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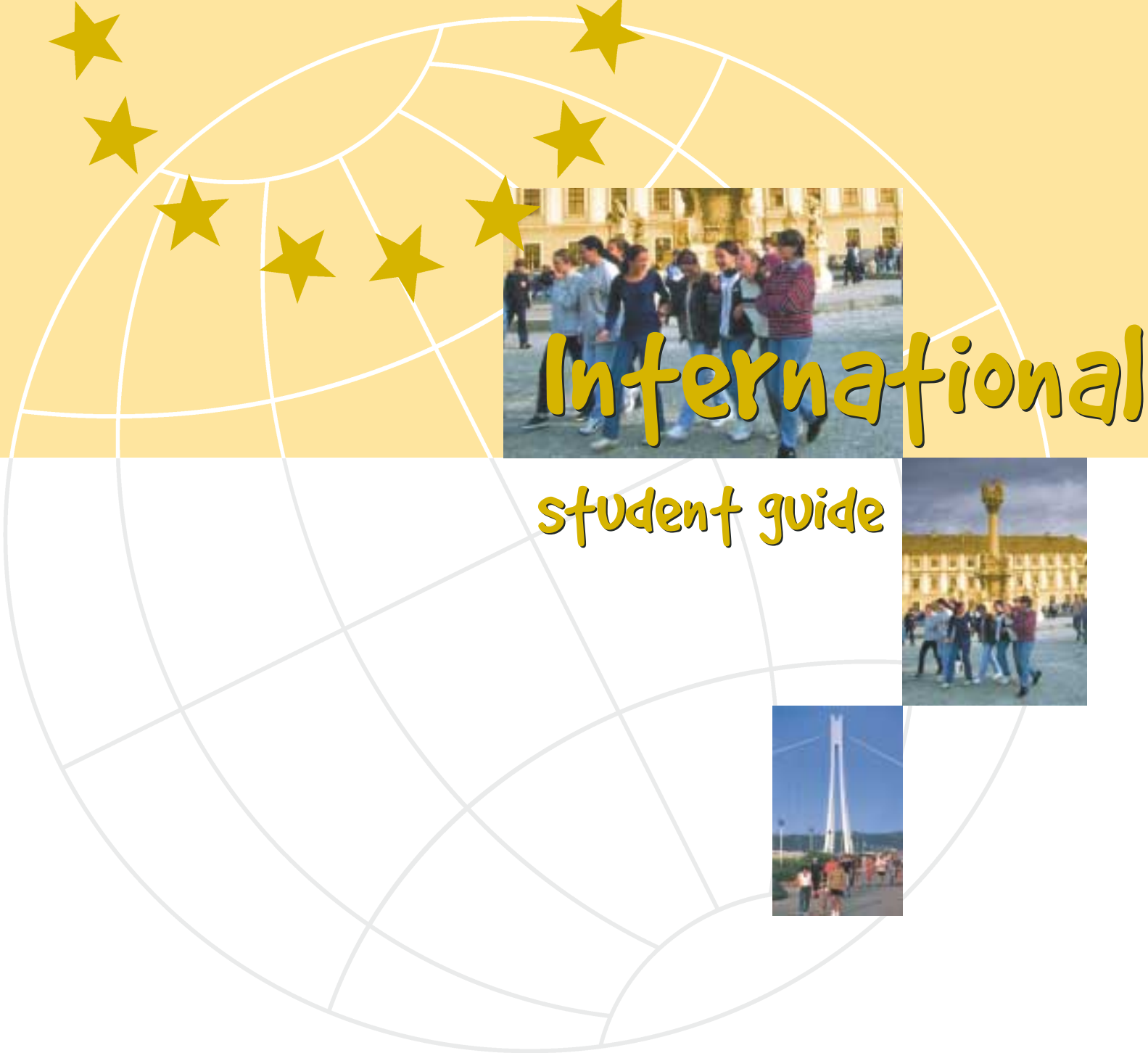


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Dear international student,

It is our great pleasure to welcome you as an international student at Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek. We are convinced that this International Student Guide will help you to choose the study you are interested in and not only this, the Guide contains contact and web addresses you will surely need once you become our student. It invites you to come to Osijek and to visit its historical and cultural amenities, which will surely encourage you to see other parts of beautiful Croatia while studying in the town of Osijek.

Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek is today a medium-size university when compared to other European universities. Our common goal is development of the University as a modern European institution of higher education, as a centre of excellence, of course keeping pace with other institutions of higher education in Europe.

We do hope that the information in this Guide will help you prepare yourself for your stay in Osijek, in order to settle quickly upon arrival to Croatia and to make your days in Osijek pleasant. If you need any additional information or maybe you have a question to be answered, feel free to contact the University International Relations Office, which is at your disposal with staff willing to help all our students.

Dear international student, let us take this opportunity to wish you a pleasant stay at Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek.

Welcome!



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Croatia



Croatia



The Republic of Croatia is an independent country in South Eastern Europe with its capital in Zagreb. Having a population of over 4.5 million, Croatia lies at the Eastern coast of the Adriatic Sea with its hinterland stretching to the slopes of the Alps and deep into the Pannonian lowlands, to the banks of the Danube and Drava Rivers. It consists of three geographic regions: the Mediterranean, the Mountainous and the Pannonian region. In the west of the country Croatia borders on the Italian Adriatic, in the northwest and north on Slovenia, in the north and northeast on Hungary. In the east it borders on the Province of Vojvodina (within Serbia), in the south on Bosnia and Herzegovina, and in the far south on Montenegro.

Though a small country, Croatia is defined by diverse cultural influences that resulted in distinctive architecture and a rich stew of traditions. Traditional atmosphere as well as the beauty of the landscape can be observed in the Eastern region of our country, named Slavonia and Baranja. Osijek is the capital of Slavonia and Baranja. A convenient geographical location on the rivers of Drava and Danube makes Osijek a strong political, cultural, educational and industrial centre.

Time zone:

Croatia is one hour ahead of Greenwich Mean Time (GMT), 6 hours ahead of New York and Montreal, 9 hours ahead of Los Angeles, 4 hours ahead of Sao Paulo, 2 hours behind Moscow, and 8 hours behind Tokyo. Daylight saving time is observed from late March to late October, during which time the clocks are advanced one hour.

Climate:

Continental Croatia has a continental climate, while the Adriatic coast has a Mediterranean climate. In the continental area, where Osijek is situated, spring and autumn are mild, summer is usually hot, while winter can be cold and snowy.

Customs:

Custom duties are not paid on personal objects. Radios, telephones, sporting and professional equipment may be brought into the country after having been registered at the border crossing.

Passports and licenses:

Passports or other identification documents recognized by international agree-

ment are required to enter the country. A driving license, traffic license and the relevant insurance documents (except for countries that have other regulations) are necessary for entry into Croatia with a vehicle.

Electricity:

Electrical current is 220 volts AC, 50 Hz. Most plugs have two round pins. So, if you wish to operate personal electric items, you should bring a plug adapter and a transformer.

Public holidays:

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|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| • New Year's Day | January 1 |
| • Epiphany - Three Kings | January 6 |
| • Easter and Easter Monday | April |
| • Labor Day | May 1 |
| • Corpus Christi | June |
| • Anti-fascism Day | June 22 |
| • National Day (Dan državnosti) | June 25 |
| • National Thanksgiving Day | August 5 |
| • Assumption of our Lady | August 15 |
| • Independence Day | October 8 |
| • All Saints' Day | November 1 |
| • Christmas | December 25, 26 |





The city of

Osijek

The City of

Historical overview

The history of Osijek goes back to Neolithic times and begins with the first known inhabitants, who belonged to the Illyrian tribes. Later on, in 331, the Roman emperor Hadrian raised the old settlement of Mursa to a colony with special privileges. After that, Mursa had a turbulent history, with a lot of decisive battles that

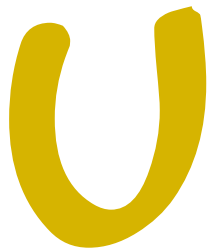
took place here, deciding the destiny of the whole region. After migrating, the Croats made a settlement near the ruins of Mursa, giving it its present name, Osijek. The first precise mention of this name can be found in the Papal list from 1332, with a specific mention of Osijek parish. Life was thriving here in the Middle Ages, but only traces of that life can be found today, because the Turks destroyed everything they found and built a town to suit their style. The Turks built several important buildings and mosques here, including Suleiman the Magnificent's famous 8 km-long wooden bridge, considered to be one of the wonders of the world. After liberation from the Turks in 1687, Osijek was once again completely devastated. Between 1712 and 1721, the new Austrian authorities built a new fortress, today known as

Tvrđa. It is a unique urban and military complex that lies in the heart of the town. Its central *Holy Trinity Square* is bound on the north by the *Building of the Military Command*, today the seat of the Rector and the Agricultural Faculty. On the west there is the *Main Guard Building*, and on the east the *Magistrate Building*, presently the Museum of Slavonia. In the middle, there is a *Plague Monument*, erected in 1729.

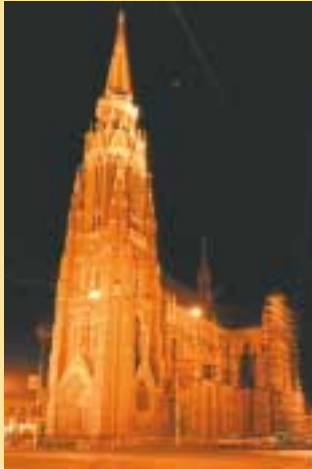


The three parts of the town, the Lower Town, Tvrđa, and the Upper Town were united in 1786, and Osijek became the administrative centre of the Slavonia region. In 1779, a new wooden bridge was built across the Drava River, connecting Osijek with Hungary and the rest of central Europe. Upper Town became the new business centre of the town.

Osijek was heavily damaged during the Homeland War, 1991-1995. The peaceful reintegration of Eastern Slavonia and Baranja was successfully completed, opening the way to the revival of our city and the whole region.



Osijek



Osijek Today

Osijek is the administrative and economic centre of Eastern Croatia, situated on the right bank of the Drava River, 25 km upstream from its mouth into the Danube. We'll take you on a little walk through the city streets, squares and parks...

Bishop Josip Juraj Strossmayer, after whom our University is named, supported its construction.

Other interesting sites are:

- Kapucinska and Županijska streets, as the busiest ones in Osijek, fully reveal the urban spirit of the city
- Several city parks, ensuring Osijek's reputation as "the green city"

Some facts about Osijek

Latitude	45 32'
Longitude	18 44'
90 m above sea level	
Population	104,553
Number of streets in the city	370
Number of squares	15
Number of city parks	17



Let's start from the centre, Ante Starčević Square, located in the Upper Town, which is the administrative and business centre of Osijek. Most buildings date from the late 19th and early 20th century. The biggest church in Osijek, consecrated to St. Peter and Paul is here. Although it is only a parish church, it is called a cathedral because of its size and significance. It was built at the end of the 19th century in the Neo-Gothic style.



- The Croatian National Theatre, founded in 1907
- The City and University Library building, built in 1905 and
- The Fine Arts Gallery, built in 1996, both located on Europe Avenue.
- The old part of Osijek, Tvrdica, a unique military complex where the Rector's office and some faculties are situated.



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1707/1708 academic year as Studium Philosophicum Essekini, and included a three-year course of studies in philosophy. The significance of the first colleges in Osijek lies in their huge contribution to

A Short History of Higher Education in Osijek

The history of higher education in this area began almost three centuries ago, i.e. in 1707, when the first institution of higher education was founded in Osijek. It was the Higher Theological School, which was opened in the



Croatian language and literature, the spreading of liberal-arts education, and the study of languages and classical literature.

The recent history of higher education in the area began in 1959 when the Zagreb Faculty of Economics, in accordance with

the University of Zagreb, founded the Centre for part-time studies in Osijek as a branch of the Zagreb Faculty of Economics.

The initiative for the founding of the University of Osijek dates back to 1975. On 26 March 1975, the Croatian Parliament (Sabor) passed the Decision granting consent for the establishing the University of Osijek.

Two months later, on 31 May 1975, the Agreement concerning the founding of the University of Osijek was signed by the Faculty of Economics, the Faculty of Agriculture and Food Processing, the Institute of Agriculture, the Zagreb School of Engineering and Naval Architecture for Engineering Studies in Slavonski Brod, the Teacher Training College in Osijek, the Zagreb Music Academy for the Music Department in Osijek, the City Library and the Historical Archives in Osijek. Therefore, we celebrate 31 May as the day when the University of Osijek was founded.

In this brief outline we need to point out several important years in the history of the founding of the various faculties of the

University of Osijek: in 1975 the Faculty of Law, in 1976 the Faculty of Food Technology, in 1977 the Faculty of Education, in 1979 the School of Engineering in Slavonski Brod and Medical Studies in Osijek, which developed into the Faculty of Medicine in 1998, in 1982 the Faculty of Civil Engineering, in 1990 the Electrical Engineering Studies developed into the Faculty of Electrical Engineering, and in the same year, the Senate of the University passed the Decision to include the name of Josip Juraj Strossmayer in the name of the University. Thus, the youngest Croatian University is named after this extremely important person in Croatian and European history.

Furthermore, we need to point out that the academic year 1991/1992 began in wartime Croatia. We must emphasise that the University of Osijek is the only University in Croatia that suffered severe damage in the war for independence.

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The University of Osijek at the Beginning of the Third Millennium

Nine faculties, the Department of Mathematics and the Teacher Training college offer courses of studies in the following fields: natural sciences, technical sciences, biomedicine and medicine,



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biotechnical sciences, social sciences and the humanities.

There are three more affiliated institutions of the University of Osijek that contribute to and support higher education: the City and University Library in Osijek, the Student Centre in Osijek and the Student Centre in Slavonski Brod. In the years ahead, the main activity of the Josip Juraj Strossmayer University Administration will be to ensure the regular functioning of the University, including teaching and publishing, research and cooperation between universities in the country and abroad, and the reconstruction and development of the University.

The long-term plans and programmes envisage the development of University facilities at three main locations in the city of Osijek: Tvrd̄a, «Drava» and «Gaj» barracks.

Josip Juraj Strossmayer

Joseph George Strossmayer, (Croatian: Josip Juraj) bishop and theologian, politician and statesman, is one of the most famous Croats in the world, known as a promoter of Croatian culture and the people's tribune, whose entire life was devoted to advancing the welfare and progress of his Croatian people. He was born on February 4,

1815 in Osijek, died April 8, 1905 in Đakovo, the seat of the diocese he had run for 55 years.



Excellent work and brilliant speeches by the bishop of Đakovo at the First Vatican Council (1869 - 1870) gained for him great respect both in and outside of the Catholic world, but personal fame and popularity did not prevent him from attempting to make the Croatian people open to other nations, mostly to Slavs.

Strossmayer was a true predecessor of modern ecumenical quests for unification and open dialogue, and he strove for unity and cooperation despite differences, cast-

ing away centuries of misunderstanding and conflict.

Strossmayer developed intellectually following the ideas of European liberal Catholicism, which held a broad viewpoint, and directed him towards global reasoning and evaluation.

Joseph George Strossmayer holds one of the most honourable places in the pantheon of Croatian dignitaries. Bishop and statesman, the greatest benefactor and cultural leader of the Croatian people, distinguished orator and political thinker, apostle of peace, understanding and cooperation among people and nations, he was, and still remains, one of the greatest founders of modern Croatia, respected far beyond its borders. Therefore, he should rightfully appear on one of the most honourable pages of recent Croatian history.



Academic calendar

Winter term:	beginning of October - end of January
Exam period:	February
Summer term:	beginning of March - middle of June
Exam period:	middle of June - middle of July
Summer vacation:	August
Exam period:	September

Faculties



Faculty of

The predecessor of the Osijek Faculty of Economics was the Centre for Economic Studies, which was founded in 1959 with the aim of assisting students studying at the Zagreb Faculty of Economics. In 1960, the Centre was transformed into the Junior College of Economics, and in 1961, the Faculty of Economics was founded. In the beginning, the Faculty was a member of the University of Zagreb, but since 1975 it has been a part of the University of Osijek.

The Faculty has established successful collaboration with Croatian and foreign faculties of economics and research institutions.



- have a working knowledge of at least one world language (English, German, French or Italian)

Candidates who have not finished University studies in economics, but have

The Faculty of Economics offers two undergraduate and three postgraduate studies.

University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Economics
8 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- Financial Management
- Marketing Management

Enrollment quota for international students: 5

Tuition fee (annual): 16.000,00 HRK

University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Science in Economics
4 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- Management
- Entrepreneurship
- Marketing

Postgraduate studies are open to candidates who:

- have finished a four-year programme of economic studies,
- have achieved an average grade of 3.5 or higher (including the graduation thesis grade) during their undergraduate studies, and

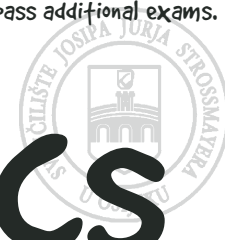


Completed studies in other faculties or colleges, can enroll in postgraduate studies, provided that they have worked in economics-related jobs for two years after graduation. Pursuant to the decision of the Academic Council of the Faculty of Economics, they are also required to pass additional exams.

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Economics



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The Faculty of Law in Osijek was established in 1975. Since then, it has produced a number of excellent judges, state prosecutors, attorneys, public notaries and lawyers employed in economics, in state administration, and in local governments. The scientific and teaching staff of the Faculty have always had and still have an important role in the production of Croatian legal literature, in legislation and in the judicial administration. Many of the professors and the students of the Faculty of Law have important positions in the political life of Croatia as representa-

tives in the Parliament, ministers in the Government, rectors, district-prefects, leading figures in the judiciary, etc.

The Faculty enjoys outstanding international cooperation and some of its professors are active members of well-known international scientific institutions.

The library of the Faculty of Law is now the main source of data and information in the field of law in Eastern Croatia.

The Faculty of Law offers one undergraduate programme and two university postgraduate studies.

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University undergraduate study for the degree of:

- Bachelor's Degree in Law
3 semesters

Field of specialisation:
• Law - General

Enrollment quota for international students:
2
Tuition fee (annual):
16.000,00 HRK



Management of the Development of Local and Regional Self-Government

This master study is open to candidates who:

- have performed management work or if they are preparing for management work at the local, regional or state level, after they graduated



University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Social Sciences, field of Law
4 semesters

Field of specialisation:
• Business Law and Business Transactions

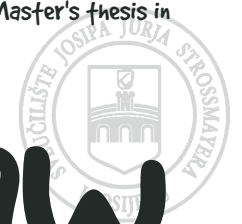
This master study is open to candidates who:

- have performed some economic activity for profit (entrepreneurs) after they graduated from the Faculty of Law or any other faculty,
- have obtained recognised full equivalence of a foreign diploma, and
- have a certificate of a successfully passed Croatian language exam at the level allowing the candidate to attend and follow the lectures and defend their Master's thesis in Croatian.

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Law



Faculty of



and Live Stock Breeding, for both full-time and part-time students. In 1969 a four-year study introducing the Food Technology Programme was founded. The High Agricultural School changed its name to the Faculty of Agricultural and Food Technology and was divided into two institutions, i.e. the Faculty of Agriculture and the Faculty of Food

Eastern Slavonia is the most important agricultural area in the Republic of Croatia, so that the development of the Faculty of Agriculture in Osijek is of great importance for future progress of the land.

The High Agricultural School in Osijek was founded in 1960 as a member of the University of Zagreb. Studies were organised in two groups - Field Crops Production



Technology. After that, together with the Institute of Agriculture, they became a part of the Biotechnical Research and Teaching Centre, up to the year 1991 when the Faculty of Agriculture became an independent institution of higher education.

The Faculty of Agriculture offers four undergraduate and eight university postgraduate studies, as well as one professional postgraduate study.

University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Agriculture
9 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- General Agronomy
- Livestock Breeding
- Crop Farming
- Agricultural Mechanisation

- *Seed Science of Arable crops*

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture (except Livestock Breeding). Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.

Enrollment quota for international students: 20 (5 students for each field of specialisation)

Tuition fee (annual): 22.000,00 HRK

University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Science in Agriculture
4 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- *Plant Protection*

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture (except Livestock Breeding), Faculty of Forestry, Faculty of Science or Faculty of Education (Biology). Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.

- *Plant Physiology*

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture (Crop Farming or General Agronomy), Faculty of Forestry, Faculty of Science (Biology and Chemistry) or Faculty of Education (Biology and Chemistry). Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.



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Agriculture





• **Special Livestock Breeding**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology or Faculty of Food Technology. Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.

• **Hunting and Study of Canines**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Faculty of Forestry or Faculty of Science (Biology). Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.



• **Livestock Breeding and Forage Technology**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology or Faculty of Food Technology. Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.



Professional postgraduate study for the degree of:

- Master of Science in Agriculture
2 semesters

Field of specialisation:

• **Livestock Breeding of Family Farms**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology or Faculty of Food Technology. Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.

• **Agricultural Mechanisation**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture (Agricultural Mechanisation), or any of the four-year university undergraduate programmes at technical faculties, under condition that they pass two additional exams. Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.

• **Meat and Meat Products**

This postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme at the Faculty of Agriculture, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Science, Faculty of Food Technology and Biotechnology or Faculty of Food Technology. Knowledge of at least one foreign language is necessary.



Faculty of

The Faculty of Food Technology in Osijek was established in 1976 to enable students to acquire professional and technical knowledge based on scientific developments in the fields of natural, technical and biotechnical sciences, and social studies. An additional aim of the programme is to impart professional knowledge about the types and resources



of raw materials that are processed into finished and semi-finished products, as well as the methods of long and short-term preservation in the food production industry. Graduates of this Faculty acquire sufficient knowledge to work in research centres, or educational institutions or other places of food production, packaging, distribution and food quality control.

The Faculty has been successfully involved in many national and international projects.

The Faculty of Food Technology offers three university undergraduate studies and one postgraduate master and doctoral study.

University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Food Technology and Process Engineering
3 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- Food Engineering
- Process Engineering
- Food Science

Enrollment quota for international students: 10
Tuition fee (annual): 22.000,00 HRK

- have finished a four-year programme of Agronomy, Technology and Chemical Engineering and Technology with the obligation of undertaking some specialised courses and exams. For each candidate, the Academic Council of the Faculty of Food Technology will decide which courses and exams the candidate should undertake.

University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Science, Field of Food Process Engineering
4 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Food Process Engineering

Master study is open to candidates who:

- have finished a four-year programme of Food Technology and/or Biotechnology
- have achieved an average grade of 3.5 or higher during their undergraduate studies

- Doctor of Science, Field of Food Process Engineering
6 semesters

Field of specialisation:

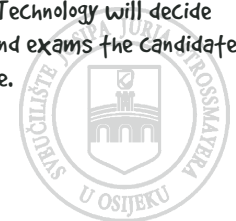
- Food Process Engineering

Doctoral study is open to candidates who:

- have finished a four-year programme of Food Technology and/or Biotechnology
- have achieved an average grade of 4.0 or higher during their undergraduate studies
- have finished a four-year programme of Agronomy, Technology and Chemical Engineering and Technology with the obligation of undertaking some specialised courses and exams. For each candidate, the Academic Council of the Faculty of Food Technology will decide which courses and exams the candidate should undertake.

Food Technology

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The beginnings of organised higher education of civil engineers reach back into the year 1967, when the Department of Higher Technical Civil Engineering School was established in Osijek. The Faculty of Civil Engineering in Osijek started its activities in 1983. Since then it has become one of the leading institutions in the area of structural research, analysis and design. Specialised technologies and improvements are integrated for the purpose of initiating technical developments.



The Faculty has constantly invested in the specialisation and education of its staff.

The Faculty has established very good international relations with a number of European technical faculties and universities.



University postgraduate study for the degree of:

- Master of Technical Sciences, field of Civil Engineering

Field of specialisation:
• Structures

University undergraduate study for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering
9 semesters

Field of specialisation:
• Civil Engineering - General

Enrollment quota for international students: 5
Tuition fee (annual): 22.000,00 HRK



Postgraduate study is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme of technical sciences studies or natural science studies (Mathematics or Physics).

Civil Engineering

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Faculty of



Electromechanical Engineering changed its name to the Junior College of Electrical Engineering and introduced a curriculum for the education of engineers of electrical engineering and engineers of electronics.

The Faculty of Electrical Engineering was established in 1978 as the third such faculty in Croatia. The Faculty was initially established as a five-semester Junior College of Electromechanical Engineering in order to provide qualified personnel in this part of Croatia, where specialists in electrical engineering were needed. In 1989 the Junior College of



The Faculty has established very good international relations with CEEPUS, as well as with universities in Bremen, Saarbrücken, Pécs, Bratislava, Vienna and Graz.

The Faculty of Electrical Engineering offers two four-year undergraduate studies and one university postgraduate study.

University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering
8 semesters

Enrollment quota for international students: 5
Tuition fee (annual): 22.000,00 HRK

University postgraduate study for the degree of:

- Master of Science, Field of Electrical Engineering
4 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Management of Electroenergetic and Industrial Plants



Fields of specialisation:

- Power Engineering
- Electronics and Automation

Elective majoring in:

- Computer Science
- Electronics and Automation
- Communications



Electrical Engineering



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The Faculty of Mechanical Engineering was founded in 1979 as the legal successor of the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering and Naval Architecture, which was a member of the University of Zagreb. The Faculty is highly respected in the country and abroad for its well



University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering
8 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Production Engineering
- Elective majoring in:
- Technology and Materials
 - Production Organisation and Maintenance



organised research activities, publishing, attestation analyses, prototype manufacturing and laboratory tests.

The Faculty of Mechanical Engineering in Slavonski Brod has developed successful collaborations with similar institutions and organisations in Croatia and abroad.



University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Technical Sciences, field of Mechanical Engineering
4 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Manufacturing Systems
- Manufacturing Operations

Enrollment quota for international students: 5

Tuition fee (annual): 22.000,00 HRK

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Mechanical Engineering

in Slavonski Brod



Faculty of

The Faculty of Education is one of the oldest institutions of higher education in Osijek and the most comprehensive, for it consists of a variety of departments offering a wide range of programmes and courses.

The systematic training of teachers in Osijek began in 1893, when the secondary Teacher Training School was founded. The Teacher Training College was founded in 1961. In 1977 the Teacher Training College developed into the Faculty of Education.

Many of the staff members and students are active participants and initiators of various social and cultural events in the city of Osijek. A great number of the alumni are highly respected scientists or artists prominent in the cultural life of the country.



University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Education in Croatian Language and Literature
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in History and Croatian Language and Literature
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in English Language and Literature and in German Language and Literature
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in German Language and Literature and History
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in English Language and Literature and History
8 semesters

- Bachelor of Education in Librarianship and Croatian Language and Literature
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in Music
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in Biology and Chemistry
8 semesters
- Bachelor of Education in Physics, Polytechnics and Informatics
8 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- Croatian Language and Literature
- History and Croatian Language and Literature
- English Language and Literature and German Language and Literature
- German Language and Literature and History
- English Language and Literature and History
- Librarianship and Croatian Language and Literature
- Music
- Biology and Chemistry
- Physics, Polytechnics and Informatics

Enrollment quota for international students: according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology

Tuition fee (annual): according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology

University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Science, Field of Croatian Language and Literature
4 semesters
- Doctor of Science, Field of Croatian Language and Literature
6 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Croatian Language and Literature in the context of Central European Languages and Literature

This postgraduate course is open to candidates who have finished a four-year undergraduate programme of Croatistics as an independent study or as a part of the study of Slavistics.



Education

L. Jägera 9, HR-31000 Osijek,
www.pedos.hr

Teacher



Undergraduate studies for the degree or professional title of:

- Primary School Teacher with Intensified Programme of Informatics 8 semesters
- Primary School Teacher with Intensified Programme of English Language 8 semesters



The Teacher Training College was established in 1998 by a regulation of the Government of the Republic of Croatia. It was established after the departments for pre-school teachers and for primary school teachers separated from the Faculty of Education in Osijek.



Enrollment quota for international students: according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology
Tuition fee (annual): according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology



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- Primary School Teacher with Intensified Programme of German Language 8 semesters
- Primary School Teacher with Intensified Programme of History 8 semesters
- Pre-school Teacher 6 semesters



Training college

L. Jägera 9, HR-31000 Osijek,
www.vusos.hr

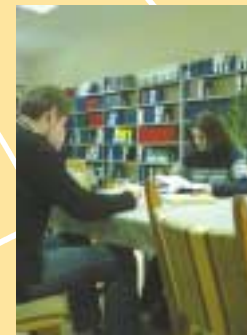


Department of



University undergraduate studies for the degree of:

- Bachelor of Education in Mathematics and Informatics
8 semesters



The Department of Mathematics was established in 2001 after it separated from the Faculty of Education in Osijek.



Enrollment quota for international students: 2 (Mathematics - Informatics) + 1 (Mathematics - Physics)
Tuition fee (annual): 16.000,00 HRK

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- Bachelor of Education in Mathematics and Physics
8 semesters

Fields of specialisation:

- Mathematics - Informatics
- Mathematics - Physics



Trg Lj. Gaja 6, HR-31000 Osijek,
www.mathos.hr

Mathematics



Faculty of

Based on a long medical tradition in Osijek, in 1979 a satellite campus of the Medical School in Zagreb was established in Osijek for the study of medicine.

The Faculty of Medicine became a member of J. J. Strossmayer University of Osijek in 1998. Today it is located



This postgraduate study is open to candidates who:

- have graduated from medicine or related biomedical studies,



within the Clinical Hospital of Osijek, which offers all necessary facilities for clinical teaching. To be licenced as general practitioners, graduated students are obliged to serve a one-year internship and to pass the national verification board.

University undergraduate study for the degree of:

- Doctor of Medicine
12 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Medicine - General

Enrollment quota for international students: according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology

Tuition fee (annual): according to the decision of the Ministry of Science and Technology

University postgraduate studies for the degree of:

- Master of Science in Medicine
4 semesters
- Doctor of Science in Medicine
6 semesters

Field of specialisation:

- Biomedicine and Health



- have achieved an average grade of 3.51 or higher during their undergraduate studies,
- have relevant knowledge of one foreign language, and
- have basic computer knowledge

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J. Huflera 4, HR-31000 Osijek,
www.mefos.hr

Medicine





How to reach

Osijek



How to reach

Flying to Croatia

The main Croatian airport is located in Zagreb and is well connected to many European destinations. Osijek, however, has a local airport, which offers direct flights to Zagreb. More information about timetables and destinations is available on the official site of Croatia Airlines (www.croatiaairlines.hr), as well as on the web page of the Osijek Airport (www.airport-osijek.com).



Railway Travel

Croatia has direct railway links with Slovenia, Hungary, Italy, Austria, Switzerland, Slovakia, France, Germany, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Yugoslavia, and indirect links with almost all other European countries. Information about Croatian railways and connections to Osijek can be obtained at www.hznet.hr or by dialling 060 333 444.

Bus Travel

Bus lines connect all parts of the country. Regular international bus lines connect Croatia with all neighbouring countries and with Austria, France, Italy, Germany and Slovakia. For information about national and international bus lines please dial 060 313 333.

The easiest way

The easiest way to reach Osijek from abroad is to fly to Zagreb and to take a train to Osijek. The train service from Zagreb is frequent, safe and reliable and

takes approximately 3.5 hours by Inter City. Trains normally include buffet cars for your convenience. Taxis are also available at the Osijek Main Railway Station. A train ticket from Zagreb to Osijek costs around 15 EUR.

Flying to Budapest is another option. There is excellent train service from Budapest Deli Railway Station to the Hungarian city of Pécs. From Pécs you can take either a train or bus to Osijek.

Approximate road distance between Osijek and some European towns:

Budapest	260 km
Vienna	556 km
Trieste	529 km
Milan	951 km
Zurich	1089 km
Munich	765 km
Athens	1300 km

Visa Regulations and Residence Permit

The visa can be obtained from the Croatian Embassy or consulate before entering the country. Please, refer to the web site of Croatian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (www.mvpp.hr) in order to get

information about Croatian embassies and representatives in your country. Officers there will provide all necessary information about student visa regulations.

Upon arrival to Croatia, you will need your student visa in order to apply for a residence permit, which entitles you to stay in Croatia for a longer period of time.

Health Insurance

Health insurance is obligatory during your stay in Croatia.

Croatia has a social security agreement with the EU, which provides residents who are insured in those countries with access to medical services in Croatia. That means that you can have a medical insurance of your home country and use the medical services in Croatia. However, some medical services are not covered by the international agreements and you will be asked to pay for them. Another possibility is to obtain a health insurance from Croatian Institute for Health Insurance - Hrvatski zavod za zdravstveno osiguranje, web site: www.hzzo-net.hr. With Croatian health insurance you will be entitled to all medical services like other Croatian citizens.

Osijek



Accommodation in Osijek

The Central Hotel, situated at the main square, and the Osijek Hotel on the bank of the river Drava are the best known hotels in Osijek with a recognised tradition of good service.

The dormitory of the University of Osijek offers the cheapest student accommodation. The approximate monthly costs are 20 EUR. It should be emphasised that only a small number of our students can be put up in the dormitory, due to limited space. Therefore, we cannot guarantee accommodation in it for foreign students.

For student accommodation, more appropriate choices are private apartments and rooms, prices of which are from 50 EUR for a single room to 150 EUR for an apartment a month.

X card - Student Identity card

Students of the University of Osijek are entitled to hold a student identity card, called the X card. It is a sort of a pre-paid card used in students' cafeterias and restaurants. It is not only a "licence to eat" but it is also a card that proves your student status, so you can get tickets and services at a reduced price.



Information



General

Telephone

For international calls, you can call either from the post office or public telephone booths. Phone cards in the value of 25, 50, 100 or 200 HRK can be bought in all post offices and kiosks and used in every telephone booth in Croatia.



Post office open hours:

Monday-Friday:	7.00-19.00
Saturdays:	7.00-13.00

It is also smart to obtain an overseas phone card from your long distance carrier (MCI, AT&T, Sprint).

Croatia is currently home to two digital GSM networks one of which is operated by Croatia Telecom CRONET (network code 098) and the other by VIPnet (network code 091). It is also possible to obtain pre-paid mobile services: SIMPA (098) and VIPme (091).

Important telephone numbers:

Police	92
Fire brigade	93
Ambulance	94
Information and emergency centre	985
Road assistance (HAK)	987
Taxi	200-100
Information service	
- railway	060 333 444
- bus	214-355

The international telephone access code for Croatia is +385. The area code for Osijek is 031. Omit the 0 when dialing from abroad.

Money

The official currency of the Republic of Croatia is called the kuna (HRK). Banknotes are issued in the following denominations: 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 200, 500 and 1000 HRK. Smaller values are issued as coins (1 kuna = 100 lipas). Currency may be exchanged in banks, exchange offices and post offices in accordance with the valid exchange rate. Eurocheques can be exchanged in banks.



Credit cards

Most restaurants and shops accept all major credit cards (American Express, Diners, Eurocard/Mastercard, Visa).

Foreign currency exchange

Foreign currency can be exchanged in banks, exchange offices, post offices and in most tourist agencies and hotels.

Prices in Croatia

milk 1 l	4 HRK = -.50 €
coke 2 l	12 HRK = 1.50 €
sugar 1 kg	6 HRK = -.80 €
flour 1 kg	4 HRK = -.50 €
loaf of bread	4 HRK = -.50 €
chocolate (100 g)	6 HRK = -.80 €
bus ticket	7 HRK = 1.00 €
photocopy (10 copies)	3 HRK = -.40 €
Big Mac Menu	22 HRK = 3.00 €
cup of coffee / tea	5 HRK = -.70 €
croissant	4 HRK = -.50 €
capuccino	7 HRK = 1.00 €
daily papers	6 HRK = -.80 €
mineral water (1.5 l)	5 HRK = -.70 €

Information



Leisure and

Going out

Night life of the City of Osijek is very dynamic. And there is a lot to choose from. Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays are the days to go out. However, you can always go to the cinema, the theatre, a gallery or just walk along the river. If you want to have a cup of coffee, we suggest some of the most popular cafes, like Boss, Cappuccino, Amarefo, Cafeteria, all of which are situated along the river, or on Radić Street near the faculties of Law and Economics. Popular meeting points are the Irish pub St. Patrick and the cocktail bar, both situated in the old town of Osijek, called Trvrda. We also suggest checking out popular music clubs and discotheques, such as Vega and Sound in Trvrda and Oxygene in the city centre.



Internet clubs and cafes

Cyber Cafe Oxygene
Županijska 7
Phone: ++385 31 200 737

Blue
Vukovarska 92
Phone: ++385 31 214 155

Digit
Ante Starčević Square
Phone: ++385 31 207 441
www.digit.hr

Internet Klub
Sunčana 18
Phone: ++385 31 204 250
www.ukrik.hr

Libraries

City and University Library
Europske Avenije 24,
Phone: ++385 31 211 218

Branches of the Library:
Donji Grad
Trg bana Jelačića 25
Phone: ++385 31 506 110

Industrijska četvrt
Vinkovačka 66 d
Phone: ++385 31 271 282

Retfala
Strossmayerova 198
Phone: ++385 31 306 069

Jug II
Srijemska 124
Phone: ++385 31 563 454
www.gskos.hr

Theatres

Croatian National Theatre
Županijska 9
Phone: ++385 31 220 700
www.tel.hr/hnk-osijek

Children's Theatre
Trg bana Jelačića 19
Phone: ++385 31 501 485
www.ador.hr/assitej-croatia/clanovi/03.htm

Vedra Scena
Trg Slobode 2
Phone: ++385 31 212 767

Galleries

Gallery of Fine Arts
Europske Avenije 9
Phone: ++385 31 213 587
www.mdc.hr/glu-osijek/eng/index.html

Waldinger Exhibition Hall
Fakultetska 7
Phone: ++385 31 200 240

L Gallery
Županijska 44
Phone: ++385 31 200 978

Museum

Museum of Slavonia and Baranja
Trg Sv. Trojstva 6
Phone: ++385 31 208 504
<http://www.mdc.hr/osijek/eng/home.html>

Cinema

Europa
Šetalište P. Preradovića 2
Phone: ++385 31 205 484

Urania
Šetalište V. Hengla 1
Phone: ++385 31 211 560

Night clubs

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Istarska 5 (Student Centre)

Oxygene
Županijska 7
Phone: ++385 31 128 224

Sound
K. Firingera 24
Phone: ++385 31 201 057

Vega
Fakultetska 2
Phone: ++385 31 208 161

Entertainment



Restaurants

Regional cuisine

Bendek
Vukovarska 121
Phone: ++385 31 504 499

Basfion
Trg V. Lisinskog bb
Phone: ++385 31 208 657

Plavi Podrum
Čvrtnička 4
Phone: ++385 31 304 222



Slavonska kuća
K. Firingera 26
Phone: ++385 31 208 277

Italian cuisine

As
S. Radića 16
Phone: ++385 31 212 500

Lyra
Trg Anfe Starčevića 5
Phone: ++385 31 202 900

Makalu
Pejačevićeva 32
Phone: ++385 31 369 400

Mamamia
S. Radića 44
Phone: ++385 31 201 769

Strossmayer
Strossmayerova 133
Phone: ++385 31 369 711

International cuisine

Bijelo-Plavi
Divalfova 8
Phone: ++385 31 571 000

Bonus
Hrvatske Republike 1
Phone: ++385 31 202 030

Kopika
Tvrđavica bb
Phone: ++385 31 285 000



Müller
Križanićev trg 9
Phone: ++385 31 204 770

Fish dishes

Laguna Croatia
Dubrovačka 13
Phone: ++385 31 369 203

Bingo
Divalfova 184
Phone: ++385 31 506 390

Chinese cuisine

Confucius
Kapucinska 34
Phone: ++385 31 210 104

Mexican cuisine

Acapulco
Radićeva 54
Phone: ++385 31 209 500



Sport

Sport facilities:

Sport centre "SOKOLSKI DOM"
Kralja Zvonimira 5
Phone: ++385 31 206 916

Skating rink "SOKOLSKI DOM"
Kralja Zvonimira 5
Phone: ++385 31 206 915

Highschool playground
Istarska 1 d
Phone: ++385 31 208 344

Swimming pool "GRADSKI BAZENI"
M. Divalfova 6 a
Phone: ++385 31 570 066

Tennis Centre "OSIJEK"
Perivoj kralja Tomislava 1
Phone: ++385 31 213 208

Fitness studios:

Fitness centre "GRADSKI BAZENI"
M. Divalfova 6 a
Phone: ++385 34 570 069

Fitness studio "CENTRAL"
F. A. Blažića 6 a
Phone: ++385 31 375 401

Body-building club "FANTASTIC"
Ružina 83
Phone: ++385 31 358 730

Fitness centre "HERCEG"
F. Gundulića 62
Phone: ++385 31 204 877

Fitness Centre "MEDICO"
B. Radićevića 14
Phone: ++385 31 504 204

Fitness studio "SANO"
Sv. Ane 87
Phone: ++385 31 372 766

Fitness centre "STADIUM"
Krstova 25
Phone: ++385 31 504 343

**Fitness centre "STUDENT CENTRE
IN OSIJEK"**
Istarska 1 b
Phone: ++385 31 212 178



Useful Vocabulary



Food and Drink

breakfast	doručak
lunch	ručak
dinner	večera
soup	juha
potatoes	krumpir
meat	meso
rice	riža
salad	salata
bread	kruh
butter	maslac
sugar	šećer
salt	sol
ice-cream	sladoled
cake	kolač
coffee	kava
tea	čaj
milk	mlijeko
juice	sok

Time & Days

minute	minuta
hour	sat
day	dan
week	tjedan
Monday	ponedjeljak
Tuesday	utorak
Wednesday	srijeda
Thursday	četvrtak
Friday	petak
Saturday	subota
Sunday	nedjelja
today	danas
yesterday	jučer
tomorrow	sutra

Shopping

entrance	ulaz
exit	izlaz
open	otvoreno
closed	zatvoreno
supermarket	supermarket
bakery	pekarnica
pharmacy	ljekarna
do you have...?	imate li...?
expensive	skup
cheap	jeftin
size	veličina



Asking questions

who?	tko?
what?	što?
where?	gdje?
why?	zašto?
when?	kada?

University Life

university	sveučilište
faculty	fakultet
student	student
book	knjiga
exam	ispit
lecture	predavanje
library	knjižnica

Travelling Around

train	vlak
departure	odlazak
arrival	dolazak
bus/tram stop	autobusna / tramvajska postaja
railway station	željeznička postaja
where is...?	gdje se nalazi...?
where do I find...?	kako ću naći...?
street	ulica
square	trg
bridge	most
river	rijeka



