

English language proficiency

Test	Minimum score
1. TOEFL • Paper-based-test (pbt) • Computer-based-test (cbt) • Internet-based-test (ibt)	577 233 90
2. IELTS	6.5
3. Cambridge EFL Certificate (Certificate in Advanced English, CAE)	CAE
4. Cambridge Business English Certificate (BEC)	BEC Higher
5. London Chamber of Commerce LCCI Examinations Board	Level 3 (Distinction of Credit)
6. TOEIC (Test of English for International Communication)	No recognition
7. TELC / Certificate in English (The European Language Certificates)	No recognition
8. Trinity Certificates / ISE (Integrated Skills in English Examination, ISE)	ISE III
9. UNiCert Level (at the Language Center of the University of Hohenheim)	II (at least good")
10. ALTE Level (Association of Language Testers in Europe)	4

For other languages which are approved in individual cases a level equivalent to the above mentioned tests and scores must possibly be proofed.

The administrative validity of the language tests is not limited.

Applicants of the following nations whose mother tongue is English must not provide proof of English proficiency:

- United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Republic of Ireland, Australia, Canada, New Zealand, United States of America,
- From the Caribbean: Antigua and Barbuda, Bahamas, Barbados, Dominica, Grenada, Jamaica, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago.
- From South America: Belize, Guyana

The same applies to applicants who already have successfully completed their Master study and/or PhD study, continuously in English, at a recognized university located in the EU or in one of the above mentioned anglophone countries.