Additional Information

Information technologies - ISIC cards, Network

In order to get access to the Charles university facilities, you will need the <u>Charles University Student Card</u>, which can be issued to you in one of our Card Service Center at the hostel Na Kotli – see the address and opening hours below. The Student Card enables you to use university libraries, refectories, study rooms, computer rooms, internet, public transport discount, etc.

There are two main types of student cards:

- 1. CU Student card (free of charge)
- 2. **Student card with the ISIC licence** (for an extra charge) that enables you to get discounts in theatres, cinemas, bookshops, sport centres or some restaurants.

Details related to the cards can be found here . The discounts covered by the ISIC card can be researched here .

Card service centre at the Na Kotli dormitory

Address: Kolej Na Kotli

Na Kotli 1147

502 96 Hradec Králové 9

Phone: (+420) 495 763 616

Office hours: Monday 11:45 - 17:15 Tuesday 08:00 - 13:00 Wednesday 11:45 - 17:15 Thursday 08:00 - 13:00 Friday 08:00 - 13:00

Doctor for Foreign Students

As we at the faculty are well aware that even prospective doctors need doctors, students can be certain to be provided with necessary quality health care at our pre-agreed doctors:

- GP: Mr. Tomáš Brynda, M.D. his office is in Komenského 264, (Palác Komenium, ground floor)
- Dentist: MDDr. Jan Schmidt? his office is in the Dentistry Department, building No. 11 Faculty Hospital in Sokolská
 581
- · Psychological Consultant: Mr. David Skorunka M.D., Ph.D or Ms. Gal Haimy, MA in the Faculty building

Cost of Living

- Living in the Czech Republic is rather affordable, however all depends on the price of the rent (a shared room in a hall of residence, a private studio, a private room in a shared appartment etc). and the level of your lifestyle (adding up the expenses for groceries, entertainment, school supplies, travelling, etc). The approximate monthly cost of living can vary from 10 000 CZK (400 EUR) to 20 000 CZK (800 EUR).
- · Keep in mind the private accommodation might be more expensive than a student residence.

Bank and Currency

- Exchange of any convertible currency is possible in all the banks in the city centre as well as at many other places (Tesco stores, travel agencies, information centres, etc.). Also, 24-hour currency exchange service may be provided at hotel receptions or ATM's.
- The official currency of the Czech Republic is Czech crown ("koruna"), abbreviated as Kč, with the international abbreviation CZK.
- · The current rate is available on the official website of the Czech National Bank (CNB).

Travelling

When you have spare time to make a trip and discover the beauty of our region (or if you wish to travel even abroad), we highly recommend using IDOS, one of the search engines of national and international transport timetables. There you can find schedules of trains, buses, planes, and the public transport of a host of selected cities in the country.

Support in Emergency and Crisis Situations

See the information on CU web page: Support in Emergency and Crisis Situations - Charles University (cuni.cz)

All the important places can be found on this SURVIVAL MAP.

Erasmus Data Sheet