slovak Republic, Poland, Hungary, Slovenia or the European Baccalaureate certificate. In exceptional cases a certificate from the secondary school concerning successful passing of the school leaving examination if the certificate is not available. In case of studies in Poland, Hungary or Slovenia, it is necessary to submit a certified translation of the school leaving certificate either in English or in Czech.

2) If the school leaving exam was passed abroad (this does not concern the above listed countries and Baccalaureate certificate), please submit the certified copy of the **Decision on recognition of foreign education on the Czech Republic and the nostrification clause** – please see [https://www.fbmi.cvut.cz/en/students/after-arrival?section=bc](https://www.fbmi.cvut.cz/en/students/after-arrival?section=bc) for further details.

3) If the school leaving exam was completed abroad (this does not concern Slovak Republic), applicants also submit the **certified copy of the school leaving certificate** or a confirmation of due passing of the school leaving exam and a **certified copy of the transcript of subjects** – everything must be translated into the English language. The translation to the English language must be carried out by a sworn translator.

4) **Cover letter** in the English language (see below for details).

5) **Medical certificate** concerning medical fitness for studying at a university.

The applicants, who have not completed their studies by the time of submission of their application or do not have the above listed documents (except for the cover letter) shall submit the respective documents later, but no later than by the September 13, 2021, 1 pm. They can submit the documents either in person or send them by mail to the study department of the Faculty of Biomedical Engineering (FBME). The cover letter must be submitted by April 2, 2021, 1 pm either in person or by mail. Any documents **submitted later shall be disregarded**.

The maximum number of students admitted to a study program is 20. If there is less than 1 applicant, i.e. less than 1 submitted and accepted application, the given study program will not be opened.

Study program Biomedical Technology – basic knowledge and understanding of mathematics, physics, chemistry and biology is expected. It is necessary to be fluent in both spoken and written English.

Entrance examination in English consists of a cover letter and an interview in English.

Cover letter in the English language:
Applicants interested in studying the Biomedical Technology program should be aware of the fact that the cover letter plays an important role in the admission procedure. The cover letter gives the Admission Committee relevant clues concerning the suitability of a candidate. Candidates are advised to address at least the following issues:

- Why did you choose Biomedical Technology as the main subject of your bachelor studies?
- Why do you want to study the Biomedical Technology program in particular, rather than other comparable programs?
- Why do you want to study a program that is specifically aimed at preparation and training for the subsequent clinical practice?
- Why do you think that you are a suitable candidate?
- How will you fit in a group of students from all over the world, all with different backgrounds?
- What are your plans after you get your bachelor’s degree?

Length of the cover letter: maximum 500 words!

Interview in English:
Your ability to communicate effectively in English will be verified by a SKYPE interview. The interview will take place during the period from April 6 - April 16, 2021 / May 10 - May 14, 2021. The applicant shall be informed about the date and time of the interview by an email sent to the email address, which s/he listed in the application form.

Application forms for studies are filled in electronically on the web page http://prihlaska.cvut.cz (choose the English version - EN) and must be submitted in electronic form only. The electronic application form is deemed submitted, if it is electronically completed and paid. Without the timely payment of the administrative fee, your application form will not be accepted for admissions.

The last day when the applicants can complete the electronic application forms for the academic year 2021/2022 is March 31, 2021!
The administrative fee for the admission procedure is CZK 850. The fee must be paid by a payment card online through the payment gateway directly in the electronic application to study. The fee can also be paid by a postal order type A or by a wire transfer (Bank details: Komerční banka Praha 6, account number 27-7380010287/0100, the international format of the account number IBAN: CZ2601000000277380010287, Swift Code: KOMBCZPP applies for applicants outside the Czech Republic. Use the number 77777 as a variable symbol and use your application form number as a specific symbol). The payment order must be submitted to the bank by March 31, 2021 at the latest. The payment order type A must be paid at the post office by March 31, 2021 at the latest. However, the faculty does not recommend this type of payment due to a higher error rate while copying the data and possible longer period for connection of the payment with the electronic application form. Payments made by the wire transfer and paid at the post after March 31, 2021 will be disregarded!

The administrative fee is not refundable, not even in case of not opening the study program and thus no entrance examination. It is also not refunded, if the application form was not accepted in admission procedure due to a failure to timely pay the fee.

After completion of the electronic application form and its timely payment, we would like to ask the applicants to send us their SKYPE contact details immediately by email. We also recommend to scan all the above documents and send them by email prior to their sending by mail. In both cases, please send the documents to the address veronika.jirotkova@fbmi.cvut.cz.

If the applicant is admitted, he/she will be informed about the date of the enrolment to studies (in the period from 13. 9. 2021 to 17. 9. 2021). If the applicant does not appear for the enrolment, it is regarded as a proof that s/he is not interested in commencement of studies.

Studies in the English language are for consideration. The fee is set in compliance with the valid CTU Status, article 11 and Enclosure 5 to the CTU Status (see http://en.fbmi.cvut.cz/faculty/documents).

The self-funding students of the bachelor study program Biomedical Technology in the English language and studying for the standard length are entitled to a scholarship. It will be CZK 20,000,- per semester in the academic year 2021/2022. This scholarship will be awarded to the students in order to support studies in the Czech Republic and after fulfilment of the prescribed conditions (payment of the study fee within the set time limit and submission of the requested documents). The self-funding students are also entitled to a scholarship for excellent study results. The amount of these scholarships and conditions for their awarding in the relevant academic year complies with the CTU Scholarship rules and the Directive of the Dean concerning bachelor and follow up master study programs at the Faculty of biomedical engineering of the CTU.
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