

Frequently asked questions about application and admission to the Bachelor's degree program Radiological Technology

In order to be accepted to the admission procedure, a first aid course must be completed. Is the first aid course taken as part of the driver's license sufficient?

No, the 8-hour course taken as part of the driver's license is not sufficient. The course must consist of at least 16 hours and must have been completed no more than 2 years ago. The Austrian Student Union (ÖH), the Red Cross and the Arbeiter Samariter Bund, for example, offer this course with the required number of hours, even during the summer.

In order to be accepted to the admission procedure, documents must be uploaded. What does "complete" university entrance certificate mean?

Please upload all 4 pages of your university entrance certificate in one file. In the case of a university entrance certificate from a vocational school or university entrance certificate from a university, always upload the list of subjects as well.

Why does my foreign birth certificate/university entrance certificate also need to be uploaded as an original?

To verify the authenticity of your document, we always need the original document in the respective national language and a German (certified) translation of it. Both must be uploaded in one document under birth certificate/university entrance certificate.

Can I study if I have not received my university entrance certificate/university entrance certificate of a vocational school/or other qualifications for studying by the time I start my studies?

No, a positively completed, comprehensive certificate is a prerequisite for admission to the degree program and must be submitted at the latest at the beginning of the course. If this is not possible, the study program cannot be started in this semester.

Do you have a lot of physical contact with patients in the job?

Yes, you are in constant contact with patients, from passing on information to them to carrying out the examination. Patients have to be assisted, positioned or even cared for in emergencies. This means that patients must also be physically touched.

Do I have contact with patients/students during my studies?

Yes, from the first semester there are exercises at university in which patient contact is simulated. You will practice with each other and, in specific exercises (e.g. X-ray diagnostics, mammography, sonography), you will also have to work on each other while partially undressed. From the 2nd semester onwards, you will have contact with real patients in various healthcare facilities as part of the practical learning phases.

Is a Master's degree recommended after a Bachelor's degree, does it make a difference in practice?

There are consecutive Master's degree programs in the field of radiological technology that build on each other. We also recommend the option of doing a Master's degree in another field (technical, pedagogical, health) for the purpose of further professional development. The Academic Course Sonography at FH Campus Wien is also recommended in connection with Ultrasound Diagnostics (Sonography).

What is the admission test like?

Please refer to our website for the latest information on the admission procedure (PC test and interview).

How can I prepare for the admission procedure?

An explicit preparation is neither possible nor necessary, but it is advantageous to familiarize oneself with the occupational profile of radiological technology in advance (areas of activity, occupational fields, competencies, everyday working life, etc.).

What is included in the admission test?

The computer-based admission test includes tasks on figurative and mathematical intelligence, memory skills, concentration skills and social skills. Subject-specific knowledge is not required.

Is it possible for me to work part time?

The Bachelor's degree program Radiological Technology is conducted as a full-time program in both semesters. Lectures/exercises can also take place on Saturdays. Timetables vary every week and spontaneous changes may occur. Therefore, only a flexible part-time job with a small number of hours will be possible.

How many applicants are there for one study place?

Currently there are about 4-5 applications for one study place.

May I also apply for another degree program?

It is possible to apply for another degree program. If you are no longer interested in our program during the admission process or if you have already received a place in another degree program, please send a short e-mail to our secretary's office so that we can give another applicant the chance to study with us.

How do I know if I have been accepted?

You will receive the latest information about advancement or the receipt of a study place during the computer-based admission test and the personal interview.