



REBOOT YOUR ROOTS – scholarship programme for the Hungarian diaspora

INTERCULTURALISM: Engagement of Diaspora, Indigenous and Newcomer Communities in International Education

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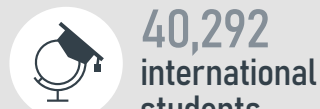
HUNGARIAN HIGHER EDUCATION (2021)



64 HEIs



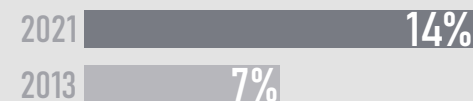
293,566 students



40,292 international students



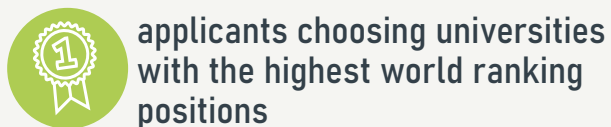
Percentage of international students in Hungarian Higher Education



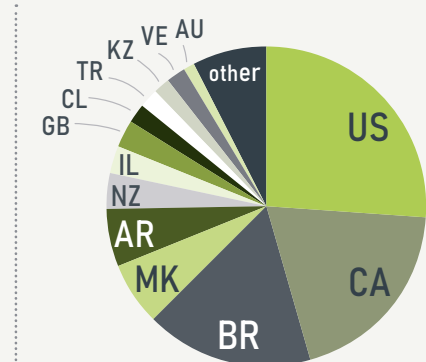
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HUNGARIAN DIASPORA SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME

Experiences of the first application round



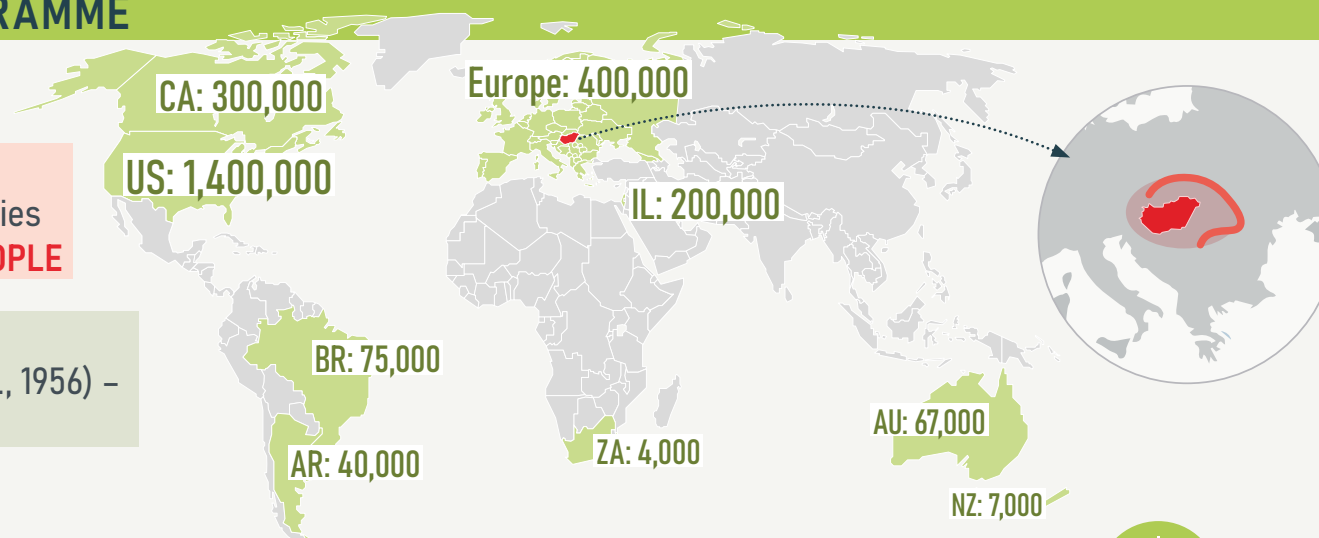
Ratio of eligible applicants according to their home country



Hungarian Diaspora around the Globe

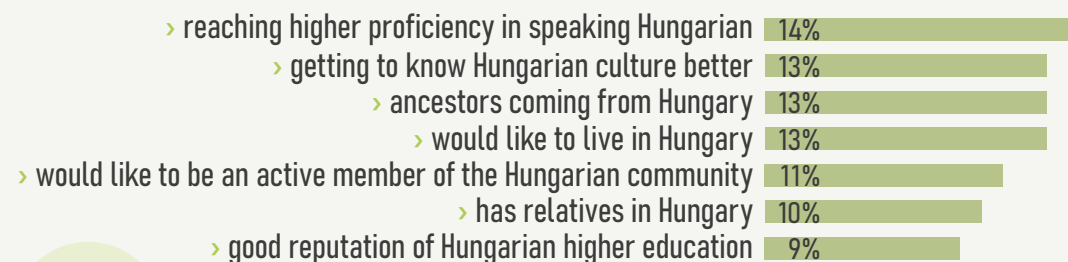
AUTOCHTHONOUS DIASPORA COMMUNITIES: people in Hungarian minorities living in the neighbouring countries due to historical country borderline changes – **ABOUT 2,5 M PEOPLE**

ALLOCHTHONOUS DIASPORA COMMUNITIES: formed by migration of people (1870–WWI., WWII., 1956) – **ABOUT 2,5 M PEOPLE**



MOTIVATION SURVEY on the expectations of diaspora community members

Most important **motivating factors** for studying in Hungarian higher education:



SYNERGIES with other higher education programmes

PROGRAMME	STIPENDIUM HUNGARICUM SCHOLARSHIP	HUNGARIAN DIASPORA SCHOLARSHIP	MÁRTON ÁRON AND HUNYADI JÁNOS SCHOLARSHIP
GENERAL AIMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> promote internationalization and quality development of Hungarian higher education reinforce international relations of the Hungarian academics intensify higher education cooperation with international partner organizations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> motivate and support young members of Hungarian minorities to maintain Hungarian communities abroad 	
SPECIFIC AIMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> establish personal and professional ties contributing to the foreign policy goals of Hungary promote Hungarian language and culture 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> support allochthonous Hungarian minority communities improve Hungarian language proficiency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> support autochthonous Hungarian minority communities
HEIs	selection procedure for HEI-s		
STUDENTS	> 11,000	58	> 500
SENDING COUNTRIES	> 80 largest five: JO, SY, KAZ, VNM, MGL	all countries (except EU, SRB, UA-Zakarpatska Oblast) US, BR, CA, MK, AR, NZ, IL, TR, CL, GB	neighbouring countries SK, RO, SRB, UA (Zakarpatska Oblast), HR, SLO
SYNERGIES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> integrated education, mixed classrooms joint extra-curricular programmes joint extra-curricular programmes Hungarian language and culture courses 		

RECOMMENDATIONS

- be aware of different target groups
- offer specific study programmes
- different approach to teaching Hungarian language and culture
- tailor-made marketing strategies
- organize joint extra-curricular programmes for diaspora students
- constant monitoring by TPF, tailoring of operational regulations, regular feedback for HEIs

study community family
effort language opportunity
connection professional identity
Hungarian learn child
possibility improve Hungary
grateful roots Hungary
history culture experience
father