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*Opatija*

FACULTY OF TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY  
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## ABOUT US

The history of the Faculty began in 1960 with the establishment of the Economics School of Catering, which in 1969 was developed into the Department of Catering and Tourism (a professional four-year university program) of the Faculty of Economics in Rijeka.. In 1974, the Department of Catering and Tourism became Opatija Faculty of Hospitality. Today the faculty operates under the title Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management (FTHM), Opatija.

The Faculty is the public university institution with a full focus on the education and scientific development of staff in the field of tourism, catering and sustainable development, which executes undergraduate and graduate university programs, postgraduate doctoral studies, and lifelong learning programs.

The vision of the Faculty is to be a leader in higher education, scientific and professional research in the field of tourism, hospitality industry and sustainable development in Croatia and wider region.

## INTERNATIONALIZATION OF FTHM

The Faculty actively contributes to the implementation of the key goals of the University of Rijeka while simultaneously striving to intensify its cooperation with similar institutions in Croatia and abroad.

Faculty has recognized the importance of internationalization of higher education and therefore following activities are carried out: developing international cooperation with partner institutions in Europe and the world, encouraging mobility of students, teachers and non-teaching staff (Erasmus + and CEEPUS programs), participation in international projects, developing international educational programs, increasing the number of members in renowned associations etc.



**Education levels:** Offered courses are divided into two levels: bachelor's (first cycle) and master's (second cycle).

**Duration of mobility:** a minimum of 3 months (or 1 academic semester) to a maximum of 12 months (1 academic year)

**Types of international student mobility at FTHM include:**

- **Exchange students** (Erasmus+, CEEPUS, bilateral agreements)
- **Guest students** (free-movers, short-term study).

## STUDY PROGRAMMES

**Undergraduate Study (4 years - 240 ECTS):** Business Economics in Tourism and Hospitality, Management of Sustainable Development (Croatian language)

**Graduate Study (1 year - 60 ECTS credits):** Tourism Marketing, Tourism Management, Hospitality Management, Sustainable Tourism Development (Croatian language)

**Postgraduate Specialist Study** Management in Tourism and Hospitality (1,5 years – 90 ECTS), Health Tourism (2 years – 120 ECTS) (Croatian language)

**Doctoral study (3 years – 180 ECTS):** Business Administration in Tourism and Hospitality, Management of Sustainable Development (Croatian language)

**Lifelong learning programs:** Food and Beverage Specialist, Transfer program etc. (Croatian language)

"Study in Croatia" is a comprehensive source of information about higher education in Croatia aimed at prospective international students.  
<http://www.studyincroatia.hr/>

FTHM is a constituent of the **University of Rijeka**  
<https://www.uniri.hr/>

For more information on FTHM  
International Affairs and mobility programs  
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## International Agreements:

Erasmus+ program: more than 80 partners institutions (Austria, Finland, Germany, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Poland, Bulgaria, Great Britain, Lithuania, etc.);

CEEPUS program (Central European Exchange Program for University Studies): two networks, more than 30 partner institutions (Austria, BiH, Poland, Czech Republic, Slovakia, Slovenia etc.);  
Bilateral Agreements: China, Republic of Korea, Russia, etc.

