



SWISS TCM UNI
瑞士中医药大学

Information sheet:
Admission to the degree programme
«Bachelor of Science in TCM»
sur Dossier (incl. aptitude test)

This information sheet is based on the document "Admission regulations and procedure".

(For the sake of readability, gender-appropriate repetition has been omitted. The masculine form also applies to the feminine).

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1. Admission of candidates with a foreign Matura (not recognised in Switzerland)

Candidates with a non-Swiss recognised Matura are admitted

- 1.1 with recognition for university admission from a Swiss university
- 1.2 with proof of the following competences: sufficient general education, Chinese language skills at Level B2 and a passed aptitude test (social skills) carried out by SWISS TCM UNI
- 1.3 with proof of the following competences: sufficient general education, sufficiently proven knowledge of health culture (Yangshen) and a passed examination organised by the SWISS TCM UNI. Aptitude test (social competence).
- 1.4 In order to fulfil the language competence requirements, all candidates with a foreign Matura must provide proof of German language proficiency at level B1 or higher for admission.

2. Admission of candidates without a Matura

The following requirements must be met for authorisation:

1. Minimum age 30 years
2. Sufficient general education
3. Social competence
4. Proof of recognised healthcare training
5. Proof of at least three years' experience in the healthcare sector
6. Students who do not fulfil points 1 and 2 must complete a one-year assessment at STU.

3. Admission of candidates with Federal Diploma TCM for Naturopaths (without Matura)

1. Minimum age 30 years
2. Candidates must fulfil the requirements of sufficient general education for admission.

4. Admission of graduates of an OdA-recognised TCM training course (without Matura, without Federal Diploma for Naturopaths)

The following requirements must be met for authorisation:

1. Minimum age 30 years
2. Sufficient general education
3. Social competence
4. Proof of at least three years' experience in the healthcare sector

5. General education

The general education required for admission to the Bachelor's degree programme in TCM is checked. This includes the subjects German, maths, civics and social studies, biology (health culture). Proof of German B1 is considered sufficient for the subject German.

6. Aptitude test for social competence

Social skills are assessed by means of an aptitude test consisting of two parts:

Part 1: Personal interview

In the personal interview, the candidate explains their CV and their vision (learning objectives, skills acquisition, professional future). The duration is 10 minutes. The assessment is based on the conciseness, clarity and appropriateness of the statements on a scale of -3 to +6 points.

Part 2: Patient communication (with a real patient or an acting patient)

2.1 Dealing with the patient:

The assessment covers the greeting, conversation and ending of the conversation with the patient. The methods and expressions used to convey respect and care while maintaining professional distance are assessed. The assessment is made on a scale of -3 to +6 points.

2.2 Assessment of clarity of thought:

The assessment is made on a scale of -1 to +2 points.

2.3 Assessment of the appropriateness of the interview:

The assessment is made on a scale of -1 to +2 points.

2.4 Summary of the interview:

The assessment is made on a scale of -1 to +3 points.

2.5 Evaluation of the result

2 points = good, 1 point = pass, -1 point = fail

Pass mark

If you score 9 points or more, you pass the aptitude test. If less than 9 points are awarded, the test is failed.

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