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# Central European Comparative Studies (CECSK) - part-time s

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The two-year master's programme in **Central European Comparative Studies (CECS)** concentrates on the areas of Germany, Austria and the Visegrad Countries (the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Poland and Hungary) with an overlap onto neighbouring regions and offers a thorough comparative and multidisciplinary understanding of the issues involved. The programme is offered either in the form of normal everyday study or as combined study (which is geared for working people and entails attendance on every Friday afternoon of the semester).

The programme focuses on comparative analysis in the following areas: political systems in the 20<sup>th</sup> century, political development since 1990, the economy, European integration, culture, and the history of society in the 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> centuries. In addition to academic subjects, the programme offers intensive schooling in at least two languages (such as Czech, Polish, and Russian). Passing some subjects in German is obligatory.

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### Course structure

<b>Compulsory courses</b>	<b>108 ECTS</b>
<b>Languages</b>	<b>minimum 0, maximum 12 ECTS</b>
<b>Electives</b>	<b>minimum 0, maximum 12 ECTS</b>
<b>Defence of M. A. Thesis</b>	

### Compulsory Courses J#138

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ124	Master Thesis Seminar for CECS I.	Pešek	WS	0/3	macc	4
JMMZ125	Master Thesis Seminar for CECS II.	Pešek	SS	0/3	macc	4
JMMZ126	Methodology and Academic Writing Seminar for CECS	Kozák	WS	4/0	macc	5
JMMZ127	Central European History	Nigrin	WS	4/0	Examination	9
JMMZ128	Political Geography of Central Europe	Kozák	WS	4/0	Examination	9

JMMZ129	<u>Central European Political Systems I.</u>	Říchová	WS	4/0	Examination	9
JMMZ130	<u>Central European Political Systems II.</u>	Říchová	SS	4/0	Examination	8
JMMZ131	<u>Jewish History in Central European Region</u>	Králová	SS	4/0	Examination	8
JMMZ132	<u>Germany and Austria and the Visegrad Countries</u>	Handl	WS	4/0	Examination	9
JMMZ133	<u>Conceptions and Interpretations of Central European History</u>	Vykoukal	WS	4/0	Examination	9
JMMZ134	<u>Constitutional Transformation of the Central and East European Countries</u>	Šlosarčík	SS	4/0	Examination	8
JMMZ135	<u>Ethnical and National Problems in Central and Eastern Europe</u>	Vykoukal	SS	4/0	Examination	8

### **Languages J#136**

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Code	Course title	Course leader	Semester	Hours per week	Course assessment	ECTS credit points
JMMZ117	<u>Language of the Region A I.</u>	Nigrin	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ136	<u>Language of the Region B I.</u>	Nigrin	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ137	<u>Language of the Region A II.</u>	Nigrin	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ138	<u>Language of the Region A III.</u>	Nigrin	WS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ139	<u>Language of the Region A IV.</u>	Nigrin	SS	0/2	Examination	6
JMMZ140	<u>Language of the Region B II.</u>	Nigrin	SS	0/2	Examination	6

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