

**Supplementary Questionnaire**

**NOTE: If you are applying online, the completed form must be uploaded under ‘Research proposal’ or ‘Statement’ on the online application system.[[1]](#footnote-1)**

NB: While filling out the form, be precise, do not repeat yourself and do not exceed the word limit. Every section must be filled out!

**Name**:

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| [first name, last name] |

1. **Indicate which (a) study track and (b) partner university you would like to enrol on.**

Please indicate below a study track and your first (1) and second (2) preference for year 2 university.

Prior to filling in your preferences, please consult the table on page 2 for study track availability in each partner university. Please see the [IMESS website](http://www.ucl.ac.uk/imess) for more details on each of the year 2 universities, including the degree titles awarded by each partner.

**Study track (indicate ONE study track only)**

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|  | Economics & Business |
|  | Politics and the International Economy |
|  | Politics & Security |
|  | History & Society |

NOTE: Applications indicating the choice of more than one track will not be considered.

**Year 2 university preference (indicate first AND second choice – track availability is shown on page 2).**

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| **Year 2 university:** | **First preference****(1) – please pick ONE** | **Second preference****(2) – please pick ONE** |
| University of Belgrade, Serbia |  |  |
| Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary |  |  |
| Jagiellonian University, Cracow, Poland |  |  |
| Helsinki University, Finland  |  |  |
| Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia |  |  |
| Higher School of Economics, St Petersburg, Russia |  |  |
| Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic |  |  |
| University of Tartu, Estonia |  |  |

NOTE: While we make all possible effort to accommodate your first preference of Year 2 destination, it is not possible to guarantee places. Students will be notified about Year 2 university allocation by the end of UCL enrolment week.

**TRACK AVAILABILITY IN 2021/23:**



**2. Which IMESS language would you like to study?**

Please indicate first (1) and second (2) preference.

*Note: you can study one of the IMESS languages either in both years or only in year 1 or 2.
You can study any IMESS language in year 1; in year 2, you can normally only study the titular language in year 2 as a rule, except for Tartu, where either Estonian or Russian can be studied.*

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|  | Czech |
|  | Estonian  |
|  | Finnish  |
|  | Hungarian |
|  | Polish  |
|  | Russian  |
|  | Serbo-Croatian (=Bosnian/Montenegrin) |

I would like to study the language (tick only one of the options):

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|  | in both years |
|  | only in year 1 (at UCL). |
|  | only in year 2.  |
| Level (please explain in full:  |  |  |

**3. Please explain the reasons for your language and year 2 university choice selected above.**

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| (*100 words max*) |

**4. Motivation and suitability**.

Outline your motivation for choosing the IMESS programme and explain why you think you are a good candidate for the programme: i.e. how IMESS complements and develops your previous studies; how it relates to your future career path; how the programme and the courses offered on both years relate to your personal and academic interests. State why you have chosen the study track indicated in (1) above.

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| (*300 words max*) |

**5. Research interests.**

Briefly outline the provisional topic of your IMESS dissertation (this can change later): explain how it relates to the programme theme (‘Economy, State and Society’) and to your choice of year 2 country of study and language (if applicable). Indicate 1 or 2 IMESS electives that you consider might be helpful in preparing for your research (here we will be looking for evidence that you have studied the programme websites).

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| (*500 words max*) |

1. If you have already submitted your application, please send the form (including the scan of the information page of your passport) to imess@ssees.ucl.ac.uk with the subject header ‘IMESS Scholarship Application’ [↑](#footnote-ref-1)