

CEU SUMMER PROGRAM

June 22 – August 1, 2020, Budapest, Hungary



One- and two-week courses in the social sciences and humanities in English.

High-level, research-oriented, interdisciplinary and innovative academic courses as well as workshops on policy issues for professional development.

Topics in newly emerging fields and transdisciplinary approaches.

Research-Intensive Courses

Comparative constitutional law, Legal studies, Political science

CONSTITUTION-BUILDING IN AFRICA

29 JUN
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8 JUL

Course directors:
Markus Böckenförde, Department of Legal Studies, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Gedion Hessebon, School of Law, Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia
Renata Uitz, Comparative Constitutional Law Program, Department of Legal Studies, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Digital Humanities, Gender studies, History, Media studies, Performance Studies, Social anthropology, Sociology

CULTURES OF DISSENT IN EASTERN EUROPE (1945-1989): RESEARCH APPROACHES IN THE DIGITAL HUMANITIES

22 JUN
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30 JUN

Course directors:
Jessie Labov, Center for Media, Data and Society, Central European University/Academic and Institutional Development, McDaniel College Budapest, Hungary
Piotr Wcislik, Digital Humanities Centre at the Institute of Literary Research of the Polish Academy of Sciences (CHC IBL PAN), Warsaw, Poland

Philosophy

IDENTITY: LOGIC AND METAPHYSICS

27 JUL
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1 AUG

Course director:
Gonzalo Rodriguez-Pereyra, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Oxford, United Kingdom

Architecture, Cultural heritage studies, History, Social anthropology, Sociology, Urban Studies

INDUSTRIAL HERITAGE AS A SOURCE OF SOCIAL EMPOWERMENT AND ECONOMIC REVITALIZATION

6 JUL
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15 JUL

Course directors:
Volodymyr Kulikov, Cultural Heritage Studies Program, Medieval Department, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Jozsef Laszlovszky, Medieval Studies, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Dóra Mérai, Cultural Heritage Studies Program, Medieval Department, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Early christianity, History of ideas, Late antiquity, Patristics, Political theology

POLITICAL THEOLOGY OF THE EARLY CHURCH FROM ITS FORMATION TO JUSTINIAN

22 JUL
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31 JUL

Course director:
György Gereby, Medieval Studies, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Anthropology, Cultural studies, Political science, Romani studies, Sociology

ROMANI IDENTITIES AND ANTIGYPSYISM

6 JUL
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10 JUL

Course directors:
Ethel Brooks, Department of Women's and Gender Studies, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, USA
Angela Kocze, Romani Studies Program, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Iulius Rostas, Romani Studies Program, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

History and Philosophy of Science, Metaphysics, Philosophy

THE HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF THE CONCEPTS OF SCIENTIFIC LAW AND PROBABILITY

6 JUL
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17 JUL

Course director:
Barry Loewer, Department of Philosophy, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, United States of America

Anthropology, International relations, Political science, Sociology

THE POLITICS OF NATIONALIST MOBILIZATION

22 JUN
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26 JUN

Course directors:
Gezim Krasniqi, Department of Sociology, School of Social and Political Science, University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom
Szabolcs Pogonyi, Nationalism Studies Program, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Policy and Training Courses

Advocacy, Communication, Free Expression, Governance, Journalism, Media, Public policy, Technology

BUILDING AUDIENCE TRUST AND SUSTAINABLE FUNDING MODELS FOR JOURNALISM

29 JUN
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3 JUL

Course directors:
Eva Bognar, Center for Media, Data and Society, School of Public Policy, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Marius Dragomir, Center for Media, Data and Society, School of Public Policy, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Entrepreneurship, Finance, Innovation, Marketing, Strategy

CEUilab GLOBAL STARTUP BOOTCAMP

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Course director:
Andrea Kozma, InnovationsLab, Department of Economics and Business, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Environment, Geospatial technologies, Information and communication technologies (ICTs), Remote sensing, Sustainable development goals, Water security

GEOSPATIAL TECHNOLOGIES FOR MONITORING WATER- AND HEALTH-RELATED SDGs

22 JUN
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26 JUN

Course directors:
Lorant Czarán, United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)
Viktor Lagutov, ISEPEI Project, Department of Environmental Sciences and Policy, CEU

Climate change, Disaster risk reduction (DRR), Environment, Geospatial technologies

INNOVATIONS IN DISASTER AND CLIMATE RISK REDUCTION

29 JUN
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3 JUL

Course directors:
Armen Grigoryan, Disaster Reduction and Recovery Team, UNDP Regional Centre for Europe and CIS
Viktor Lagutov, ISEPEI Project, Department of Environmental Sciences and Policy, CEU

Cultural heritage studies, Ethnology, Ethnomusicology, Social anthropology, Sociology

MUSIC AS HERITAGE: FROM TRADITION TO PRODUCT

8 JUL
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17 JUL

Course directors:
Zsuzsanna Szalka, Cultural Heritage Studies Program (visiting faculty), Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Balazs Weyer, Music Hungary, Budapest, Hungary

Environmental governance, Environmental science, Science and Technology Studies, Transition studies

SUSTAINABILITY TRANSITIONS AND THE PRECAUTIONARY PRINCIPLE

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3 JUL

Course directors:
Sybille van den Hove, Bridging for Sustainability, Brussels, Belgium
Jock Martin, European Environmental Agency, Copenhagen, Denmark
Anton Shkaruba, Erda RTE, Rijswijk, the Netherlands/Estonian University of Life Sciences, Tartu, Estonia
David Stanners, European Environment Agency, Copenhagen, Denmark

Education, Public policy

THE QUALITY OF UNIVERSITY EDUCATION: HARMONIZING PURPOSES, PROCESSES AND OUTCOMES

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3 JUL

Course directors:
Pusa Nastase, Yehuda Elkana Center for Higher Education, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Matyas Szabo, Yehuda Elkana Center for Higher Education, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary

Course for High-school Students

Education

LEARN AND MAKE FRIENDS AT CEU — A HANDS-ON APPROACH TO HIGHER EDUCATION

6 JUL
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17 JUL

Course directors:
Monica Jitareanu, Academic Cooperation and Research Support Office, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Pusa Nastase, Yehuda Elkana Center for Higher Education, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary



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"The faculty was excellent, the articles useful and the topics directly relevant to what I work on. The most unexpected part was the quality of participants themselves, and the range of their thematic as well as country-specific knowledge. I learned so much from them."

(Course participant, Constitution-building in Africa)

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