

Final exam

(BA / MA in International Relations Program)

Students take their final exams in front of their Final Exam Committees. (Candidates are assigned to a Final Exam Committee which possibly has the supervisor or the opponent of the Candidate's thesis as a member.)

We publish the list of exam places and students' names on the Department's webpage (www.diplomacy.hu), with information on the assigned rooms, and specifying the exact scheduled time for each student. (There might be delays during the exams, and they can even start before the assigned time.)

Students should arrive at the university minimum 30-40 minutes prior to their appointment and they should stay near the exam rooms until they are summoned.

Changing the order of the candidates is not possible, unless the Final Exam Committee decides otherwise.

The final exam consists of two parts:

1. Oral exam:

- the Candidate will pick a topic and during a short preparation time – using the questions listed – draw up a detailed written outline. When asked, the outline is to be handed over to the Committee.
- Based upon the outline the Committee will ask the Candidate questions, to which short and concise answers are expected.
- Time allowed for this part of the exam is about 10–15 minutes.

2. Thesis defense:

- Candidates are NOT expected to hold a digital presentation (Power Point, Prezi or any other tool), but may be asked to give a short summary of the thesis at the start.
- The Committee may ask any questions in relation to the topic of the thesis.
- This part of the exam takes about 10-15 minutes.
- After the last candidate has finished the exam the Committee will decide on the results in a closed session.
- The Committee will not notify students of the results on the spot. The results will be published on the day of the exam (late afternoon) on the Department webpage (with the students' Neptun code).

Security regulations: As per the university regulations, students and the members of the exam committees are not required to wear a mask or keep 1.5 m social distance. However, it is advisable to use hand sanitizers provided at the waiting rooms and corridors. After their exam, students are suggested to leave the building maximum in 15-20 minutes.

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We wish you all successful exams!

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