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Nicosia, North Cyprus (TRNC) · English-medium · founded 2015

Education partner on the ground

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RECOGNITION AND ACCREDITATION

YÖK

Türkiye's Council of Higher Education. Official recognition granted 22 October 2025.

YÖDAK

Higher Education Planning, Evaluation, Accreditation and Coordination Council, TRNC.

TRNC Ministry

Accredited by the TRNC Ministry of National Education.

FIBAA

Foundation for International Business Administration Accreditation, Germany.

Following YÖK recognition the university **can formally admit students from Türkiye**, and its programmes are listed in the YÖK higher education programmes guide. Institutional recognition is the precondition for a graduate's individual equivalence application; the outcome of that application is decided by the authority in the student's own country.

Tuition after the *Dev/Soy partner scholarship*

PROGRAMME LEVEL	LIST PRICE	SCHOLARSHIP	STUDENT PAYS	REGISTRATION
Bachelor & associate annual payment · most common route	€3,500	50%	€1,750 per year	€400 one time
Bachelor & associate per semester	€3,500	50%	€875 per semester	€150 one time
Master's degree thesis or non-thesis	€5,000	50%	€2,500 per year	€850 one time
Preparatory school + bachelor for students without a language certificate	€7,000	50%	€3,500	€1,900 one time

Payment terms

- **Free application** — no application fee at any level
- **5% discount** when tuition is paid upfront
- Instalment plans available; monthly plans may carry a service fee
- Official bank: Türkiye İş Bankası (EUR, USD, GBP, TRY accounts)
- The scholarship applies to tuition. Registration and accommodation are separate

Monthly living cost in North Cyprus

- Accommodation **\$200–400**
- Food and dining **\$150–250**
- Entertainment **\$50–120** · utilities **\$40–80**
- Transport **\$20–60** · personal care **\$20–60**
- **Total \$480–970 per month**, per the university's own student budget guide

Entry requirements by *market*

COUNTRY / REGION	NATIONAL EXAMINATION	MINIMUM
Pakistan	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)	50–65 / 100
Nigeria, Egypt, Morocco	National school leaving examination	above published threshold
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC)	50–65 / 100
Kenya	KCSE	mean grade C to C+
Somalia	High school final examination	60–70 / 100
Sudan, Tanzania, Zimbabwe	High school final examination	50–65 / 100
Egypt	Thanaweya Amma	50–65 / 100
Gulf countries	General Secondary Education Certificate	50–65 / 100
Jordan · Palestine	Tawjihi	50–70 / 60–75
Iraq · Northern Iraq	Central high school graduation exam	60–85 / 60
Lebanon, Syria	Baccalaureate / school leaving	50–65 / 100
India	12th grade board examination	50–65 / 100
Iran	Pishdaneshgahi / final examination	50–65 / 100
Francophone countries	Baccalaureate	50–65 / 100

Requirements are set by the university and may be updated. For any market not listed above we confirm the current threshold with the admissions office in writing before an application is submitted.

Language requirement & *documents*

English proficiency

- IELTS **5.0+** · TOEFL iBT **60+** · Duolingo **90+** (undergraduate)
- IELTS **6.0+** · TOEFL iBT **70+** · Duolingo **105+** (graduate)
- Certificates must be within the last 2 years
- **No mandatory IELTS or TOEFL:** students may sit the university placement exam on arrival, or join the one-year English Preparatory Programme

Required documents

- High school or bachelor's diploma (**required**)
- Academic transcript (**required**)
- Passport bio page, valid at least 6 months (**required**)
- Language certificate (optional)
- Reference and motivation letters — recommended for graduate applications
- All documents in English or officially translated

Programmes — *taught in English*

Architecture & Engineering

Architecture · 4 yr
Software Engineering · 4 yr
Information Systems & Technologies · 4 yr
Computer Technology &
Programming · 2 yr, associate

Economics, Business & Social Sciences

Business Administration · 4 yr
Banking & Finance · 4 yr
Accounting & Finance · 4 yr
International Relations · 4 yr
International Trade & Business · 4 yr
Tourism & Hospitality Management · 4 yr
International Law · 4 yr

Law & Graduate School

Law · 4 yr, Turkish
MBA · English & Turkish
Architecture MSc
International Relations MA
Software Engineering MSc · 2 yr
Law LLM · Turkish
English Preparatory Programme · 1 yr

Opening soon: Psychology · Nutrition and Dietetics · Interior Architecture · Artificial Intelligence and Data Science · Data Science and Business Analytics · PhD in Business Administration · PhD in Software Engineering. Non-thesis master's tracks run 1 to 1.5 years.

The process, and *who does what*

1 Programme and scholarship plan

You send the student's grades and goal; we return the eligible programmes, the scholarship rate and a realistic intake.

3 Conditional acceptance letter

Issued by the university admissions commission, stating the scholarship rate.

5 Travel, entry and student residence

We check transit visa requirements by nationality, then handle registration, health report and the residence permit on the island.

2 Documents and application

We prepare the file and submit through apply.rdu.edu.tr. Applying is free.

4 Payment and official acceptance letter

The official letter follows the first payment. It is required for travel and entry.

6 Arrival and settling in

The university provides an Ercan Airport welcome and orientation. We support housing, bank account, SIM and the first week.

How we work with agencies

You keep your own relationship with the family and your own advisory fee. We are the team on the ground: applications, acceptance letters, payment guidance, visa and residence steps, airport arrival and settling in. Your student is never left alone after landing, and you are never left explaining a process you cannot see.

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Figures are taken from the university's 2026-2027 international student fee schedule and its published admission requirements, and are quoted in euro. Accommodation is charged separately by room type and is confirmed with the admissions office on request rather than estimated here. Fees, scholarship terms and requirements may be updated by the university; we confirm the current position before any application is submitted.