

Application Form - Mundus Journalism 2025-2027

Personal information

The information should be provided exactly as it is listed in your passport.

Given name (first name)	
Family name (last name/surname)	
Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
Nationality/nationalities (please include all)	

Additional personal information

Gender	Female	Male	Other	Age at course start (Sept. 1, 2025)	
Phone				Current country of residence	
E-mail				Do you have a criminal conviction?	Yes No

Do you wish to inform us about a chronic disease or a disability? If you share this information, we will do our best to guide you to the relevant Special Education Support at the universities. Please describe your situation very briefly below and include documentation and any further information in the application package. Any information will be treated confidentially.

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Second-year specialisation

Please note:

- that you must indicate both a first priority AND a second priority
- that you cannot spend the second year in your country of permanent residency

Priority 1	Priority 2
	Politics & Communication - University of Amsterdam, the Netherlands
	Totalitarianism & Transition - Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic
	Crisis & Conflict - City St George's, University of London, United Kingdom
	Cultures & Contexts - Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany

English language proficiency

We require evidence of English language proficiency if you are not a national of the following majority English-speaking countries:

Antigua and Barbuda; Australia; The Bahamas; Barbados; Belize; Canada; Dominica; Grenada; Guyana; Ireland; Jamaica; New Zealand; St Kitts and Nevis; St Lucia; St Vincent and the Grenadines; Trinidad and Tobago; UK; USA.

Are you a national of one the above mentioned majority English-speaking countries	Yes	No
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If you are **not** from one of the majority English-speaking countries listed above, please provide your overall IELTS, TOEFL or Cambridge test score and test date.
Please make sure to include a scan of your language test within your application package.

Language test type	IELTS	TOEFL	Cambridge
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Overall test score	
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Language test date (dd/mm/yyyy)	
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If you are not a national of any of the countries mentioned above, but you consider yourself a native speaker, you can apply for an exemption from the language test.

Please note:

- that applicants with a bachelor's degree in English language and/or English literature from a non-English speaking country are not exempt from submitting an English language test
- that there is no guarantee that an exemption will be granted.

I would like to apply for a language test exemption	Yes	No
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To apply, please include the following documents within your application package:

- 1) A Language Test Exemption Letter: In this letter, you must state your reasons for applying for a waiver of the English language test. The request should explicitly describe the reasons why you should be regarded as native speaker.
- 2) Either option a) or option b):
 - a) A Formal Statement if you have studied in an English-taught BA programme: This statement must confirm that the curriculum of your Bachelor's programme was completely English-taught and it must be signed by the educational administration department, dean or examinations' board.
 - b) Other documentation of your English skills.

Academic qualifications

	At Bachelor's level			At Master's level (if relevant)	
Name of university or college (including city and country)					
Type of degree	Bachelor of Arts Bachelor of Social sciences Other			Master's of Arts Master's of Social Sciences Other	
If other, please specify					
Full title of degree					
Subject/field/area of study					
Grade point average (GPA) (only if available)					
Length of degree programme	2 years 3 years	3,5 years 4 years	More than 4 years	1 year 2 years	3 years More than 3 years
Date of graduation (dd/mm/yyyy) OR date of expected graduation if you are yet to graduate (dd/mm/yyyy)					

APPLICATION REFLECTIONS

The following section is related to your academic and journalistic background as well as your future career expectations. Though short, your answers will be evaluated thoroughly by the Selection Committee, not only on content, but also on writing style, quality, and clarity. Therefore, we urge you to pay close attention to this part.

Journalism experience

1. What do you consider to be your most important professional experience in journalism, media or communications and please explain how this experience spurred your interest to apply for admission into the Mundus Journalism programme.

(Character limit: 1250 characters including spaces)

Academic background, future career, and programme related reflections

2. How has your academic background prepared you for the Mundus Journalism programme and in particular, the specialisation you have selected as your first priority for the second year of your studies?

(Character limit: 1250 characters including spaces)

3. What are your aspirations for your future career, and specifically, how do you envision your chosen second-year specialisation aiding you in achieving those goals?

(Character limit: 1250 characters including spaces)

4. Please select one recent incident which you consider important as far as journalism in your country is concerned. Please reflect on what this incident reveals about the present state and future trajectory of journalism in your country. If you hold multiple nationalities, focus on one country.

(Character limit: 1250 characters including spaces)

In the Mundus Journalism programme, you will be taught compulsory courses that encompass training in both qualitative and quantitative research methods, including statistical analysis.

5. How can a good operating knowledge of scientific research methods benefit the work of journalists? Please provide a concrete example.

(Character limit: 1250 characters including spaces)

6. What is your experience in applying scientific research methods?

(Character limit: 500 characters including spaces)

Financing your studies

In the 2025-2027 programme we are, unfortunately, unable to offer Erasmus Mundus Journalism scholarships for our students. However, we are pleased to award two Mundus Journalism Consortium scholarships of €10,000 each to the two strongest applicants. All applicants (who do not already hold a 2-year Master's degree) will be considered for these scholarships, hence, you do not have to indicate within the application package that you want to apply for a scholarship. If awarded a Mundus Journalism Consortium Scholarship, you will still be responsible for covering the tuition fees yourself.

The cost of living is rather high in both Denmark and the country of your specialisation year. Additionally, our full-time studies workload allows minimal time for employment next to your studies – especially in year 2. Therefore, it is crucial for us to ensure that applicants:

- a) are aware in advance about these expenses
- b) have carefully considered how they will finance their studies.

7. Have you already thought about how you will finance your studies and living expenses if selected as a Mundus student? What might your plan entail? If you have not yet considered this, we encourage you to visit our website for information about living costs and [searching for alternative funding](#).

(Character limit: 500 characters including spaces)

DECLARATION AND SIGNATURE

Declaration

Please read and agree to the following declaration. We are unable to consider your application if you do not agree with the declaration.

“By signing this application form, I confirm that the information provided is true, complete and accurate, and that no requested information has been omitted. I understand that the universities reserve the right to revoke the offer of admission/enrolment if false information has been provided. I give my consent for the universities to use and share the information for study administrative purposes.”

Both handwritten signatures and e-signatures are accepted. E-signatures do not need to be electronically certified.

E-signature: you can use either the sign function in your PDF editor, or any another electronic signature software - be aware, that some types of e-signing lock the form and prevent further editing from the moment of signing.

Handwritten signature: you can print the form, sign it manually, scan it and then include it in your application package.

Date:

Signature: