

Call for applications: College of Visegrad+ Weekend University

Overview: the *College of Visegrad+* is an innovative, new, collegiate youth leadership training programme focused on educating the next generation of leaders within the Visegrad Four (V₄), a regional alliance of Central European countries, namely the Czech Republic, Hungary, the Republic of Poland, and the Slovak Republic.

Programme: launching in 2024, we will organise a "Weekend University" spanning a long weekend. The event will gather a select group of 16 outstanding university students and young professionals from all four Visegrad Cooperation countries as participants and a distinguished faculty of international lecturers. The event series will include thought-provoking discussions and debates, interactive lectures, case studies and workshops, a negotiation simulation and cultural events. Planned topics will include key 21st century issues such as Artificial Intelligence, the future of our European Union, economic modernization, green policies and security & defence. During the course of the 2024 College of Visegrad+ Weekend University, participants will jointly draft and present a manifesto titled the "College of Visegrad+ Students' Declaration on the Future of the V4".

Scholarship: accommodation, board as well as travel costs of the selected participants will be covered.

Dates: April 3-9th.

Venue: the historic Ludovika Campus located in Budapest, Hungary.

Deadline: apply until 15 January, 2024!

Details: sti.uni-nke.hu

Applications and questions may be sent to: visegrad@uni-nke.hu

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