

ADMISSION INFORMATION

EU citizens

EU candidates follow the same admission procedure as Romanian citizens.

A precondition for application is the recognition of the study certificates (high school, BA, Master diplomas) by the National Centre for Equivalence and Recognition of Diplomas (<https://www.cnred.edu.ro/ro>).

For that, the following documents need to be sent to the USV Office of International Relations, by email (relint@usv.ro) or on-site:

Undergraduate studies:

1. Application form - <https://www.cnred.edu.ro/ro/recunoastere-studii-cetateni-europeni-admitere-licenta-in-Romania>

2. **Proof of completion of secondary school** (high school diploma/certificate):

- copy for documents in Romanian/ English/ French/ Spanish/ Italian
- copy and an official translation in Romanian for documents in other languages

3. **Transcript of records for the last 2 years of study** mentioning the disciplines studied and the obtained grades:

- copy for documents in Romanian/ English/ French/ Spanish/ Italian
- copy and an official translation in Romanian for documents in other languages

4. **Other documents:**

- Pruebas de Aptitud para el Acceso a la Universidad from Spain, Vevaiosi Prosvasis for Panellinies Exetaseis – for general high school – from Grece, Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or ACT from S.U.A.) – copy and an official translation in Romanian for documents in other languages than English/French/Spanish/Italian

5. **Identification documents** – copy of the:

- passport
- identity card

- proof of legal name change, if applicable, copy for documents in Romanian language / English / French / Spanish / Italian, and authorized translation in Romanian for other languages

Original diplomas from **Italy, Greece, Spain, Portugal** and **Cyprus** need to bear the Hague Convention Apostille from the authorities of the country that issued the document.

Original diplomas issued in countries which are not party to the Haga Apostille Convention must be authenticated by:

- the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the issuing country, the Embassy of Romania in that country and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Romania or
- the Ministry of Education of the issuing country, the Embassy of the issuing country in Romania and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Romania.

Documents in languages other than English and French must be accompanied by certified Romanian translations – in original.

Attention!

1. The Romanian Ministry of Education is free to ask for any further evidence concerning one's studies .

2. No application is examined if any of the required documents is missing, or if spaces in the application form have been left blank.

After the **recognition certificate** is issued by the National Centre for Equivalence and Recognition of Diplomas, the candidate follows the same calendar and admission procedure as Romanian citizens (including subscription at the faculty, documents and possible exams or file contest).

The language of study at Ștefan cel Mare University of Suceava is Romanian. Foreign citizens who don't speak Romanian must follow a preparatory year of Romanian language. Those who know Romanian language will have to pass a Romanian proficiency test, according to the methodology approved by the institute of Romanian languages (exception to this language test are foreign citizens who prove with certificates that they have studied Romanian language for at least four years).

Master and PhD studies

1. Application form (the document *must be downloaded* from the address <https://www.cnred.edu.ro/ro/recunoastere-studii-cetateni-europeni-admitere-master-doctorat-DPPD-in-Romania>)

2. Personal identification document - copy and proof of legal change of name (if it is applicable);

3. Study document to be recognized

- Copy, if the study document is in Romanian / English/ French/ Spanish/ Italian language;
- Copy and certified translation in Romanian for the other languages

4. Diploma supplement/Academic transcripts

- Copy, if the study document is in Romanian / English/ French/ Spanish/ Italian language;
- Copy and authorized translation in Romanian for the other languages

5. Other documents, if it is necessary

Ex: In order to practice regulated professions in Romania (medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, general medical assistant, midwife, veterinary medicine, architecture):

- syllabus of courses/full description of courses, postgraduate diplomas- copy, if the document is issued in English/French/Spanish/Italian or copy and authorized translation into Romanian language if it is issued in other languages;

Authentication of study documents

1. Hague Apostille is requested for diplomas from countries which are parties to the Hague Apostille , issued by the competent authorities in the issuing countries. Hague Apostille Convention is requested for diplomas from **Italy, Greece, Spain, Portugal and Cyprus.**
 2. Diplomas issued in countries which are not parties to the Hague Apostille shall be authenticated or accompanied by an authentication certificate from by the competent authorities in the issuing countries;
- Legalization/Authentication is done by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from the issuing country and the Embassy/Consular Office of Romania in the issuing country or by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in the issuing country and the issuing country's Embassy/Consular Office in Romania; for countries where Romania does not have a diplomatic mission or countries which do not have diplomatic missions in Romania, the study documents shall be legalized by the Ministry of Education and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from the issuing country

- Legalization/Authentication exemption is allowed under the law of an international treaty to which Romania is party or on a reciprocity basis.

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The language of study at Stefan cel Mare University of Suceava is Romanian. Foreign citizens who don't speak Romanian must follow a 6 months Romanian language module. Those who know the Romanian language will have to pass a Romanian proficiency test, according to the methodology approved by the institute of Romanian languages (exception to this language test are foreign citizens who prove with certificates that they have studied Romanian language for at least four years).