








**REPUBLIC OF TURKEY
ERCIYES UNIVERSITY
GRADUATE SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR FALL SEMESTER
APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS & PROGRAM QUOTAS FOR
FOREIGN STUDENTS**

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Dear Prospective Foreign Students,

2024-2025 Fall Semester applications for and registrations to Graduate Programs of Erciyes University Graduate School of Social Sciences will be proceeded according to the “APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS AND QUOTAS FOR FOREIGN STUDENTS” announced on our website.

Please review the important dates and application conditions carefully for complete, accurate and on-time applications and registrations.

APPLICATION & REGISTRATION DATES	
Applications (Personally or via Official Proxy)	16 July – 16 August 2024
Announcement of the Lists of Admitted Students (Main and Waiting Lists)	26-27 August 2024
Registration for Students on the Main List	28-29 August 2024
Registration for Students on the Waiting List	2-3 September 2024



REQUIRED APPLICATION DOCUMENTS FOR FOREIGN STUDENT

1. [Application form](#)
2. One photograph
3. **For PhD applicants**, a Foreign Language score of at least 55 points from YDS (or an equivalent score) other than the applicant's native language.
4. Copy of passport **(The original passport must also be presented in time of the application)**
5. Certified Turkish translation of the diploma
6. Certified Turkish translation of the transcript
7. If applicable, Turkish Competence Certificate taken from TÖMER or ERSEM (Those who do not have Turkish certificate will also be registered but they will be able to start courses only after taking the C-1 Turkish language preparation course for one year)
8. Equivalence/Recognition certificate **(If not exists, it will be asked from the Council of Higher Education -YÖK by our institution).**
9. General Health Insurance Certificate (It will be requested at the time of exact registration)
10. . Receipt of NON-REFUNDABLE APPLICATION FEE in the amount of 2500 TL should be transferred to the account 1241-06000018 at Halk Bankası Kayseri Erciyes University Branch - IBAN NO: TR280001200124100006000018 (Application fees will not be refunded under any circumstances)

IMPORTANT REMARKS

1. Candidates can submit their application documents to our Institute in person or via an official proxy between **16 July - 16 August 2024**. Final registrations will be made automatically through the system. Admitted students who are on the main list and do not want to be enrolled in the programs they applied must inform our Institute.
2. The candidate may apply to **a maximum of two (2) programs for the Master's Program (with thesis)** and **only one (1) department for the PhD program**. All the applications of those who apply to more than 2 departments for the master's program (with thesis) and/or more than 1 department for the PhD program will be deemed invalid. There is no limit on the applications for No-Thesis Master's programs.
3. Admitted Students who do not make the final registration within the deadline lose their rights to register. Prospective Students who do not apply on the specified dates cannot claim any right.
4. Those who make false statements and/or conduct any forgery in any part of any requested documents cannot registered or lose their any rights upon the detection of any false statements or conduct of forgery.
5. For admission to a Master of Science program, applicants must have graduated from an undergraduate program. Grade Point Average should be at least 2.00 out of 4.00. For other grading systems, **Equivalency table of 4.00 and 100 grading system** could be used.
6. For admission to a PhD program, applicants must have a Master's degree. Grade Point Average should be at least 2.5 out of 4.00. Foreign students applying for PhD Programs are required to have a score of at least 55 points from a foreign language exam of YDS, e-YDS, YÖKDİL (or an equivalent score from another exam which is accepted by Council of Higher Education) other than their native language.
7. All the programs offered are in Turkish unless otherwise stated. Students who do not have proficiency of Turkish language may also apply but they will be required to take mandatory Turkish Language courses at ERSEM for one year. The proficiency certificate of Turkish must be obtained from ERSEM/TÖMER (or equivalence) indicating at least C1 grade level certificate. Foreign students who have completed the undergraduate / graduate education in Turkey are exempt from C1 certificate.
8. Tuition and fees determined by University Executive Board must be paid at the time of registration.



DEPARTMENT	PRINCIPLES AND REVOLUTIONS OF ATATURK			
Discipline (If any)	-			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	1	-
Foreign language score	-	-	-	-
Required degree / other requirements			Undergraduate graduates of the History Departments of Faculty of Letters, Faculty of Science and Letters, and Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, as well as History Education or Social Studies Education of the Faculty of Education can apply.	

DEPARTMENT	EASTERN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)	KOREAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	2
Foreign language score			-	55 Korean (YDS or exams accepted by Intercollegiate Board)
Required degree / other requirements			No special conditions are required from Korean nationals. Citizens of other countries are required to have a bachelor's degree in Korean Language and Literature.	No special conditions are required from Korean nationals. Citizens of other countries are required to have an MA. degree in Korean Language and Literature.



DEPARTMENT	EASTERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES			
Discipline (If any)	HEBREW LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	1
Foreign language score				Hebrew 80 (Since there is no YDS Hebrew exam, the exam in question will be administered by our Department)
Required degree / other requirements				To have a master's degree (with thesis) in Hebrew Language and Literature.

DEPARTMENT	EASTERN LANGUAGES AND LITERATURES			
Discipline (If any)	ARMENIAN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	2
Foreign language score				Armenian 55 (YDS or exams accepted by the Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements				Having a bachelor's degree in Armenian Language and Culture and/or a master's degree with thesis in Armenian Language and Literature.



DEPARTMENT	ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	2
Foreign language score			English 80 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)	English 85 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements			- Having a bachelor's degree in English Language and Literature, English Linguistics or English Language and Education. -Have a GPA of at least 3.00 for the master's program.	- Having a master's degree with thesis in English Language and Literature, American Culture and Literature, Comparative Literature, English Language Teaching, English Linguistics. -Have a GPA of at least 3.00 for the Ph.D. program.

DEPARTMENT	TURKISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	4
Foreign language score				55 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements				Having a master's degree with thesis in the fields of Turkish Language and Literature

DEPARTMENT	TURKISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)	NEW TURKISH LANGUAGE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			Having a bachelor's degree from the Department of Turkish Language and Literature, Department of Modern Turkish Dialects and Literatures, or Turcology.	



DEPARTMENT	TURKISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)	OLD TURKISH LITERATURE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	1	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			Having a bachelor's degree from the Department of Turkish Language and Literature, Department of Modern Turkish Dialects and Literatures, or Turcology.	

DEPARTMENT	TURKISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE			
Discipline (If any)	OLD TURKISH LANGUAGE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			Having a bachelor's degree from the Department of Turkish Language and Literature, Department of Modern Turkish Dialects and Literatures, or Turcology.	



DEPARTMENT	HISTORY OF ART			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	1
Foreign language score				55 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements				Having a master's degree from the Department of Art History or Department of Islamic History and Arts.

DEPARTMENT	HISTORY			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	3
Foreign language score				55 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements			Having a Bachelor's degree in History	Having an M.A. degree in History

DEPARTMENT	HISTORY			
Discipline (If any)	MODERN AGE			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	3
Foreign language score				55 (YDS or exams accepted by Interuniversity Board)
Required degree / other requirements			Having a Bachelor's degree in History	Having an M.A. degree in History



DEPARTMENT	JOURNALISM			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	2
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			To have a bachelor's degree in the Department of Journalism of the Faculties of Communication or to have a diploma in the fields related to 'Journalism' of the Institutions accepted as equivalent by the Council of Higher Education(YÖK).	To have a master's degree in the department of 'Journalism' of the institutes or to have a master's degree in the fields related to 'Journalism' of institutions accepted as equivalent by the Council of Higher Education(YÖK).

DEPARTMENT	PUBLIC RELATIONS AND PUBLICITY			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	2
Foreign language score				60 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements				To have a master's degree in the Department of Public Relations and Publicity or to have a master's degree in the field of "Public Relations and Publicity" of an institution accepted as equivalent by the Council of Higher Education(YÖK).



DEPARTMENT	RADIO, CINEMA AND TELEVISION			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	2
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			To have completed his/her bachelor's degree in the "Radio, Television and Cinema" department of the Faculties of Communication or to have a bachelor's degree in the fields related to "Communication Sciences" of institutions accepted as equivalent by YÖK.	To have completed one's master's degree in the "Radio, Television and Cinema" department of the institutes or to have a master's degree in the fields related to "Communication Sciences" of institutions accepted as equivalent by the Council of Higher Education (YÖK),

DEPARTMENT	PRIVATE LAW			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	2
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			Having a bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Law.	-Having a bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Law. -To have a master's degree with thesis in Private Law or Public Law.



DEPARTMENT	PUBLIC FINANCE			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	2
Foreign language score			English 50 YDS (or an equivalent score)	English 55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			Having a bachelor's degree from Public Finance, Economics, Political Science and Public Administration	Having a master's degree from Public Finance, Economics, Political Science and Public Administration

DEPARTMENT	TOURISM MANAGEMENT			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (with Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	1	1
Foreign language score			-	55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			Having bachelor's degree in a field related to tourism.	Having master's degree in a field related to tourism or Eurasia studies.

DEPARTMENT	ECONOMICS (ENGLISH DOCTORATE PROGRAM)			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	5
Foreign language score				75 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements				To have a master's degree with thesis in the fields of Economics, Econometrics, Finance, Banking, Capital Markets, Insurance, and/or sub-branches related to these fields.



DEPARTMENT		ECONOMICS (TURKISH PROGRAM)		
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	10	5
Foreign language score			40 YDS (or an equivalent score)	55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			<p>Graduates of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Faculty of Economics, Faculty of Political Sciences and/or other faculties and colleges are given 4-year education; Actuarial, Actuarial and Risk Management, Banking, Banking and Finance, Banking and Insurance, Labor Economics and Industrial Relations, Maritime Business and Management, Maritime Transportation Management Engineering, Maritime Business Management, Econometrics, Economics, Economics and Finance, Real Estate Development and Management, Real Estate and Asset Valuation, Entrepreneurship, Aviation Management, Economics, Islamic Economics and Finance, Statistics, Statistics and Computer Science, Business Administration, Business Administration Engineering, Business Management, Business and Economics, Hospitality Management, Logistics Management, Finance, Accounting and Auditing, Marketing, Health Management, Arts and Culture Management, Arts Management, Capital Markets and Portfolio Management, Capital Markets, Travel Management, Insurance and Risk Management, Insurance and Social Security, Sports Management, Agricultural Economics, Tourism Management, Tourism and Hotel Management, Transportation and Logistics, International Finance, International Finance and Graduates of Banking, International Entrepreneurship, International Business Management, International Business, International Business and Trade, International Logistics and Transportation, International Logistics Management, International Trade, International Trade and Finance, International Trade and Logistics, International Trade and Logistics Management, Food and Beverage Management undergraduate 4-year programs can apply.</p>	<p>To have a master's degree with thesis in the fields of Economics, Econometrics, Finance, Banking, Capital Markets, Insurance, and/or sub-branches related to these fields.</p>



DEPARTMENT	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	General Quota Total: 6 Production Management and Numerical Methods:2 Administration and Organization: 2 Marketing:2	General Quota Total: 6 Production Management and Numerical Methods:2 General Business Administration: 2 Marketing:2
Foreign language score			40 YDS (or an equivalent score)	55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			Graduates of the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Faculty of Business Administration, Faculty of Political Sciences and/or other (4-year education); Graduates of Industrial Engineering, Management Engineering, Systems Engineering, Production Engineering, Econometrics, Statistics, Statistics and Computer Science, Logistics Management, Transportation and Logistics, International Logistics and Transportation, International Logistics Management, Health Management, Applied Sciences HRM Department and Aviation Management Undergraduate (4 Years) programs can apply.	Those who have graduated from one of the master's programs in one of the disciplines of Business Administration, Production Management, Numerical Methods, Production Management and Numerical Methods, Management Engineering, Statistics or Econometrics, Marketing, Administration Organization, Accounting and Finance can apply. Students who are accepted from the General Business Administration quota will take a Doctorate Course in the Department of Management Organization



DEPARTMENT	HISTORY OF ISLAM			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	4	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			-Graduating from the Faculty of Theology or the Faculty of Islamic Sciences with an Arabic Preparation Class. -Students who have gained the right to exact registration will be directed to the fields of Islamic History (2 people), Turkish-Islamic Arts History (1 person) and Turkish-Islamic Literature (1 person).	

DEPARTMENT	PHILOSOPHY AND RELIGIOUS STUDIES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	3
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements			-Having a bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Theology, Faculty of Islamic Sciences or DKAB (religious culture and moral knowledge). -Students who have gained the right to exact registration will be directed to the fields of Philosophy of Religion (1 person), History of Religions (1 person) and Logic (1 person).	-To be equivalent to a Master's Degree with thesis in the Relevant Fields of the Department of Philosophy and Religious Sciences. -Students who have gained the right to exact registration will be directed to the fields of Philosophy of Religion (1 person), History of Religions (1 person) and Logic (1 person).



DEPARTMENT	BASIC ISLAMIC SCIENCES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	4	4
Foreign language score			Arabic 50 YDS (or an equivalent score) or being a native Arabic speaker	Arabic 55 YDS (or equivalent score) (Candidates whose native language is Arabic must have a score in another language.)
Required degree / other requirements			-To be a graduate of the Faculty of Theology, Faculty of Islamic Sciences or a faculty that provides equivalent theological education accepted by YÖK. -Students who have gained the right to exact registration will be directed to the fields of Islamic Law (2 people) and History of Islamic Sects (2 people).	-To be a graduate of the Department of Basic Islamic Sciences or an equivalent master's degree with thesis accepted by YÖK. -Those who gain the right to final registration will be directed to the fields of Islamic Law (2 people) and Reading (2 people).

DEPARTMENT	BASIC ISLAMIC SCIENCES			
Discipline (If any)	COMMENTARY ON THE KORAN			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	1
Foreign language score				Arabic 55 YDS (or equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements				-Having a master's degree with thesis in the Department of Basic Islamic Sciences or equivalent accepted by YÖK. -The topic of the master's thesis must be related to the field of Tafsir.



DEPARTMENT	BASIC ISLAMIC SCIENCES			
Discipline (If any)	QURAN RECITATION			
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree	Scientific Preparation	Doktora
Quota	-	-	2	-
Foreign language score	-	-	Arabic 45 YDS (or equivalent score)	-
Required degree / other requirements	-	-	-Having a master's degree with thesis in the Department of Basic Islamic Sciences or Faculty of Theology or equivalent accepted by YÖK.	-

DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY COMMUNICATION SCIENCES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	1
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements				To have a master's degree in one of the Communication Sciences, Theology, Sociology, Psychology, Political Science, and Education Departments of the institutes or to have a master's degree in Communication Sciences, Theology, Sociology, Psychology, Political Science and Education related fields of the institutions accepted as equivalent by YÖK.



DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY ASIAN STUDIES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	-	5
Foreign language score				55 YDS (or an equivalent score)
Required degree / other requirements				Having a master's degree with thesis in one of the Social Sciences fields.

DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	-
Foreign language score			To have a minimum score of 60 from a central or internationally recognized exam held in Turkey in any of the South Asian Languages or English.	
Required degree / other requirements			To have a bachelor's degree from a university in Turkey or a foreign university whose equivalence is accepted by YÖK.	



DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY EURASIAN STUDIES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	5	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			To have a bachelor's degree.	

DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY HEALTH TOURISM			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	3	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			To have a bachelor's degree.	

DEPARTMENT	INTERDISCIPLINARY CULTURAL STUDIES			
Discipline (If any)				
Requirements				
	Scientific Preparation	Master's Degree (Without Thesis)	Master's Degree (With Thesis)	PhD
Quota	-	-	2	-
Foreign language score				
Required degree / other requirements			To have a bachelor's degree in one of the Social Sciences fields.	