INFORMATION FOR BSU APPLICANTS
BELARUSIAN STATE UNIVERSITY IS THE SYMBOL OF

Quality and Competence

- The BSU is the leading university of the Republic of Belarus, which trains internationally relevant specialists
- The BSU is recognized in university rankings published by 11 international agencies, including the most reputable ones, such as QS, THE, Shanghai Subject Rating in Physics, USNews, WRWU, SIR, MosIUR, RUR, U-Multirank, URAP, UniRank
- The BSU is included in the 2% of the best universities in the world
- The current place of the BSU in the QS-2020 rating is 317, in QS EECA – 25, in USNews – 364; in the Shanghai Ranking’s Global Ranking of Academic Subjects BSU placed among the TOP 500 universities (No. 401-500) in Physics, in the list of top university digital libraries BSU climbed to the 3rd place
- The BSU is awarded with Certificates of quality management system compliance with the requirements of the international standard STB ISO 9001-2015 and DIN EN ISO 9001: 2015
- Affordable tuition fees
- Diploma of international standard

The Best Academic Staff

Academicicians, Corresponding Members of the National Academy of Sciences of Belarus, Professors and Doctors of Science.

Opportunities

The University has nearly 30,000 students including undergraduates, graduate students and more than 3,700 foreign students from 50 countries.

- 28 Faculties and Educational Institutions including Lyceum and College
- 3 Educational and Experimental Stations
- 4 Research Institutes
- 41 Research Laboratories
- 4 Museums
- 13 Research Centers
- 11 Unitary Enterprises

- BSU Sport Club
- Dining rooms in Dormitories and Educational Buildings
- Fast Food Restaurants

Great Campus

The BSU provides opportunities for students’ development of leadership qualities and organizational skills, sport and creative self-realization.

The BSU Campus consists of 10 comfortable dormitories and accommodates more than 8,000 students of the University.

There are functioning:

- Student Government Bodies
- Equipped gyms and sports halls, billiard rooms
- Interest clubs and sports sections
- Dance studio, folk teams, creative workshops
- Tourist trips, excursions, creative competitions are organized

Dormitories are comfortably equipped with kitchens, household rooms, washing machines, Internet access, canteens and lunchrooms, schoolrooms and practice rooms.

ALL FOREIGN APPLICANTS ARE OFFERED A DORMITORY PLACE
FACULTIES AND SPECIALTIES OF HIGHER EDUCATION (BACHELOR DEGREE)

Full-time education 4- and 5-year education programs

**FACULTY OF MECHANICS AND MATHEMATICS**
Computer Mathematics and Systems Analysis
Mathematics (Research Activities and Production, Economic Activities, Research and Pedagogical Activities, Research and Design Activities)
Mathematics and Information Technologies (Web Development and Internet Technologies, Mathematical and Software of Mobile Devices)
Mechanics and Mathematic Modelling

**FACULTY OF APPLIED MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE**
Actuarial Mathematics
Informatics
Computer Security (Mathematical Methods and Program Systems)
Applied Mathematics (Scientific and Production Activity)
Applied Informatics (Computer Systems Software)
Economic Cybernetics (Mathematical Methods and Computer Simulation in the Economy)

**FACULTY OF PHYSICS**
Physics (Scientific and Research Activities)
Physics (Production Activity)
Computer Physics
Physics of Nanomaterials and Nanotechnologies

**FACULTY OF RADIOPHYSICS AND COMPUTER TECHNOLOGIES**
Aerospace Radio Electronics and Information Systems and Technologies
Computer Security (Radio Physical Methods and Program-Technical Means)
Applied Informatics (Information Technologies of Telecommunication Systems)
Radio Physics
Physical Electronics

**FACULTY OF CHEMISTRY**
Fundamental Chemistry
Chemistry (Scientific Production Activity, Scientific Pedagogical Activity, Pharmaceutical Activity)
Chemistry of Medication Compounds
High-Energy Chemistry

**FACULTY OF HISTORY**
Document Sciences (Majors in)
Historical Archival Science
History
Museum Studies and Protection of Historical and Cultural Heritage (Majors in)

**FACULTY OF LAW**
Political Science (Political-Legal Work)
Jurisprudence
Economic Law

**FACULTY OF BIOLOGY**
Biology (Biotechnology)
Biology (Scientific and Pedagogical Activities)
Biology (Scientific and Production Activities)
Biochemistry
Bioecology
Microbiology

**FACULTY OF ECONOMICS**
Management (International, Innovative)
Finance and Credit
Economy
Economic Informatics
Economics

**FACULTY OF PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**
Psychology
Social Work
Sociology
Philosophy
Social Communication

**FACULTY OF JOURNALISM**
Journalism (Printed Mass Media, Audiovisual Journalism, Web Journalism)
International Journalism
Information and Communication

**FACULTY OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS**
Language and Country Studies
International Law
International Relations
Management (International Tourism Management)
World Economy
Customs Regulations and Procedures

**FACULTY OF PHILOLOGY**
Belarusian Philology (Majors in)
Oriental (Chinese) Philology
Romance and Germanic Philology (Majors in)
Russian Philology (Majors in)
Slavic Philology

**FACULTY OF SOCIAL AND CULTURAL COMMUNICATIONS**
Design (Object and Space, Communication)
Cultural Studies (Applied Cultural Studies)
Applied Informatics (Web Programming and Computer Design)
Modern Foreign Languages (Teaching, Translation)

**FACULTY OF GEOGRAPHY AND GEINFORMATICS**
Geography (Scientific Pedagogical Activity, Geodemography)
Geoinformation Systems (Land-Cadastral)
Geology and Exploration of Mineral Resources Deposits
Geoeconomy
Hydrometeorology
Aerospace Mapping
PRE-UNIVERSITY EDUCATION

An educational program is intended for admission to higher education in the Republic of Belarus and contains additional professional vocabulary by profiles:

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2 subject areas
PROFILES

9 months
DURATION

September 1
June 30
STUDY PERIOD

60-70% of the program
RUSSIAN LANGUAGE

1,140 hours
ACADEMIC LOAD

up to 10
people
IN A GROUP

Forms of studies: linguistic and cultural events, scientific and practical conferences, excursion tours, practical classes and discussions.

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DOCUMENTS NECESSARY FOR THE BSU APPLICATION

1. Passport valid for the time of study with the visa (if any) and its translation into Russian

2. Original educational documents with supplements of studied subjects and marks given, legalized in the country of issue and recognized in the Republic of Belarus, and notarized translation of these documents into Russian

3. Health certificate and negative HIV-test certificate issued by the official authority of the country from which the applicant arrived and notarized translation of these documents into Russian

Both certificates must be no older than 6 months!

4. Birth certificate copy with notarized translation into Russian – 17-year-old applicants

5. Certificate of completion of the preparatory department of the Faculty of Pre-university Education, Certificate of completion of the Russian language courses (if any)

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Notarized translations of documents into Russian are to be provided for all documents issued in a foreign language.

Notarized translation of the passport is to be carried out in the Republic of Belarus upon arrival.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Pre-University Education – November 1
Bachelor and Master Education – October 15
Postgraduate Education – within a year
Scientific Traineeship – within a year
Russian Language Courses – within a year

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STEP 1 SUBMISSION OF DOCUMENTS AND RECEIVING THE INVITATION

Citizens from visa countries submit documents for the invitation to the Department of International Relations of the BSU (DIR BSU) by one of the following ways:

- By yourself or by your representative at 20 Leningradskaya Str., 4th floor, Minsk
- By registered mail with the mark “Invitations” to the postal address DIR BSU 4 Nezavisimosti Ave., Minsk 220030, Belarus
- Online by applying on our website bsu.by For Applicants Personal Account

Documents for the Invitation

- Filled-in questionnaire (download form ums.bsu.by)
- Copies of the education documents with supplements of the studied subjects and the marks given and notarized translation of these documents into Russian
- Passport copy with its translation into Russian
- Copies of Health Certificate and negative HIV-Test Certificate and copies of notarized translation of these documents into Russian

STEP 2 BEFORE ARRIVAL

After receiving the invitation citizens from visa countries apply for a study visa at the Consular Institutions of the Republic of Belarus in your country.*

*In case there are no consular institutions of the Republic of Belarus at the place of your residence, it is possible to apply for a visa upon arrival at the Minsk National Airport but only with a BSU representative present. Please, carefully explore the procedure for obtaining a visa on the website of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Belarus!

Email the DIR BSU to apply@bsu.by about the arrival date in advance to reserve a place at the hostel, as well as to arrange a meeting at the airport and transfer. **

**Meeting at the airport and transfer are paid services and carried out if necessary after the advance payment.

STEP 3 AFTER ARRIVAL IN BELARUS

Within 2 working days, you should come to the DIR BSU for arranging a full cycle procedure of your legal stay in Belarus, enrollment at the BSU, registration.

You will need to:

- Apply for studies and submit originals of the documents
- Pass the entrance interview in English or Russian (the language of study)
- Conclude a contract and pay for studies at the BSU
- Have a medical check at the Student Health Clinic
- Pay for living in the dormitory
- Get obligatory medical insurance
- Get registered in the Migration Office

YOUR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

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<td>$55</td>
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<td>$60</td>
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<td>$152</td>
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<td>Temporary registration for the period of stay in Belarus</td>
<td>$60</td>
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<td>Medical insurance per year (if necessary)</td>
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<td>Monthly costs of staying in Belarus (approximately)</td>
<td>$300</td>
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<td>$50-70</td>
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It is forbidden to drink alcohol and smoke in public places, buildings and dormitories of the University, as well as in close proximity to them.

International students must live in accordance with the place of their registration.
WE WILL BE GLAD TO SEE YOU AMONG THE BSU STUDENTS!

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