FOCUS ON ARCHITECTURE!
Hungary is a small, beautiful country in Central Europe where Hungarians or Magyars (as we call ourselves) settled more than 1000 years ago.

Pécs is the fifth largest town in Hungary, with a population of around 180,000. Lying in the south of Transdanubia, close to the border with Croatia, it has a mild, almost Mediterranean climate. Its history dates back over 2,000 years, and the name of the old Roman town, “Sopianae” is still found in the names of institutions and products.

The University of Pécs is one of the largest higher education institutions in Hungary with around 26,000 students. Its roots go back to 1367 when the Angevin King of Hungary, Louis the Great, established the first Hungarian university in Pécs.

With its ten faculties, the University of Pécs plays a significant role in Hungarian higher education. The University offers a broad range of training and degree programmes, ensuring high-level knowledge-transfer and research.

We have almost 2,000 international students from over 60 countries attending the University. The University of Pécs has been offering full degree programmes taught in English for 30 years.
Pollack Mihály Faculty of Engineering and Information Technology of the University of Pécs is one of the largest and most vibrant institutions of technical higher education in Hungary with thousands of students and more than 40 years of experience.

In addition, it is the education citadel of engineering of the South-Transdanubian region and one of the most influential centres of our country's engineering life.

We offer courses which comply with the actual needs of the labour market and endeavour to equip our students with skills essential to find a job and practise their profession. Our courses purposely aim to develop those personal characteristics which enable our graduating students to hold leading positions in their chosen profession.

Our objective is to shape professionals who have harmonic and balanced characters, who are aware of their own strengths and weaknesses, and who are able to express themselves effectively. We aim to strengthen students' ability to think critically while being open, tolerant and empathetic to new ideas and showing a commitment to their profession.
- THE MAIN SQUARE OF THE CITY, RENOVATED FOR THE YEAR 2010, WHEN PéCS WAS THE CULTURAL CAPITAL OF EUROPE. OUR COLLEAGUES WERE AWARDED SECOND PRIZE IN AN INTERNATIONAL ARCHITECTURAL COMPETITION FOR THE RECONSTRUCTION.

- SPIRIT OF THE CITY

OUR PARTNERS IN ARCHITECTURE EDUCATION

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- AEAUsip, Faculdade de Arquitetura e Urbanismo BRAZIL
- Aix Marseilles Université FRANCE
- Ecole nationale supérieure d’Architecture de Grenoble FRANCE
- Fachhochschule Würzburg-Schweinfurt GERMANY FRANCE
- Fachhochschule Dortmund GERMANY
- FH Joanneum Gesellschaft mbbH AUSTRIA
- Hochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft Dresden GERMANY
- Istanbul Kültür University TURKEY
- Josip Juraj Strossmayer University of Osijek CROATIA
- Karadeniz Technical University TURKEY
- Liverpool John Moores University ENGLAND
- Metropolitan State University of Denver USA
- Mikkeli University of Applied Sciences FINNLAND
- Özyeğin University TURKEY
- Technische Universität Braunschweig GERMANY
- Technische Universität München GERMANY
- Technological Educational Institution of Athens GREECELAND
- Transilvania University of Brașov ROMANIA
- Universidad de Burgos SPAIN
- Universidad de La Coruña SPAIN
- Universidad de Oviedo SPAIN
- Universidad De Valladolid SPAIN
- Universidad Politécnica de Valencia SPAIN
- Universität der Bundeswehr München GERMANY
- Universität des Saarlandes GERMANY
- Universidad de la Sapienza ITALY
- Universidad de la Sapienza ITALY
- Via University College DENMARK
- Waterford Institute of Technology IRELAND
- Yeditepe University TURKEY
OUR DISCIPLINES

ENGINEERING FOR THE FUTURE

- Architectural Engineering BSc
- Civil Engineering BSc
- Architectural Designer BA
- Mechanical Engineer BSc
- Engineering Information Technology BSc
- Industrial Design BSc
- Environmental Engineering BSc
- Electrical and Computer Engineering BSc
- Interior Design MA
- Architect MSc (10 semesters)
- Architect MSc
- Architectural Design MA
- Engineering Information Technology MSc
- Teacher-Engineering Teacher MA
- Structural Engineering MSc
- Master in Urban Planning MSc
- Architecture in Construction Design MSc
- Doctorate in Liberal Arts in Architecture Doctoral Program
- PhD in Architectural Engineering Doctoral Program
The Zsolnay Quarter offers cultural and artistic programmes throughout the year. Its buildings were completely renovated for 2010, when Pécs was the cultural capital city of Europe. The international architectural competition for the new design was won by our past students, those who are now our current doctorate students.

Student event in the Zsolnay quarter >>>

Unique teaching methods
Personal communication

As one of the largest and most vibrant institutions of technical higher education in Hungary, we adhere to a contemporary approach towards education which is recognised internationally. Our objective is to provide a flexible and high quality education producing specialists in the field of architecture, who are able to meet the demands of the technical, cultural, artistic and social transformation taking place in 21st century European society.

We understand contemporary architecture. We know the architecture of the past. We work with the architects of the future.

We believe in recycling! We appreciate the natural environment! We teach ARCHITECTURE!

Most of our lecturers have international experience. We offer language courses at the Faculty. We offer a programme which is accredited both nationally and internationally. Our curriculum was created with continuous consultation of international architectural associations with the aim of producing flexible and high quality studies. We offer exchange programmes to study at one of our partner institutes within the framework of the Erasmus or Study Abroad programmes, and regularly attend international workshops and exhibitions. Our university buildings and facilities are on par with European standards.

We work through student projects step by step. We encourage students to develop their individual creative skills.
This programme trains students to apply their complex knowledge in the areas of architecture and urban planning, as well as in the multi-faceted field of environment formation in general (architectural design, town and country planning, preservation of built heritage, structural design, construction work, management and administration tasks, consulting with authorities, teaching, etc.).

In addition, students are prepared for their professional planning license once they have gained the prerequisite practical experience.

The final complex design project and the diploma design project are a summary, a synthesis of their studies and serve as a final assessment of their acquired knowledge.

During training, studies are complemented by Scientific Students’ Conference projects prepared with the co-operation of students and tutors (the latter also being in charge of supervising their work). Within the professional field of architecture, students acquire individual expertise in a specific field and can apply for admission to the DLA & PhD degree programme based on their specialization.
STRONGS OF ARCHITECTURE DEGREE PROGRAM
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We offer possibilities in:

- high level visual communication skills
- contemporary design
- craftsmanship
- contemporary arts
- architectural and art exhibitions
- contemporary architectural workshops
- modelling workshops
- instructing – head designer
- project work
- group work
- visual sensitivity
- construction engineering
- green architecture
- master – student relationships
- creative perception
- computer-aided architectural design
- international architecture
DOCTORAL PROGRAMMES
DLA IN ARCHITECTURE, PH.D. IN ARCHITECTURAL ENG
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The primary task of the doctoral school is to provide high quality educational programmes which comply with the requirements of the Bologna declaration for students who already have an MA or MSc degree in architecture or a related field.

The school is the most important centre of multidisciplinary research and postgraduate study in the field of architecture in the region, offering degree courses at all levels of higher education. Students participating in the doctoral programme have the chance to study full-time or part-time in order to attain their D.L.A. or Ph.D. in architecture.

Thesis topics are carefully chosen to represent current issues in architecture. One recent project was dealing with the preservation and design of old Christian buildings within the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Pécs, which played a key role in the establishment of the doctoral school. The programme also enables candidates to develop and defend a doctoral thesis in the field of architecture with a focus on green issues, urban development and building design based on their own research. Students are introduced to the most relevant research methods and encouraged to participate in workshops, apply for international scholarships and develop their own projects.
Research Group of Heritage Protection. The historical downtown of Pécs has provided us research with topics for nearly four decades. The success of the research performed over the last three decades was formally recognized when Pécs was awarded the title of Cultural Capital of Europe in 2010. During this period, the complex development of the architectural protection of the early Christian necropolis was also completed.

Space Makers. 13th Architecture Biennale in Venice, where the Hungarian Pavilion was put together by our doctoral students in 2012. It was a successful, nationally acclaimed event, where the fabricated models from 500 students were exhibited.

Research Group of International Innovation. The objective of the Research Group is to orient students closer to those who are active in the economy, thus enhancing the quality of practical-oriented training and increasing student responsiveness towards innovation. In addition to this, the group aims to organize, co-ordinate and promote innovation procedures in connection with the most state-of-the-art research, development and training trends in Hungarian and international circles.

Department of Energy Design, Department of Building Construction, Department of Architectural Design, Department of Urbanism, Department of Interior and Environmental Design, Department of Architecture and Visual Studies.
The 2,000 international students that attend Pécs University generate a colourful, cosmopolitan student life. There are a variety of organizations within the University which offer a wide variety of professional and leisure programmes for both Hungarian and international students. These events provide the opportunity to meet local people, make new friends and gain unforgettable experiences. The current events of each organization can be found on Facebook.

Search for “Study in Pécs”, Hungary on Facebook.

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- Student dormitories
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- International workshops
- International study trips
- Student Organizations and Services
- Housing and Accommodation Services
- Health Services
- Culture and leisure opportunities
- Preparatory courses
- Short term courses
- Technology Transfer Office
- Szentágothai Research Centre
- Erasmus Mobility Programme
- Erasmus Job Programme
- Study Abroad Programme
- Language Programmes
- University level sport possibilities
- Dancing University
- University Theatre