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The Republic of Serbia, located on the strategically important Balkan Peninsula, has connected the West and East for centuries. Its rich and **dynamic history, varied influences and a wealth of different traditions** have shaped today's vibrant life of this part of Europe, which can be seen in architecture and culture, everyday life, cuisine and traditions.

In recent years, a strong focus on innovation, creative industries and IT sector development have put Serbia on the map of rising European economies. The growing presence of many foreign companies in Serbia, together with successful partnerships established with businesses throughout the world, would not be possible without **committed communication in foreign languages and intercultural openness**. In this way, together with its determined support for international cooperation, Serbia strives to keep the uniqueness of its people, traditions and culture by fostering the sense of community, hospitality, arts, the publishing scene, etc.

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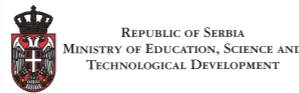
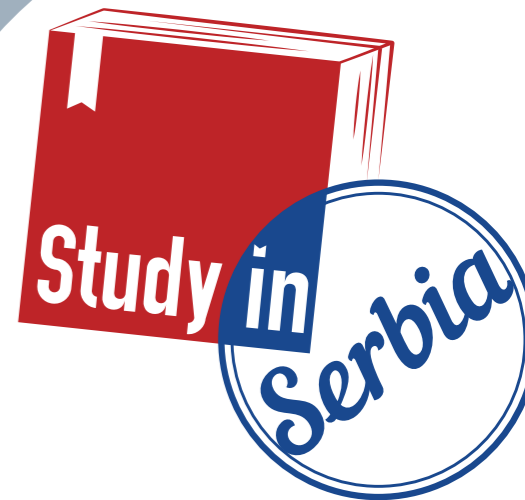
- Find programmes in the field of languages and culture offered in Serbia.
- Practical information for foreign students (visas, healthcare, accommodation, travel...)

... **Info Centre for foreign students**

- Where students can come and get more information concerning their studies and life in Serbia
- Located in downtown Belgrade (39 Terazije Street), open every working day from 10 AM to 6 PM, no appointment needed
- Organizes presentations, seminars, workshops and other public events
- Send your questions about studying in Serbia to studyinserbia@tempus.ac.rs

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Study
LANGUAGES
and **CULTURE**
in Serbia



Learn...

...Serbian in Serbia...

at university level

If you want to study or improve your knowledge of the Serbian language, this country is a great choice. As a language spoken throughout the Balkan peninsula (officially called differently depending on the name of the Balkan country – Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia or Montenegro – but linguistically the same language), it enables you to directly access the rich cultures and traditions not only of Serbia, but of other countries in the peninsula, too. Moreover, the dialect of this lingua franca spoken in Serbia is probably the easiest one to understand in all of the countries mentioned. Furthermore, in Serbia, you will learn to write in it using **two alphabets** – Cyrillic and Latin – since only Serbia has two official scripts.

as a foreign language

Whether you want to learn the local language or improve your Serbian language skills in non-university contexts, Centres of Serbian as a foreign language offer Serbian language courses in Belgrade, Novi Sad, Niš and Kragujevac. Classes are usually organised in small groups, as one- or two-semester preparatory programmes. There are also individual classes, summer schools and online courses. Find out more at:

studyinserbia.rs/living-in-serbia/language.

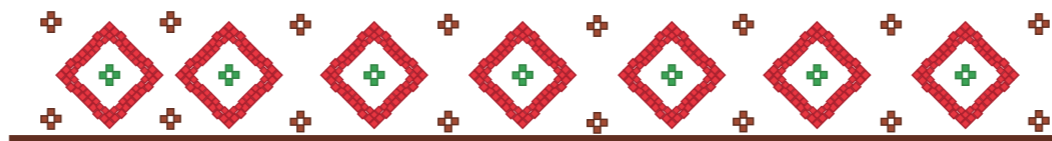
	Serbian	English	French	German	Russian	Spanish	Italian	Romanian	Slovak	Hungarian
Belgrade	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Novi Sad	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
Niš	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					
Kragujevac	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			

Table: Languages available as degree studies in different cities in Serbia.

...languages in Serbia

Serbia gives you the opportunity to **better understand different cultures and learn their languages** since it is located at the crossroads between the European East and West. In addition, Serbia is characterized by multilingualism and multiculturalism, with more than 15 minority groups and 11 official minority languages. This reality is especially present in Vojvodina, the northern part of Serbia.

Serbia has a **long philological tradition** and studying a language at a Serbian university usually means getting to know the structure and use of a foreign language, but also learning about the literature and culture of the countries in which that language is spoken. At Serbian universities you can study more than 20 languages, and a half of them are available in different cities in Serbia:



Apart from the language and literature programmes listed above, you can study other living languages at the Faculty of Philology of the University of Belgrade, such as Albanian, Arabic, Bulgarian, Belarusian, Czech, Greek, Danish, Japanese, Catalan, Korean, Chinese, Macedonian, Norwegian, Dutch, Polish, Portuguese, Slovenian, Turkish, Ukrainian, Swedish, Romani and sign language, but also other historically important languages, such as Latin, Ottoman and Old Church Slavonic. At the University of Novi Sad you can also study Ruthenian.

Two-year Master academic studies in **Conference, Specialised and Audio-visual Interpreting and Translation** are offered at the Faculty of Philology at the University of Belgrade. Applicants are required to have achieved a bachelor's degree at the Faculty of Philology or another affiliate faculty with a minimum of 180 ECTS. The language of instruction for this programme is Serbian, English, German, French, Russian, Italian, Spanish, Turkish, Japanese, Chinese, Hungarian, Arabic or Greek.



Serbian as a Foreign Language is one-year Master programme offered at the Faculty of Philology at the University of Belgrade. Students in this programme learn about cultural specificities of the Serbian language and traditions, gain theoretical and methodological competencies that are related to the acquisition of Serbian as a foreign language and practical skills in the area of didactics for teaching Serbian as a foreign language.

Cultural Policy and Management is a joint Master programme of the University of Arts in Belgrade and University Lyon 2, France. Courses are taught in English and French (consecutively translated into English). Non-French-speaking students are given the opportunity to gain basic knowledge of the French language through a language course. The programme lasts for 2 semesters, with an obligatory internship in the field, and the programme is concluded by master thesis research. The title given by the University of Arts in Belgrade is MA in Cultural Policy and Management and the University Lyon 2 named it Master 2 Développement de Projets Artistiques et Culturels Internationaux.

The **Interdisciplinary Programme in South-Eastern European Studies** is a two year joint Master programme provided by the Faculty of Political Sciences of the University of Belgrade and Karl Franzens-Universität Graz, Austria. This programme is aimed at students who want to understand the interrelationship of law, politics, economics and culture with a strong emphasis on the regional dimension of Southeastern Europe. Students spend the first two semesters at the chosen home university, the third semester is the obligatory mobility period in Italy, Austria or one of the Balkan countries, while the fourth semester is reserved for thesis writing.