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Pursuant to Article 9, paragraph 1 of the Statute of the Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management – consolidated text of December 7, 2023, and in accordance with the Decision of the Senate of the University of Rijeka on tuition fees, the right of students to tuition fee subsidies, and the conditions and criteria for student participation in tuition costs in the academic year 2026/2027 (CLASS: 007-01/26-03/02; REG. NO.: 2170-137-01-26-69) of March 17, 2026, the Decision amending the aforementioned Decision (REG. NO.: 2170-137-01-26-97) of April 21, 2026, and the Decision on enrollment fees for the academic year 2026/2027, the Faculty Council of the Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management, at its 47th session held on May 5, 2026, hereby adopts the following:

DECISION

on the Amount of Tuition Fees for the Academic Year 2026/2027

GENERAL PROVISIONS

I.

This Decision determines the amount of tuition fees for the following programmes: the university undergraduate study programme Business Economics in Tourism and Hospitality, the university undergraduate study programme Business Economics in Tourism and Hospitality – Hospitality Management, English-language module, the university undergraduate study programme Sustainable Development Management, as well as the university graduate study programmes Tourism Marketing, Tourism Management, Hospitality Management, Sustainable Tourism Development (online study programme), and Tourism Management at SC Zabok. This Decision also regulates students' entitlement to tuition fee subsidies, as well as the conditions and criteria for student participation in tuition costs in the academic year 2026/2027.

Terms used in this Decision that are expressed in the grammatical gender form shall apply equally to all persons.

TUITION FEES

II.

The amount of tuition fee for the academic year 2026/2027 are determined as follows:

I.	Full-time students:	EUR 950,00	EUR 15,83 per 1 ECTS
II.	Part-time students (Croatian and EU citizens):	EUR 950,00	
III.	Part-time students enrolled in SC Zabok (Croatian and EU citizens).	EUR 950,00	
IV.	Full-time and part-time students (non-EU citizens):	EUR 2.500,00	
V.	Full-time students (Croatian and EU citizens): – Hospitality Management, module in English, to be enrolled for the first time in the academic years 2024/2025, 2025/2026 and 2026/2027:	EUR 2.000,00	
VI.	Full-time students (non-EU citizens): – Hospitality Management, module taught in English, enrolled for the first time in the academic years 2024/2025, 2025/2026 and 2026/2027:	EUR 3.000,00	
VII.	Full-time students – Hospitality Management, module taught in English, enrolled in the 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 academic years:	EUR 1.300,68	

III.

The enrollment fees for the academic year 2026/2027 are determined as follows:

- First enrollment in the first year of study is EUR 55.50
- Enrollment in a higher year of study or re-enrollment in the same year is EUR 40.00

The enrollment fee is charged to students upon their first enrollment in the first year of study, in a higher year, and for re-enrollment in the same year.

The obligation to pay the enrollment fee does not apply to:

- I. Students who lived in the areas affected by the earthquake on 29 December 2020 and had their place of residence in Sisak-Moslavina County, with buildings classified as N1/N2 or PN1/PN2 (usable) based on a preliminary damage assessment by a certified structural engineer in accordance with the methodology of the Croatian Centre for Earthquake Engineering (supported by a current proof, e. g. a certificate from the Civil Protection Headquarters);
- II. Students from Ukraine who have been granted temporary protection in accordance with the applicable Government decisions on the introduction of temporary protection in the Republic of Croatia for displaced persons from Ukraine.

RIGHT TO TUITION FEE SUBSIDY FROM THE STATE BUDGET

IV.

The right to a full tuition fee subsidy from the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia, in accordance with the Regulation governing the program-based funding of public higher education institutions and public scientific institutes in the Republic of Croatia (Official Gazette No. 78/2023) and pursuant to special regulations, is granted to students with regular student status, as follows:

- I. Croatian citizens and citizens of other EU Member States enrolling for the first time for the first academic year 2026/2027
- II. Students in higher years of study who, in the 2025/2026 academic year, earned at least 55 ECTS credits, or at least 30 ECTS credits in the case of a student with a disability who has been determined to have at least a 60% physical impairment or at least a level III functional capacity impairment.
- III. Students who, in the 2026/2027 academic year, are changing their chosen study program for the first time, provided that they have not obtained a qualification at the same level of study, and that in the previous academic year they earned at least 55 ECTS credits in their previous study program, or at least 30 ECTS credits in the case of a student with a disability who has been determined to have at least a 60% physical impairment or at least a level III functional capacity impairment.
- IV. Members of the Croatian national minority and the Croatian emigrant community (Croatian diaspora), in accordance with the Cooperation Agreement between the Central State Office for Croats Outside the Republic of Croatia and the University of Rijeka, signed on 6 May 2019, and with the approval of the Ministry of Science, Education and Youth dated 28 February 2024, under the same conditions as Croatian citizens.
- V. Students who have been granted temporary protection in accordance with the applicable decisions of the Government of the Republic of Croatia on the introduction of temporary protection in the Republic of Croatia for displaced persons from Ukraine.
- VI. Students who are citizens of the Republic of North Macedonia, pursuant to the Programme of Cooperation in the Field of Education for the period from 2024 to 2028, signed on 29 August 2024 between the Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of North Macedonia and the Ministry of Science, Education and Youth of the Republic of Croatia.

Tuition fee grants are awarded to students with full-time status until they have obtained a degree at each of the first two levels of higher education.

A student with regular student status is entitled to a tuition fee subsidy for a period corresponding to the prescribed duration of the study programme (four years for a four-year undergraduate programme and one year for a one-year graduate programme). This right may be exercised within a period that is no more than twice the prescribed duration of the study programme.

A student with a disability who has been determined to have at least a 60% physical impairment or at least a level III functional capacity impairment is entitled to a tuition fee subsidy for a period that is twice the prescribed duration of the study programme, in accordance with the opinion of the Ministry of Science, Education and Youth dated 25 June 2025.

PARTICIPATION OF FULL-TIME STUDENTS IN TUITION COSTS

V.

- Full-time students who, during the 2025/2026 academic year, have earned fewer than 55 but more than 30 ECTS credits are required to pay a participation fee in tuition costs corresponding to the product of the ECTS credits of the re-enrolled courses and the monetary value of one ECTS credit.
- Full-time students who, in the university undergraduate programme within four years and in the university graduate programme within one year, have not acquired the total number of ECTS credits required for programme completion, and who during the 2025/2026 academic year have earned fewer than 55 but more than 30 ECTS credits, as well as students who have earned more than 55 ECTS credits but have already exhausted their entitlement to tuition fee subsidies from the state budget (four times at the undergraduate level and once at the graduate level), are required in the following academic year to pay a participation fee corresponding to the product of the enrolled ECTS credits and the monetary value of one ECTS credit.
- Students with regular student status who, during the 2025/2026 academic year, earned 30 ECTS credits or fewer are required, upon enrolment in a higher year of study, to pay the full amount of the participation fee in the following academic year.
- Students with regular student status (citizens of the Republic of Croatia, students from EU Member States, and citizens of third countries) enrolled in the university undergraduate programme Business Economics in Tourism and Hospitality – Hotel Management, English-taught module, for which participation costs are not covered by the State Budget of the Republic of Croatia, shall pay the full participation fee as determined in Section II of this Decision.

VI.

A full-time student has the right to repeat each academic year a maximum of once. A student who has lost his/her full-time status because he/she has exercised his/her right to repeat an academic year may continue his/her studies part-time until the deadline specified in point VII of this Decision.

TUITION FEES FOR PART-TIME STUDENTS AND STUDENTS STUDYING IN PROGRAMMES TAUGHT IN A FOREIGN LANGUAGE

VII.

- Part-time students and students enrolled in foreign language programmes must pay the full amount of the fee specified in point II of this Decision.
- Croatian Homeland War veterans, Croatian Homeland War military invalids (HRVI), children of fallen, detained, or missing Homeland War veterans, children of 100% HRVI of the first disability group, as well as students with disabilities who have been determined to have at least a 60% physical impairment or at least a

level III functional capacity impairment, shall pay no more than 50% of the tuition fee determined in Section II of this Decision.

- Part-time students who come from the alternative care system, students who are single parents, and students with approved refugee (asylum) status shall pay no more than 50% of the tuition fee determined in Section II of this Decision.

FINAL PROVISIONS

VIII.

A student must complete his/her studies at the latest within a period that is twice as long as the duration of the study programme, as follows:

- In the undergraduate program, within 8 years.
- In the graduate program, within 2 years.
- In the joint professional graduate program, within 4 years.

IX.

The entitlement to tuition fee subsidies at the expense of the Faculty shall be governed, mutatis mutandis, by the provisions of the Decision of the Senate of the University of Rijeka on the amount of tuition fees, students' entitlement to tuition fee subsidies, and the conditions and criteria for student participation in tuition costs in the academic year 2026/2027 (CLASS: 007-01/26-03/02; REG. NO.: 2170-137-01-26-69) of 17 March 2026, and the Decision of the Senate amending and supplementing the Decision on the amount of tuition fees, students' entitlement to tuition fee subsidies, and the conditions and criteria for student participation in tuition costs in the 2026/2027 academic year (CLASS: 007-01/26-03/02; REG. NO.: 2170-137-01-26-97) of 21 April 2026.

A student has the right to a refund of the tuition fee or part of the tuition fee for the current academic year if he/she has paid a higher tuition fee than specified in this Decision.

Before you enrol for the next academic year, all debts must be paid in full and proof of payment must be provided. Students who do not pay their tuition fees will not be able to enrol for the following academic year.

X.

This Decision shall enter into force on the day of its adoption and shall apply from the academic year 2026/2027.

Dean
Professor Marko Perić, Ph.D.