**Integrated undergraduate and graduate university study program 'Medicine'**

**TYPE OF STUDY PROGRAM:** University

**THE LEVEL OF THE STUDY PROGRAM:** An integrated undergraduate and graduate

**FIELD OF STUDY:** Medicine and Health

**TYPE OF STUDY:** Full-time study

**THE ANTICIPATED DURATION OF THE STUDY:** 6 years, 360 ECTS

**LANGUAGE OF THE STUDIES PERFORMED:** Croatian/English

**ACADEMIC / PROFESSIONAL TITLE AWARDED UPON COMPLETION OF STUDIES:** Doctor / Doctor of Medicine, dr. med. / M.D.

**REQUIRED EDUCATIONAL LEVEL FOR ENROLLMENT:** Completed four-year high school, met Prerequisites course, passed the mandatory and optional tests the state graduation (according to the parameters valuation to be determined for each academic year).

**LEARNING OUTCOMES:** Integrated undergraduate and graduate university study

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

1) Evaluation of the secondary school grades (overall average over the continuum of all 4 years of the secondary school education comprising all the grades and the final exam, together with the specific evaluation of grades in Biology, Chemistry, and Physics)

2) Written exam in Biology, Chemistry, and Physics.
   - Dates:
     - I: April 3, 2020
     - II: July 17, 2020
     - III: September 4, 2020
   - Location: Rijeka, Faculty of Medicine (Braće Branchetta 20/1, HR-51000 Rijeka)

3) Candidates who have completed a pre-medical college or passed internationally recognized exams (MCAT with minimal score 9 for each section), or earned a B.A./B.Sc. degree in natural sciences with good credits in Biology, Physics, Chemistry may be exempted from the entrance exam.

4) Applicants who have taken SAT Subject Tests in Biology, Physics, and Chemistry, with a minimum score of 600 in each subject, may also be exempted from the entrance exam.

5) Candidates who are neither native speakers of English, nor have graduated from an English-speaking secondary school or college are required to take an internationally recognized English language proficiency test (TOEFL – paper-based test 500, internet-based test 60, computer-based test 170, IELTS – 6). Cambridge and Oxford English language exams and certificates issued by (foreign) language schools (B2 level) are also
accepted, as well as certificates of English language proficiency issued by a secondary school a candidate attended.

6) Transfer students currently cannot apply. Check the Application procedure for more information.

ENROLMENT PROCEDURE:

The maximum number of admitted students per Academic year 2020/2021 will be 50. Selected students will be sent an Offer of the place followed by the Letter of Acceptance and the Contract.

Enrolment takes place in Rijeka in July and in September before the winter semester begins. Please make all the necessary arrangements in time (visa, accommodation...). These reasons are not legitimate for postponing the beginning of study obligations. (Late enrolment fee might be applied)

Applicants who obtained their high school education abroad must have their high school diploma recognized in Croatia to be eligible to enrol.

For more details about this procedure, please see the following LINK.

The academic year starts with the winter semester – at the beginning of October. Students have a two-week winter break around Christmas and New Year while the summer break starts at the end of July.

Exam terms are at the end of each course and in July and September.

The tuition fee is 10,000 Euro per year and it must be paid in full upon admission.

Admission is possible into the winter semester only!

For further information regarding the study program and/or possible changes, please click the following link: https://medical-studies-in-english.com/.

Complete applications are to be sent to the following address:

University of Rijeka, Faculty of Medicine
Medical Studies in English
Braće Branchetta 20
HR-51000 Rijeka
Croatia
APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

Applications are received for each exam term until **10 days** before exam term date.

Applications for the spring exam term should be sent by March 13, 2020, for the summer exam term by June 26, 2020, and for the autumn exam term by August 20, 2020.

1) Completed Application form

2) Originals or certified copies of their secondary school certificates (for all the years of secondary school and the final certificate of education) with an official transcript of grades.

   **APPLICANTS WHO OBTAINED THEIR HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION ABROAD MUST HAVE THEIR HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA RECOGNIZED IN CROATIA TO BE FULLY ENROLLED. FOR MORE DETAILS ABOUT THIS PROCEDURE, PLEASE SEE THE FOLLOWING LINK.**

3) Certificates of higher courses or degrees (college/university), if any.

   **APPLICANTS WHO OBTAINED THEIR UNIVERSITY DEGREE ABROAD WILL HAVE TO GET THEIR PERIOD OF STUDY RECOGNIZED IN THE REPUBLIC OF CROATIA TO BE FULLY ENROLLED.**

4) Officially attested English translation of their secondary school/ graduation certificates if these weren’t originally written in English or Croatian.

5) Curriculum vitae in English (Europass)

6) 4 photographs, 4×6 cm (not older than six months)

7) Application fee of 200 Euro payable directly to our account (not by a cheque):
   Beneficiary: Medicinski fakultet, Braće Branchetta 20, 51000 Rijeka
   Details of charge: OUR (all expenses are covered by the applicant)

8) Original medical certificate of general health status (not older than 1 month) issued by an authorized family physician (not a family member)

9) Photocopy of relevant passport pages with the data and a picture.

10) Original or certified copy of their birth certificate (“domovnica”, “rodni list” originals and copy of your ID for Croatian citizens)

11) A certified financial statement that the applicant or his/her sponsor has adequate financial resources to finance his/her study (bank statement or statement of financial credibility)

12) English language proficiency certificate (TOEFL, IELTS...). Cambridge and Oxford English language exams and certificates issued by (foreign) language schools (B2 level) are also accepted, as well as certificates of English language proficiency issued by a secondary school a candidate attended.