# Practical Information for Exchange Students

#### **Exchange Office**

Room RB 547 – Rajská Building, 5<sup>th</sup> floor Coordinators: **Karolína Kaslová, Daniela Slámová** For visiting hours see website: <u>exchange.vse.cz</u>

#### **VSE ID Cards**

University ID card (VSE ID card) needed to enter dormitories, use library facilities and to pay at university canteens. Compulsory to present the ID on request at the university. More information: <a href="mailto:ci.vse.cz">ci.vse.cz</a>

#### Wireless Internet Connection

Wireless internet connection for a laptop or other devices – Eduroam Eduroam is free for all VSE students. For instructions on how to connect please see:

https://eduroam.vse.cz/heslo/

In case of any problems with your connection, go to SB22 – Computer Helpdesk

More information: ci.vse.cz

#### Academic Calendar

Orientation week: February 10–14, 2020 Classes: February 17 – May 15, 2020 Exam period: May 18 – June 26, 2020

(\*all exchange students will be given a chance to finish their exams by the end of classes, i.e. May 15, 2020. However, not all the grades will be recorded in the system by then. If the percentage achieved in a course ranges from 50 to 59 points, the student is eligible for a retake of the final exam in the respective course. The retake takes place during the exam period. If the student does not retake the final exam, she/he will be given a failing grade for the course. Exchange students can take exams also during the exam period upon previous agreement with the lecturer.)

### Printing

- Printer available in SB, 1st floor (Old Building)
- Copy machine available in the library (Old Building mezzanine)

#### E-mail Address

Your university email has form as this general example: abcd00@vse.cz − Access via InSIS → Office365

#### Transcript of Records

Once ALL of the student's grades are in the system, Transcript of Records will be delivered both to the student and both to the coordinator. If ECTS grades are requested, the originals of the Transcript of Records will be issued after the end of the exam period.

## IN CASE OF...

#### **EMFRGENCY**

European Emergency Number (Police, Fire, Emergency Medical Service)	112
Emergency Medical Service	155
Police	158
Fire	150
Municipal Police	156
Prague Contact Centre (tourist information)	12 444

## WHERE TO FIND...

#### **HEALTH HELP**

#### EU students:

Students from EU countries plus Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway and Switzerland are entitled to the provision of necessary and urgent health care free-of-charge. It is only necessary that they have a certified E 128 form from their home country or a **European Health Insurance Card**, which replaces the paper forms needed.

It is highly recommended to have a supplementary commercial health insurance. It should be purchased before the student leaves the country of origin.

#### Non – EU students:

Health insurance is required while obtaining a VISA. In case of any health problem, follow these steps:

- call information/customer or emergency line of your insurance company
- notify them of the problem
- ask for contracting doctor, his address and opening hour/website
- see the doctor
- remember to take your insurance card
- remember to take the invoice from the doctor

#### SUGGESTED MEDICAL CONTACTS:

**General Practitioner** 

MUDr. Luboš Hraba Koněvova 205/2427, 130 00, Prague 3 – Žižkov Website: http://medical.hraba.cz/ Email: lubos.hraba@email.cz

Phone: +420 284 862 148

Dentist

MUDr. Conková Renata

Koněvova 198/93 (dormitory Jarov I. D) 130 00 Prague 3 - Žižkov

Phone: +420 737 991 850

Academic Psychological Counseling Professional Psychologists University of Economics, Prague Winston Churchill Sq. 4, 130 67 Prague 3 Website

#### **PHARMACY**

- Koněvova 2427/205 (close to tram station Chmelnice)
- Táboritská 17/26 (tram station Olšanské náměstí)

## WHERE IS THE NEAREST...

ATM at University Old Building – at the entrance (Komerční banka)

Italská Building – at the entrance (Česká spořitelna)

POST OFFICE Koněvova 2496/223

Hybernská 2086/15

Jindřišská 909/14 (open non-stop)

SHOPPING CENTER "Palác Flora" (tram no. 5 direction "Ústřední dílny DP" or tram no. 15 direction "Olšanské hřbitovy", station "Flora")

"Palladium" (tram no. 15 direction "Kotlářka" or no. 26 direction "Divoká Šárka" to station "Náměstí Republiky")

Kaufland Supermarket at "Spojovací" station (tram no. 9 – final stop)

## HOW TO GET TO UNIVERSITY...

Tram station Husinecká – tram no. 9 directly from the dormitories; 5, 15, 26 Bus station Náměstí Winstona Churchilla – bus no. 135

## PRAGUE PUBLIC TRANSPORT SYSTEM

Transport system in Prague is highly integrated and connected, there are following types of fares:

- Single tickets: available at ticket vending machines, newsstands, via PID Lítačka mobile app (see below), contactless ticket machines in trams
- $\textbf{Prepaid Coupons}: Lita\"{c} ka \ (electronic \ card either \ physical \ or \ virtual), reduced \ fair \ with \ Confirmation \ of \ Study$

For more information see: <a href="https://www.pidlitacka.cz/home">https://www.pidlitacka.cz/home</a>

## Fitness places

#### **NEAR UNIVERSITY:**

Fittop	Seifertova 560/49, 130 00 Prague 3-Žižkov
wellness	Monthly permanent pass for 1200 CZK
centrum	https://www.fittop.cz/en/english-homepage/

#### **NEAR DORMITORIES:**

Maximus	Koněvova 132, 130 00 Prague 3-Žižkov
Fitness	Monthly permanent pass for 930 CZK
MTv Fitness	Na Rovnosti 13a, 130 00 Prague 3-Žižkov
	Monthly permanent pass for 700 CZK, 10 entrances for 1215 CZK
Uličník Gym	Koněvova 208, 130 00 Prague 3-Žižkov
	Monthly permanent pass for 650 CZK, <a href="http://ulicnikgym.cz/en/">http://ulicnikgym.cz/en/</a>
Gym at	Jeseniova 1954/210, 130 00 Prague 3-Žižkov
dormitories Jarov	Monthly permanent pass for 200 CZK

# **USEFUL LINKS**

<b>=</b>	How to get around Prague
	https://www.dpp.cz/en/
	Transportation in the Czech Republic
	https://czech-transport.com
<b>#1</b>	Tips for trips in the Czech Republic
	https://www.czechtourism.com/home/
<b>①</b>	Practical information
	https://www.czechtourism.com/practical-information/
<b>(i)</b>	About Prague
	https://www.czechtourism.com/a/prague/
<b>①</b>	Prague City Tourism
	https://www.praguecitytourism.cz/en
(i)	Honest Prague Guide
	https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCt7oj318jVQi7vRbc1bNjJA/playlists?disable_polymer=1
	A YouTube channel full of original facts and tips what to do in Prague. Honest
	Prague Guide also warns you from a few tourist traps!
	Guided tour in Prague
	https://www.prahaneznama.cz/guided-tours-with-prague-unknown/
0	Czech maps (great for hikers!)
	https://en.mapy.cz/en
<b>Ψ1</b>	Eat well in Prague
	https://www.prague.eu/en/articles/7-ways-to-eat-well-in-prague-13856