

## TURKISH-GERMAN UNIVERSITY / INSTITUTE FOR SOCIAL SCIENCES BUSINESS MANAGEMENT MASTER'S THESIS PROGRAM EVENING PROGRAM

#### 2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR STUDENT ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND QUOTA

#### I - Application Period: 10 June - 9 August 2024

#### II - Oral Interview and Registration Deadlines:

Language Proficiency Exam*	14 August 2024	
Announcement of the Pre-evaluation Results	19 August 2024	
Oral Interviews	26 August - 02 September 2024	
Announcement of the Results	6 September 2024	
Registration Date	9 - 13 September 2024	
Beginning of the Term	See Academic Calendar for 2024-2025	

 $<sup>^{</sup>st}$  Language proficiency exam will be organized by the Foreign Language School of the Turkish-German University.

#### III - Quotas:

- Foreign applicants and Turkish applicants who received their bachelor's degrees abroad must apply from the *Foreign Student Quota*.
- Turkish applicants who received their bachelor's degree in Turkey must apply from the *Turkish Student Quota*.

Turkish Student	Foreign Student Quota	Foreign Language	ALES	ALES Point Type
Quota				
15	5	YDS/ e-YDS/YÖKDİL/ e- YÖKDİL: 70 (or an equivalent test result)	70	EA/SAY
		Turkish-German University School of Foreign Languages English Exam Result: 70		

<sup>\*</sup> If there are not enough applications, the right to use the available quotas for the other application group is reserved.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Language of Instruction is English.

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#### **IV - Admission Requirements:**

Candidates must adhere to the ticked conditions for the type of quota they are applying for.

	Turkish Student Quota	Foreign Student Quota
Holding a Bachelor's Degree  The successful completion of a bachelor's program in Turkey or abroad is required.	✓	✓
Academic Personnel and Postgraduate Education Entrance Examination (ALES)		
Turkish applicants are required to have scored at least 70 points in one of the SAY or EA point types in the Turkish Entrance Examination (ALES).		
The ALES exam result is valid for 5 years.		
Foreign applicants are exempt from providing an ALES score.		
Applicants who have completed a Ph.D. / Competence in Arts / Expertise in Medicine / Expertise in Dentistry / Expertise in Veterinary Medicine / Expertise in Pharmacy are not required to provide an ALES score, and the ALES score of these applicants will be taken as 70 points.	✓	-
The results of the Graduate Record Examination (GRE) or Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) examinations are accepted instead of the ALES exam.		
The GRE and GMAT exams are valid for 5 years.		
For the equivalent exam scores of GRE and GMAT with ALES, the ALES-GRE and GMAT equivalence table released by the Turkish-German University Senate (09.05.2018; No:24; Decision No: 2018/24) is used. see: http://3fcampus.tau.edu.tr/uploads/cms/fbe.tau/7025.pdf		
Foreign Language Requirements		
The language of instruction is English. Applicants have to provide English language scores or English language proficiency certificates. Applicants must have scored at least 70 points from one of the YDS, e-YDS, YÖKDİL or e-YÖKDİL exams or must have scored an equivalent	✓	✓



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	Turkish Student Quota	Foreign Student Quota
score to 70 points in one of the accepted international English language exams.		
For an overview of accepted equal exams and scores by the Turkish Higher Education Authority please see.: <a href="https://dokuman.osym.gov.tr/pdfdokuman/2016/GE">https://dokuman.osym.gov.tr/pdfdokuman/2016/GE</a> <a href="https://dokuman.osym.gov.tr/pdfdokuman/2016/GE">NEL/EsdegerlikTablosu25022016.pdf</a>		
YDS, e-YDS, YÖKDİL, e-YÖKDİL exam scores are valid for 5 years.		
For the validity of the other examinations, the validity period specified by the examiner is taken into consideration. If a validity date is not indicated on the result document, the validity period of the exam score is considered as 5 years.		
Applicants, who spend at least three years in an English-speaking country and have completed their secondary or higher education in institutions of this country, where English is defined as the instruction language, are exempted from the foreign language score requirement.		
For applicants who do not fulfill these requirements an English language proficiency exam will be organized by the Foreign Language School of the Turkish-German University. In order to apply to the program, it is required to have at least 70 points from this exam.		
Grade Point Average (GPA)	,	
The application does not require a specific Grade Point Average (GPA).	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>
Qualification for the Master's Degree: Subject - Specific Requirements		
To apply for the program applicants must have a degree from one of the following majors:		
Bachelor's degree in business administration, economics, management engineering, industrial engineering, business informatics or management information systems or at least the completion of 3 courses or 15 ECTS credits in the field of business administration during the bachelor's degree program.	<b>✓</b>	<b>✓</b>



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#### V - Program Specifics:

The Business Management Master's Thesis Program is an **evening education program** and is subject to **tuition fees**.

#### VI - Assessment Criteria:

Applications are evaluated according to the following weighting. To qualify for registration to the program, applicants are required to obtain at least 70 (seventy) points. For the GRE and GMAT exam scores, the equivalent ALES score is used.

	Turkish Student Quota	Foreign Student Quota
ALES score*	%50	1
<b>Undergraduate GPA**</b>	%20	%50
Interview score	%30	%50

<sup>\*</sup> For the equivalent exam scores of GRE and GMAT with ALES, the ALES-GRE and GMAT equivalence table released by the Turkish-German University Senate (09.05.2018; No:24; Decision No: 2018/24) is used.

\*\* For applicants who have not been graduated yet and whose applications are conditionally accepted, the grade point average included in the applicant's transcript on the application date is taken as the weighted grade point average. Changes that may occur in grade point averages after the application date are not taken into account in any way.

#### **VII - Application Documents:**

Applications will be made electronically only through the following link: <a href="https://obs.tau.edu.tr/oibs//ina app/">https://obs.tau.edu.tr/oibs//ina app/</a> within the specified dates.

Applicants are expected to upload the information and documents required for the application into the system within the deadlines indicated above.

#### Applications made by post, e-mail, or in person will not be accepted.

The below-mentioned list of application documents must be uploaded into the application system **completely** and in **PDF** format. If there are any problems with the application process, these can be reported to the Social Sciences Institute by sending an email to <a href="mailto:sbe@tau.edu.tr">sbe@tau.edu.tr</a>.

	Turkish Student Quota	Foreign Student Quota
a) Application form: <a href="http://sbe.tau.edu.tr/ortak-formlargemeinsam">http://sbe.tau.edu.tr/ortak-formlargemeinsam</a>	✓	✓
b) Identity card: Copy of Identity card	✓	-
c) Passport: Copy of passport	-	✓



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d) Photo: Photo taken in the last six month	✓	✓
e) Copy of Bachelor's Degree Diploma		
(Undergraduate students who have reached the graduation stage but have not graduated yet can apply to the program conditionally. Submission of Bachelor's Degree Diploma is mandatory during final registration.)	✓	<b>√</b>
(Applicants applying on a conditional basis must provide an updated academic transcript indicating that they are in their final semester of undergraduate program, rather than a bachelor's degree.)		
f) Transcript of Records (ToR): For foreign applicants, the ToR must be either in German or in English language.	✓	✓
<b>g) Language Proficiency:</b> Copy of YDS, e-YDS, YÖKDİL, e-YÖKDİL or equivalent exam results.	✓	✓
h) Copy of ALES or equivalent examination result	✓	-
i) Recognition of Foreign University		
Foreign applicants including Mavi Kart holders and Turkish citizens with a foreign bachelor's degree must provide a recognition certificate which is prepared by the Turkish Higher Education Council (YÖK). This document can be obtained from the Equivalence Office (Denklik Okul Tanıma Ofisi) of the Turkish Higher Education Council (YÖK).		
The information on whether the foreign university is recognized by the Council of Higher Education (YÖK) will be provided after the signed application is submitted to YÖK by hand or by post. For the application form: <a href="https://denklik.yok.gov.tr/Documents/Okul Tanima%2">https://denklik.yok.gov.tr/Documents/Okul Tanima%2</a> <a href="https://denklik.yok.gov.tr/Documents/Okul Tanima%2">oDilekce%20%C3%96rnegi 28.02.2018.pdf</a>	<u>-</u>	<b>√</b>
Correspondence Address: Council of Higher Education (CoHE) 06539 Bilkent/Ankara		ŕ
Turkish students, whose registrations are taken with the recognition certificate, are required to submit the equivalence certificates from the Higher Education Council to our University until they graduate from the graduate program in which they are registered.		
The equivalence certificate can also be obtained via e-Devlet. Turkish citizens living abroad must apply to the embassies and consulates in order to obtain the e-Devlet password. T.C. Citizens, Mavi Kart holders and foreigners with foreign identification numbers are given e-government password in Foreign Representatives		



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j) Resume (CV) and Letter of Intent	✓	✓

#### **VIII - Required Documents for Registration:**

- 1. The original of the undergraduate diploma or the graduation certificate approved by the University. Candidates who graduated from higher education institutions abroad must submit their diploma or graduation documents with a Turkish translation made by a sworn translator and notarized/certified by a notary or consulate.
- 2. An official transcript, issued by the registrar of the candidate's previous institution or notarized, showing all undergraduate courses taken, grades received by the candidate and grade average point. Candidates who are graduated from higher education institutions abroad must submit their transcripts (including their grade point average) with a Turkish translation made by a sworn translator and certified by a notary or consulate.
- 3. ALES score's Internet printout or original result-document of an equivalent exam.
- 4. YDS, e-YDS, YÖKDİL, e-YÖKDİL score's Internet printout or original result-document of an equivalent exam.
- 5. Foreign candidates (including Mavi Kart holders) and Turkish citizens with a foreign bachelor's degree must submit a "Higher Education Institution Recognition" certificate prepared by the Turkish Higher Education Council (YÖK) or taken from E-Devlet (https://www.turkiye.gov.tr/).
- 6. Showing the identity card during registration is sufficient.
- 7. For foreign citizens, if any, a copy of residence permission and foreign citizen identity card number.
- 8. Copy of the related pages of the passport for foreign citizens showing validity period and identity information (candidates who certify that they have a valid residence permit will not be asked for a student visa during registration).
- 9. Turkish citizens should submit a document indicating that they are not affiliated with the military service.
- 10. For Turkish candidates who are research assistants at our university or other universities, the official document they will receive from their institutions.

**NOT:** The final registration of those who make statements contrary to facts or make false statements, and/or those whose documents are forged or incomplete will not be made. Even if their final registration is made, it will be canceled.

**IMPORTANT:** Candidates should not be enrolled in multiple graduate programs at the same time during registration. (According to Article 35 (6) of the Higher Education Graduate Education and Training Regulation dated April 20, 2016) Candidates in such situations can only register at our Institute if they have their registrations at the other higher education institution canceled.

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#### IX - Tuition Fee:

The Business Management Master's Thesis Program is an <u>evening education</u> program and is <u>subject to tuition</u>.

For the 2024-2025 academic year, the tuition fee per credit to be paid by the students who will be accepted to the program from the domestic and international quotas will be determined by the University Senate. In the 2023-2024 academic year, the students who were accepted from the Turkish student quota were charged 150 TL per credit. In the 2023-2024 academic year, students admitted from the foreign student quota (including foreign students and students with blue cards) were charged 3 (three) times the amount determined for students admitted from the Turkish student quota.

In order for the registration process to take place, the original or certified copies of the documents must be submitted in full.

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