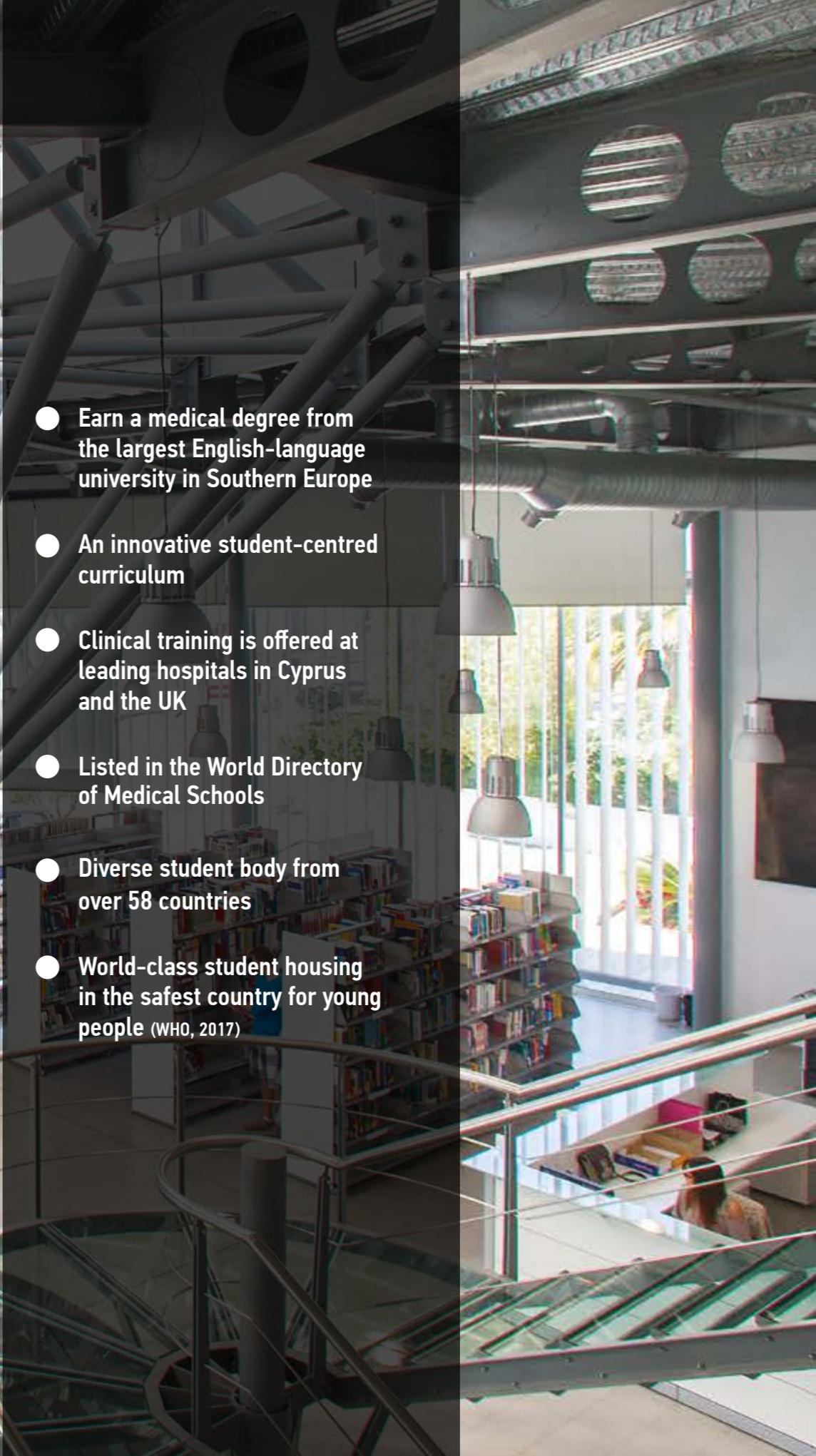


# DOCTOR OF MEDICINE (MD)





- Earn a medical degree from the largest English-language university in Southern Europe
- An innovative student-centred curriculum
- Clinical training is offered at leading hospitals in Cyprus and the UK
- Listed in the World Directory of Medical Schools
- Diverse student body from over 58 countries
- World-class student housing in the safest country for young people (WHO, 2017)





# Innovation in Medical Education

The University of Nicosia Medical School offers two medical programmes and four postgraduate degrees:

## Medical Programmes

- St George's, University of London Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS), a 4-year graduate-entry British medical degree quality assured by the UK General Medical Council and awarded by St George's, University of London
- Doctor of Medicine (MD), a 6-year undergraduate-entry degree awarded by the University of Nicosia

## Postgraduate Degrees

- Master of Public Health and Master of Science in Health Services Administration – fully online degrees for working professionals and new graduates
- Master of Science in Family Medicine, a degree for practicing doctors delivered entirely online
- Doctorate in Medical Sciences (PhD), for research in all disciplines or specialties of Medicine

# EXECUTIVE DEAN'S WELCOME

## A Great Place to Study

The University of Nicosia started the first medical school in Cyprus in 2011 by offering the St George's, University of London graduate-entry MBBS. Building on our experiences with the MBBS, the University of Nicosia Medical School now also offers a 6-Year MD programme designed for high school leavers, an MSc in Family Medicine for practicing primary care physicians, a Master of Public Health, a Master of Science in Health Services Administration and a PhD in Medical Science.

Our Medical School and its MD programme are listed in the World Directory of Medical Schools, and accredited by the Cyprus Ministry of Education and Culture.

We are justifiably proud of our achievements in medical education and research, and you will benefit from world-class faculty members, experienced and supportive staff, international partnerships, and state-of-the-art facilities and learning resources. The student-centred curriculum allows for the early development of clinical skills and reasoning, and promotes collaborative learning, critical

thinking and reflection, skills that are essential for your future career in medicine. Once you successfully complete our programme, you will receive an MD degree from the University of Nicosia Medical School that is recognised worldwide.

The University, built on liberal democratic principles, welcomes students from over 70 different countries and is a place where you will feel included from the very start. We look forward to welcoming you to Nicosia and to the MD programme.

### Andreas Charalambous

*Executive Dean  
University of Nicosia Medical School*



# University of Nicosia

The University of Nicosia is the largest university in Southern Europe that teaches primarily in English, with more than 11,000 students from over 70 countries coming together in an innovative and transformative learning space. Located in Nicosia, the country's capital, and with a presence in 18 other cities worldwide, we are driven by our pursuit of excellence in teaching and learning, innovation, research, technology, and a continually evolving academic environment. We empower our students and instil in them the confidence to make an impact in the world.

The University of Nicosia is ranked among the top 100 universities in the region by QS Stars University Ratings, having placed number 91 in the Emerging Europe and Central Asia (EECA) Region. Moreover, it is the first European university to be awarded a QS 5-Star rating for Online/Distance Learning and is the 13<sup>th</sup> university in the world to receive such a distinction. In addition, the University of Nicosia received the highest distinction of 5-Stars in Teaching, Facilities, Inclusiveness, Social Responsibility and Internationalisation.

Many of our degree programmes and departments were the first of their kind in Cyprus. Over time, several programmes such as Medicine, International Relations, Accounting, Law, and Architecture, have developed into some of the most well-regarded in Cyprus and in the region. Today, new programmes focus on cutting-edge research, making us global leaders in certain fields, such as our very successful initiative in Digital Currency/Blockchain Technology.



Central, Europa and Millennium Buildings



Medical School Block C



Anatomy Centre



UFIT Fitness Centre



Medical Chemistry



Library





## Clinical Placements in 2 Countries

With a fully integrated clinical training programme spanning three continents, the Medical School offers a truly international educational experience. The first four years of study take place in Cyprus, with students gaining initial clinical experience at the country's leading hospitals.

The last two years are spent in teaching hospitals: Limassol General Hospital in Cyprus or Barnsley Hospital\* in the UK.

\*Please note that placements at Barnsley are only available to UK and EU citizens.



The first thing you notice about the MD programme is its clear structure. At first, the programme introduces you to the basic medical courses and then it gradually emphasizes in clinical skills. In addition, there are laboratory, practical and tutorial sessions for almost every course so the knowledge that someone acquires does not stay at theoretical levels only. Moreover, the environment that the University provides is one of a kind. The friendly staff and the caring professors put a smile on your face no matter the circumstances. Overall, the MD programme at the University of Nicosia is an exceptional programme, which provides the best material, equipment and environment that students can ask for. If medicine is your choice of study, then this programme can be a life-changing opportunity.

**Stavros Tsentemeidis**  
**Class of 2021**  
**Greece**



The MD programme is extremely organised. It is really easy for international students to adapt because we get a lot of support from all the school's staff. One of the biggest pros of the programme is the wide range of nationalities and cultures because students come from all over the world. Here I can experience an adventure, expand my horizons and meet new people from different backgrounds who are driven and strive for the same goal: to help people.

**Sjoefn Ragnarsdottir**  
**Class of 2021**  
**Iceland**

## Renowned International Faculty



### **Professor Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran**

*Founding Chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology  
Past President of the International Federation of Gynaecology and  
Obstetrics (FIGO)  
Professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology*

Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran is Professor Emeritus of Obstetrics and Gynaecology at St George's, University of London, and a Visiting Professor at the Institute of Global Health at Imperial College. He has served as President of the British Medical Association (2013-2014) and the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists in the UK (2007-2010). Professor Arulkumaran was awarded the Knight Bachelor by Her Majesty, the Queen of the United Kingdom, in recognition of his Services to Medicine and Health, in June 2009.

*"I am happy to contribute to teaching and training at the University of Nicosia Medical School with my four decades of clinical and three decades of academic experience. The School offers a first-class curriculum. It has devoted clinical and basic science teachers, good teaching facilities and a first-rate library. The learning environment is conducive for independent and joint learning, and the Medical School team works constantly to improve on student guidance and education."*

# Message from MD Programme Director

## A student-centred programme



**Dr Soulla Nicolaou**

MD Programme Director

*It will be a great pleasure to welcome you to the Doctor of Medicine (MD) Programme in September.*

### Merging tradition with innovation

Students on the MD Programme develop a very strong background in the basic sciences during the first four years on the programme. A valuable quality of the programme is that the curriculum has been enriched with courses in social sciences such as medical psychology, medical ethics and medical sociology. The innovation in the programme is evident in the development of the Integrated Clinical Practice Courses in Years 2-4. In these courses students are trained in clinical and communication skills and attend clinical placements in hospitals (starting from Year 2). The curriculum of the programme has been designed with the aim to encourage students to practise medicine holistically, encompassing ethical, legal, psychological and social considerations.

### Multiple teaching and learning methods

Students on the MD Programme are exposed to a variety of teaching and learning methods. Lectures, small group tutorials, case-based learning, laboratory practicals, workshops, and visits to laboratories and hospitals are all used from Year 1 of the programme. Students carry out their clinical practice during the second semester of Year 4 and throughout Years 5 and 6. The different teaching and

*learning methods aim to meet different students' learning styles. Our goal is to help our students develop the multiple skills required for good medical practice.*

### A high quality programme

The MD Programme has been quality approved by the Cyprus Ministry of Education & Culture. Assessment in the MD Programme is aimed at evaluating the students' professionalism, academic knowledge and skills. The curriculum is mapped to the topics of the United State Medical Licencing Exam Step-1, and our students have the opportunity to take this exam if they wish. The USMLE exam is an international benchmark that ensures the offering of a high-quality programme that meets the highest global standards.

### A student-centred programme

We consider communication with our students essential to maintain our high quality. Students in the MD Programme receive continuous support from faculty members, their personal tutor and a variety of Student Support Services.

*Our ultimate goal is to exceed our students' expectations and to produce highly competent and caring physicians.*

*We look forward to welcoming you to the MD Programme!*

# Academic Path

## YEAR 1 ECTS

### SEMESTER 1 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-101	Medical Physics I: The Human Body	6
MED-102	General Chemistry	6
MED-103	Biology I	6
MED-104	Medical Psychology	6
MED-105	Medical Ethics	6

### SEMESTER 2 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-106	Research Methods in Medicine and Essential Medical Statistics	6
MED-107	Medical Physics II: Medical Imaging and Radiotherapy	6
MED-108	Organic Chemistry	6
MED-109	Biology II	6
MED-110	Medical Sociology	6

## YEAR 2 ECTS

### SEMESTER 3 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-201	Anatomy I	6
MED-202	Histology I	6
MED-203	Physiology I	6
MED-204	Biochemistry I	6
MED-205	Integrated Clinical Practice I	6

### SEMESTER 4 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-206	Anatomy II	6
MED-207	Histology II	6
MED-208	Physiology II	6
MED-209	Biochemistry II	6
MED-210	Integrated Clinical Practice II	6

## YEAR 3 ECTS

### SEMESTER 5 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-301	Brain and Behaviour	6
MED-302	Microbiology & Virology	6
MED-303	Pharmacology	6
MED-304	Pathology I	6
MED-305	Integrated Clinical Practice III	6

### SEMESTER 6 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-306	Medical Genetics	6
MED-307	Immunology	6
MED-308	Systematic Pharmacology I	6
MED-309	Pathology II	6
MED-310	Integrated Clinical Practice IV	6

## YEAR 4 ECTS

### SEMESTER 7 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-401	Haematology	6
MED-402	Systematic Pharmacology II	6
MED-403	Epidemiology and Public Health	6
MED-404	Clinical Pathophysiology	6
MED-405	Research Project	6

### SEMESTER 8 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-406	Integrated Clinical Practice V	30

## YEAR 5 ECTS

### SEMESTER 9 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-501	Cardiology, Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery	6
MED-502	Respiratory Medicine, Thoracic Surgery and Breast Surgery	6
MED-503	Gastroenterology and GI Surgery	6
MED-504	Nephrology, Urology and Transplant Medicine	6
MED-505	Rheumatology & Dermatology/Plastic Surgery	6

### SEMESTER 10 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-506	Neurology, Neurosurgery and Palliative Care	6
MED-507	Psychiatry	8
MED-508	Paediatrics	8
MED-509	Obstetrics and Gynaecology	8

## YEAR 6 ECTS

### SEMESTER 11 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-601	Internal Medicine	10
MED-602	General Surgery	10
MED-603	Emergency Medicine and Intensive Care	10

### SEMESTER 12 30

Course code	Title	ECTS
MED-604	Orthopaedics, Otorhinolaryngology and Ophthalmology	6
MED-605	Therapeutics and Prescribing	4
MED-606	General Practice and Geriatric Medicine	10
MED-607	Elective Clinical Attachment	10

# Doctor Of Medicine 6-Year Degree

## The Programme

- Graduates will earn a Doctor of Medicine (MD) degree awarded by the University of Nicosia, allowing them to apply for residency programmes in their home countries
- The MD programme has been quality approved by the Cyprus Ministry of Education & Culture's Evaluation Committee of Private Universities, whose responsibilities and authority have been assumed by the Cyprus Agency of Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education (DI.P.A.E.)
- The MD Programme is also listed in the World Directory of Medical Schools
- Clinical training is available in Cyprus and the UK

All students who successfully complete Years 1-4 will be awarded a BSc in Biomedical Sciences. This degree will offer an opportunity to students who either do not want to or cannot progress to the clinical years of their studies to obtain a BSc degree that will help them follow a different career path.

The programme uses a number of teaching methods including lectures, small group tutorials, communication skills tutorials, role-playing, clinical skills tutorials, case-based learning, large group discussions, laboratory practicals, clinical placements, community placements and independent learning.

Students gain clinical experience early on in the curriculum starting with clinical placements in Year 2. Clinical placements in Years 5 and 6 are at teaching hospitals in Cyprus or the UK.

## Career Prospects

Graduates who are from one of the countries that constitute the European Economic Area or Switzerland will be eligible to apply to EEA member states (and Switzerland) to practise medicine. Each member state has its own regulations as to which stage of its training programme you will enter, and any additional requirements that you will need to demonstrate (such as language proficiency).

For as long as the UK remains within the European Union, our degree will be recognised in that country and you will be able to apply for Full Registration with the UK General Medical Council (GMC). Future arrangements will be dependent on the terms by which the UK withdraws from the EU.

Please note that different arrangements apply to graduates who are not from EEA countries or Switzerland, and you should seek further information from your Admissions Advisor about practising medicine in Europe.

To practice in countries outside of the EEA/Switzerland, graduates will need to meet any other requirements of the country in which they apply for licensure.

Our Admissions Advisors can provide further information on your career options with this MD degree.



## Curriculum

The programme is structured around 12 academic semesters over a period of 6 years. In each semester students are required to take 30 ECTS credits, completing 360 ECTS credits after 12 semesters of full-time tuition.

REQUIREMENTS	ECTS
Basic Medical Sciences	180
Year 1	60
Year 2	60
Year 3	60
Integrated Studies-Basic and Clinical Sciences	60
Year 4	60
Clinical Studies	120
Year 5	60
Year 6	60
<b>Total Requirements</b>	<b>360</b>

### Years 1-3

During Years 1-3 students gain knowledge in the basic medical sciences: general chemistry, organic chemistry, physics, biology, anatomy, histology, biochemistry, physiology, genetics, microbiology and virology, immunology, pharmacology, medical genetics, general pathology, medical sociology, medical psychology, medical ethics, research methods in medicine and essential medical statistics. Students also take courses in integrated clinical practice where they develop the important clinical and communications skills required for medicine. Under supervision, students will have the opportunity to meet selected patients in local hospitals and clinics to practise these basic skills.

### Year 4

Year 4 represents a transition year from preclinical studies to clinical studies. During Year 4 students take courses in haematology, systematic pharmacology, epidemiology and public health, and clinical pathophysiology. They also carry out a research project. In the second semester the students take a course in integrated clinical practice in which they build on the clinical and communication skills they developed during the previous years. The students will visit local hospitals, clinics and the community to further practise the skills they have learnt and gain first-hand experience of how medicine is practised in these settings. Students take part in clinical attachments in medicine, surgery and primary care.

### Optional USMLE Step 1

The Medical School places great emphasis on ensuring that its graduates are highly competitive in securing the postgraduate training posts of their choice, based on the quality of medical education and opportunities afforded to students during the course of our programme. With this objective in mind, the curriculum of the MD Programme is mapped against the topics of the United States Medical License Examination (USMLE) Step 1 Examination, which is the first part in the process of becoming a physician in the United States. Students in the MD Programme have the opportunity to take the USMLE Step 1, although this is not a requirement. For those students interested in this option, the Medical School provides USMLE Step 1 Practice Tests, which are offered through the National Board of Medical Examiners. The questions in these practice tests are derived from the USMLE Bank of Questions, which is used to generate the official USMLE Step 1 Examination.

### Years 5-6

The objectives of Years 5 and 6 are to provide students with extensive experience in the clinical environment, mainly in hospitals but also in the community, so that they can utilise their learning over the previous 4 years to practise their clinical, communication, diagnostic and reasoning skills on real patients, and to learn about the management of patients, from a medical, therapeutic, surgical, psychosocial and caring perspective.

Students take part in clinical attachments in Cardiology, Cardiothoracic and Vascular Surgery, Respiratory Medicine, Thoracic Surgery and Breast Surgery, Gastroenterology and GI Surgery, Nephrology, Urology and Transplant Surgery, Rheumatology and Dermatology/Plastic Surgery, Neurology, Neurosurgery and Palliative Care, Psychiatry, Paediatrics, Obstetrics and Gynaecology, Internal Medicine, General Surgery, Emergency Medicine and Intensive Care, Orthopaedics, Otorhinolaryngology & Ophthalmology, Therapeutics and Prescribing, General Practice and Geriatric Medicine.

Students also do a Clinical Attachment Elective, spending six weeks on a chosen activity or medical specialty of their choice. Students are encouraged to broaden their experiences by undertaking their elective in a different environment. This includes the option of going abroad for their elective.

Students remaining in Cyprus for clinical training will need an appropriate knowledge of Greek so that they can better communicate with patients. The Medical School provides free Greek-language lessons during the first 4 years of the course to prepare students for this requirement.



# Admissions Requirements

## High School Leaving Certificate

- High School Leaving Certificate with 90% overall score (18/20 overall in the Greek/Cypriot High School Leaving Certificate), to include similar grades in Biology and one of either Chemistry, Physics or Maths
- Or: GCE A' Levels with grades ABB, to include Biology and one of either Chemistry, Physics or Maths, and one more subject
- Or: International Baccalaureate with 32 overall and a combined score of 16 at Higher Level, to include Biology and at least one of either Chemistry, Physics or Maths

We will also review your other grades in Chemistry, Physics or Maths to ensure your knowledge in these areas meets the demands of our curriculum.

The Medical School may also consider applicants from other education systems. For any other qualifications please contact us so we can assess your eligibility.

Candidates who hold a Bachelor's Degree in a field relevant to Medicine can be considered for admission to the first year of the course. Such candidates from English-language universities would be exempt from the English-language requirements.

## English Language Requirements:

- 6.5 overall in the IELTS (with 6.5 in writing and a minimum of 6.0 in all other elements)
- Or: 213 overall in the computer-based TOEFL (550 paper based, 79 internet based)
- Or: grade 5 in the GCSE (or B with the old grading system)
- Or: a score of 5 in English in the International Baccalaureate Standard Level (SL)
- Or: a score of 70% in English in the European Baccalaureate

Students from the UK, USA, Canada, Australia and New Zealand are exempt from this requirement as long as they have graduated from an English-speaking high school.

## An Interview—either in person or online

The objective of this interview is to establish whether you have the appropriate skills and attributes to complete the course successfully and to practise medicine professionally.

# Financial Information

## Tuition and Living Costs

Annual tuition is €18,000 for the first 3 years and €22,000 for the final 3 years. Students doing their clinical training in the UK pay a supplement of €6,000 per year for the last 2 years.

Living costs depend on your lifestyle. On average, staying in Nicosia for the whole year will cost a minimum of €10,000.

In addition to tuition, the following fees also apply:

	LOCAL/ EU EURO	INTERNATIONAL/ NON-EU EURO
Application fee (one-off/ non refundable payment)	60	60
Tuition deposit to secure place (deducted from first semester tuition)	1,000	1,000
Entry visa fee (one-off/ non refundable payment)	-	90
Annual health insurance fee (compulsory for non-EU only)	180	180
Annual malpractice insurance fee (from Year 4 onwards)	300	300
International student guarantee (one-off/ refundable payment)	-	400
Visa extension fee for one year (international/non-EU)	-	105
Renewal of visa after one year (international/non-EU)	-	35
Personal Accident Insurance (both non-EU and local/EU)	50	50

*\*Please note that the above visa fees may be subject to change.*

## Financial Assistance

Scholarships of up to 20% based on demonstrated financial need are available to help eligible students partially fund their studies. Students from certain countries may be entitled to financial support from their home governments - our Admissions team can advise further.

# Facilities

The Medical School is housed in modern new facilities featuring the latest technology, including state-of-the-art anatomy centre and clinical skills laboratories.

Students benefit from a Gross Anatomy Laboratory, a Clinical Skills Laboratory, readily available resources for Histology and Histopathology, a Human Performance Lab, a number of Microbiology/Molecular Biology Labs, Human Nutrition Labs and Physiotherapy Labs.

## Anatomy Centre

Human cadavers are used to teach anatomy because we believe this adds value to our students' medical education. We also have a very large collection of realistic anatomy models, bones, clinically-orientated anatomy guides, a video projector screen and sound system for educational and training videos, and other useful teaching aids such as anatomy atlases and dissecting guides.

Anatomy teaching comprises small-group learning that is facilitated by anatomy demonstrators who help the students connect clinically relevant topics with anatomical structures. This method encourages a deep approach to learning anatomy that the students will carry with them throughout their careers. In addition, the adjacent histology laboratory has been equipped with the necessary resources that support a small-group learning model.

The University of Nicosia Medical School is an established examination centre for the Royal College of Surgeons of England. This offers an advantage for our alumni who wish to advance their surgical careers.

## Clinical Skills Laboratory

The clinical skills laboratory is another place where students learn in small groups. During clinical skills sessions, students work with realistic models and manikins, as well as both simulated and real patients. They develop bedside communication techniques that will enhance the students' abilities and clinical knowledge as they evolve into the doctors of tomorrow. The teaching is structured in a way that allows medical students to build their clinical knowledge and skills as they progress to examining real patients during their clinical placements.





Warm weather, buzzing cafés and beautiful sunsets, Nicosia welcomed me home on the first day of my arrival in Cyprus. The international atmosphere that both the city and the University of Nicosia provided me with was one of excitement to learn about new cultures, an integral part of becoming a doctor. With a small cohort of students, within a week everyone had become friends, and the experienced faculty quickly got us settled into our semester subjects. With innovative labs and lively campuses, I can't wait to see what new experiences the University of Nicosia will bring into my life as a medical student!

**Jacomien Nel**  
**Class of 2021**  
**South Africa**

### Library

The University of Nicosia Medical School Library, which comprises titles in the basic sciences and clinical medicine, is part of the University of Nicosia's Library Information Gateway. This gateway provides access to an integrated library system whose resources can be accessed by users both on and off campus. The library

provides electronic access to an extensive collection of medical databases, e-books and journals. In addition, students on the St George's programme in Nicosia have access to an impressive number of multimedia resources in London that include over 10,000 journals and a wide variety of medical and healthcare databases.



### Community Service/Mobile Clinic

Social responsibility is fundamental to the Medical School and is demonstrated by our substantial and varied contribution to society. The School's Mobile Clinic travels around the country twice a month, offering free diagnostic tests and examinations to people in need, including residents in remote areas, senior citizens, refugees and asylum seekers. Furthermore, medical students raise awareness amongst teenagers on specific health issues such as effects of smoking, sex education and eating disorders through presentations at high schools.





SIX Residence



U Residence

## UNIC Residences

### The New Standard in Student Accommodation

All incoming students at the University of Nicosia Medical School are guaranteed accommodation in our brand new, world-class student residences.

## SIX

Six Student Residence, possibly the most stunning student accommodation in Europe, is a landmark building in Cyprus and the region. Split among six distinctive towers, Six's 314 luxury student residences rise 12 stories above Nicosia and offer spectacular views of the University of Nicosia campus, the city and the surrounding area.

Six is topped-off by the exclusive UNIC Club, a jewel-like, all-glass 12th floor rooftop restaurant, lounge and pool bar open only to the UNIC community, and an ideal place for residents of Six to relax in one of the most appealing settings in Cyprus.



## U

U Student Residence features an ultra-modern design with 399 rooms on seven floors, as well as four cafés and restaurants catering to a variety of tastes. Its single occupancy studios provide all conveniences, from an ensuite bathroom to a kitchenette and private balcony. U offers the additional possibility of sharing a 2-bedroom apartment at an even more affordable monthly cost.

Both Six and U are located in one of the most attractive areas in Nicosia, and are a few minutes by foot or bicycle from the Medical School, the central University of Nicosia campus buildings, and the other amenities of the bustling broader university campus (restaurants, coffeeshops, bars, supermarkets).

The Student Services team can provide you with details on Six and U Student Residences and assist you in finding suitable accommodation for your needs and budget.



Triangle Residence

## TRIANGLE

TRIANGLE Residence, opening in Fall 2019, complements SIX with an additional 153 modern and spacious rooms. Its stylish rooftop bungalows represent the top of the line in terms of student housing, boasting luxury amenities and a spectacular view of the bustling UNIC campus.

# About Cyprus

Cyprus is situated in the north-eastern corner of the Mediterranean, at the meeting point of Europe, Asia and Africa. Since the dawn of history, Cyprus has been one of the most interesting areas of the region, with a rich and visible cultural history. Ancient Greeks, Egyptians and Romans, along with Crusaders, Byzantines, Franks and Ottomans have all left a powerful legacy for the modern visitor to see and admire.

Cyprus is ranked the safest country in the world for people aged 15 to 29 by the World Health Organization, and its people are famous for the warm and friendly welcome they extend to visitors. The combination of a multicultural population, modern infrastructure, reasonable cost of living, rich history and a beautiful natural environment makes it an ideal place to study.

The island is endowed with golden beaches, virgin green forests and other natural wonders, and the environment is one of the healthiest in the world.

Like Singapore and Hong Kong, Cyprus is an important financial and business centre, with over 70% of the economy focused on services. The main industries in Cyprus are financial and professional services, banking, investment management, shipping, tourism and real estate.

Medieval Castle, Paphos



Nicosia by Night



Aphrodite's Rock, Paphos



Limassol



Troodos Mountains



**"Coming all the way from Iceland, I think it's wonderful to live in a country where there is almost always sun and good weather. It makes it really easy to wake up in the morning and go to school, and it also lightens your mood. Cyprus is a very relaxed environment. From my first day here, the people of Cyprus have been really warm and welcoming. That's why I felt immediately at home."**

*Sjoefn Ragnarsdottir  
Class of 2021*



**CYPRUS MADE LIST OF 52 PLACES TO GO in 2017 by the NEW YORK TIMES**



**>30,000 UNIVERSITY STUDENTS in Cyprus**



Kourion Archaeological Site

**SUNNIEST COUNTRY IN EUROPE** with over 300 days of sunshine per year



**#1 SAFEST COUNTRY IN THE WORLD FOR STUDENTS**



World Health Organization (WHO), 2017



Neighbourhood in Old Nicosia

**#1 SMALL CITY** in Europe for Lifestyle & Education Outranking OXFORD, CAMBRIDGE AND GENEVA (Financial Times, 2016)



**80%** of the population SPEAKS ENGLISH



Limassol Marina

## Visa Information

### EU Students

EU citizens may travel freely to Cyprus but are required to submit an Application for Issue of Residence Permit within 3 months of their date of entry into the country. Our Student Services team will assist you with this procedure.

### Non-EU Students

Non-EU students require a visa to study in Cyprus. Our Student Services team will facilitate this process.

## Student Clubs

All medical students are automatically members of the Medical School Students' Society. Student Clubs are formed for the enjoyment, benefit and enrichment of students and to encourage personal development through extracurricular activities. The activities of current clubs include community service, sports, wellness and cultural interests. A number of events are organised each year by the society, including charitable fundraising, raising health awareness campaigns for students, a mentoring programme for new students, and a year-end ball.



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