

## ABOUT LATVIA

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE

**LATVIAN**

POPULATION

**1.9 MILLION**

DENSITY/  
PEOPLE  
PER 1km<sup>2</sup> **30**

CAPITAL

**RIGA**

POP. 620 000

METRO. 1 005 000

Arctic Circle

OSLO

HELSINKI

STOCKHOLM

COPENHAGEN

BERLIN

CURRENCY  
**EURO**

CLIMATE

SUMMER +20°C to +30°C

WINTER +5°C to -20°C

AREA  
**64 589 km<sup>2</sup>**

AVERAGE LATVIAN SPEAKS  
**3**

MEMBER STATE OF  
THE EUROPEAN UNION  
AND NATO SINCE 2004

## APPLICATION CHECKLIST

### Documents to be submitted electronically

- Online application via RSU website
- Photo/Scan of bachelor's degree diploma and diploma supplement/transcript of grades via [edocs@rsu.lv](mailto:edocs@rsu.lv)

### Documents to be submitted by postal mail

- Printout of signed application form
- Hard copies of bachelor's degree diploma and diploma supplement
- Applicant's CV
- Letter of motivation
- 2 copies of passport
- 4 photos (size 3x4cm)
- Application fee payment slip

### Additional documents for non-EU/EEA students

- Chest x-ray radiograph and radiologist's report
- Police clearance certificate
- Proof of financial means sufficient to cover tuition and cost of living

### Application timeline

- September admissions**  
EU/EEA: 1 February – 1 July  
Non-EU/EEA: 1 February – 1 June

## QUESTIONS?

### International Admissions Office

#### Rīga Stradiņš University

16 Dzirciema Street, Riga LV-1007, Latvia

+371 67409145

[admissions@rsu.lv](mailto:admissions@rsu.lv)

[www.rsu.lv/en](http://www.rsu.lv/en)



RĪGA STRADIŅŠ  
UNIVERSITY

# STUDY HEALTH MANAGEMENT

## JOINT MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME



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**RISEBA**  
Biznesa, mākslas un tehnoloģiju  
AUGSTSKOLA



## RĪGA STRADIŅŠ UNIVERSITY (RSU)

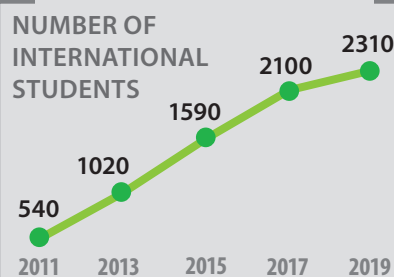
FOUNDED IN  
**1950**

STUDENTS FROM  
**55**  
DIFFERENT COUNTRIES

**25%**  
OF STUDENTS ARE INTERNATIONAL

**>35** STUDY BASES

**40** HEALTH MANAGEMENT STUDENTS



**12** STUDY PROGRAMMES  
IN ENGLISH

TOP 6 COUNTRIES BY INTERNATIONAL STUDENT NUMBER:

**G E R M A N Y**  
**S W E D E N**  
**F I N L A N D**  
**N O R W A Y**  
**I T A L Y**  
**P O R T U G A L**

Global challenges in healthcare require new knowledge not only in medicine, but also in the management of the healthcare sector and health institutions. The Health Management Master's programme provides knowledge and skills essential for your future career in health policy and administration, health economics or healthcare institution management. Teamwork, a broad professional approach and efficient and knowledgeable leaders are the keys to success in the future of the healthcare sector.

Daiga Behmane,  
Head of master's programme "Health Management"

## HEALTH MANAGEMENT

<b>Degree</b>	Professional Master's Degree in Health Management
<b>Admissions</b>	September
<b>Programme duration</b>	2 years (1.5 years for students with profiling education (economics, business management or management science), professional qualification or experience in business management)
<b>Type of studies</b>	Full-time studies in English
<b>Credit points</b>	90/120 ECTS
<b>Forms of studies</b>	Interactive lectures, practical classes, seminars and individual work.
<b>Course structure</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Semester 1 and 2: Health system design, international health law, finance and human resources management, health economics and health technology assessment, information management, communication and marketing management, project management, research methods</li> <li>Internship/Master's thesis</li> </ul>

### WHY STUDY HEALTH MANAGEMENT AT RSU?

- Joint degree programme designed and offered collaboratively by two universities
- Diplomas recognised world-wide
- 30 years of experience in educating international students
- Multicultural study environment
- Studies organised in module system and small groups
- Modern learning environment
- Programme taught by experienced academic staff in the field of health sciences and management
- Opportunity to engage in various professional activities: seminars and conferences, volunteer work, etc.
- Extensive individual work and internship

Health Management is one of the most interesting and developing fields. It was very gratifying experience to study in two universities which are unique in different aspects. I am satisfied with the quality of teaching and positive attitude from professors.

Suresh Kumar Reddy, student from India

## APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Bachelor's degree in the areas of economics, finance, social sciences, management, public health or medicine.
    - Diploma
    - Diploma supplement/transcript of grades
  - Excellent English language skills\*
  - **Eligibility for master's studies** in the country where bachelor's degree was acquired
  - Certifications of practical experience, publications, training and other activities (certificates, awards, diplomas etc.) in the field of health sciences and management.
- \* International test score (e.g. IELTS, TOEFL, etc.)

*I was happy to have such a wonderful opportunity to study Health Management programme at RISEBA and RSU. I obtained new information and made useful contacts. The schedule of my studies was very convenient, it allowed me to combine studies and work easily. I liked how the education process was organized and mentors were highly professional! Thank you!*

Olga Kulygina-Chekit, student from Latvia

