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Faculty of Arts

- Founded in 1919
- The largest MU faculty
- Traditional humanities-oriented disciplines
- Growing number of programs taught in English
- E-sources



Faculty of Arts

- Philology
- Historical Sciences
- General Theory and
History of Arts and Culture
- Humanities
- Psychology
- Pedagogy
- + International Summer Schools



Faculty in Numbers

5,500 students
in Czech
programs

200+ Courses
in English

150 Research
projects

Faculty Library
816 000 books

27 Departments

150+ Foreign
instructors each
year

Number of Programs

BA study programs

In Czech

Full-time: 46

Part-time: 13

In English

Full-time: 1

MA study programs

In Czech

Full-time: 55

Part-time: 17

In English

Full-time: 4

PhD study programs

In Czech

Full-time: 23

Part-time: 23

In English

Full-time: 7

Part-time: 6

Length of Degree Programs and Important Dates

- **Bachelor's** programs: 3 years (6 semesters)
- **Master's** programs: 2 years (4 semesters)
- **PhD** programs: 4 years (8 semesters)

- **Fall semester:** September – December
- **Spring semester:** February – May

Studies in English at the Faculty of Arts

Bachelor's Studies:

- **English Language and Literature:** € 2,500/academic year

Master's Studies:

- **English Language and Literature:** € 2,500/academic year
- **North-American Culture Studies:** € 2,000/academic year
- **Modern Greek Language and Literature:** € 1,250/academic year
- **Visual Culture and Art History:** € 1,250/academic year

Studies in English at the Faculty of Arts

Doctoral Studies:

- **Educational Sciences:** € 2,500/academic year
- **English Linguistics:** € 2,000/academic year
 - English Linguistics
 - Experimental and Applied Linguistics
- **Literatures in English:** € 2,000/academic year
- **Study of Religions:** € 500/academic year
- **Aesthetics and Culture Studies:** € 2,500/academic year
- **Digital Culture and Creative Industries:** € 2,500/academic year
- **Musicology:** € 2,500/academic year

Czech Language for Foreigners

- **Various levels:** beginners, pre-intermediate, intermediate, advanced
- **Various numbers of hours a week:** 25 – 4 hours/week, intensive courses
- **Various lengths:** a year long courses, one semester courses, evening courses, summer school, individual study plans
- Prices differ in accordance with the intensity of teaching
- Scholarship: 10 three-month scholarships for applicants with a good knowledge of Czech language in order to be able to follow the lectures and attend seminars conducted in Czech

Research at the Faculty of Arts

Research in 2020:

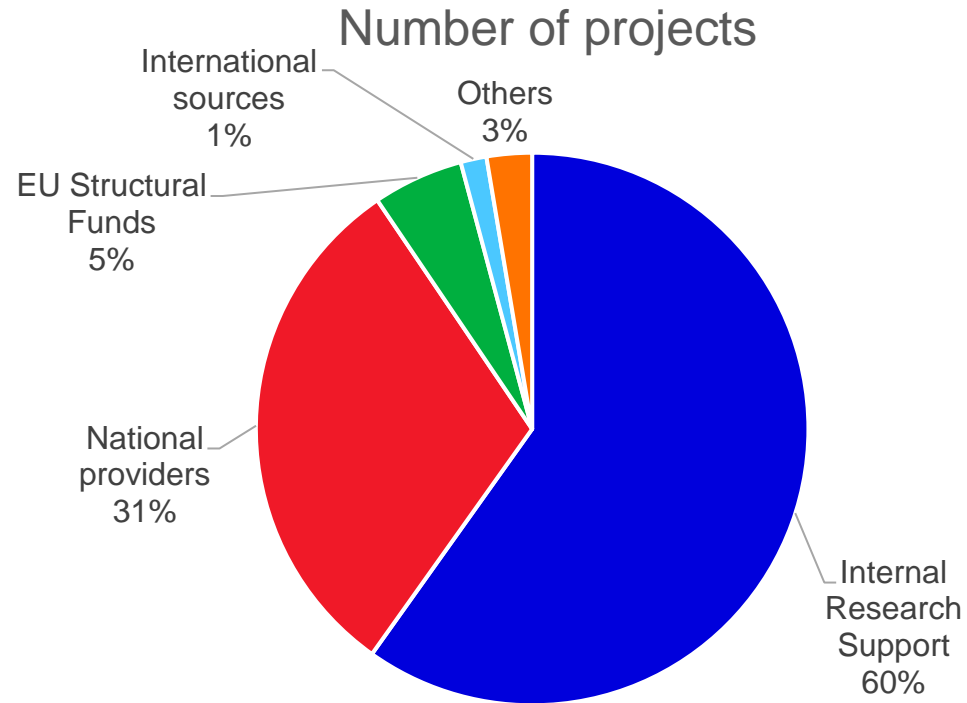
- 264 projects implemented (total budget 25 452 ths € / 658 942 ths CZK)
- 215 grant proposals
- 54 % success rate of grant proposals

Project funding:

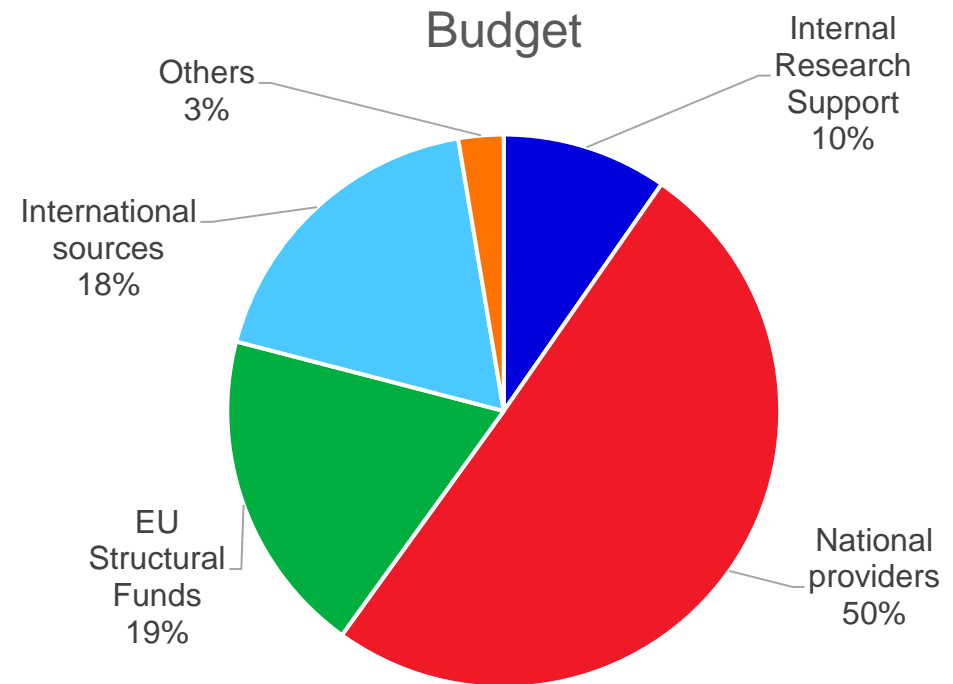
- Internal research support, National providers, EU structural funds, International funds, Others

Research at the Faculty of Arts in 2020

Funding breakdown according to number of projects



Funding breakdown according to budget of grants



Research at the Faculty of Arts in 2020

Internal Research support at the MU

[GAMU](#) – Grant Agency of the
Masaryk University

STUDENT RESEARCH PROGRAMME

Excellent
Diploma Thesis

RESEARCH SUPPORT PROGRAMME

Support for
Preparation of
International
Grant Projects

Interdisciplinary
Research
Projects

MUNI Award in
Science and
Humanities

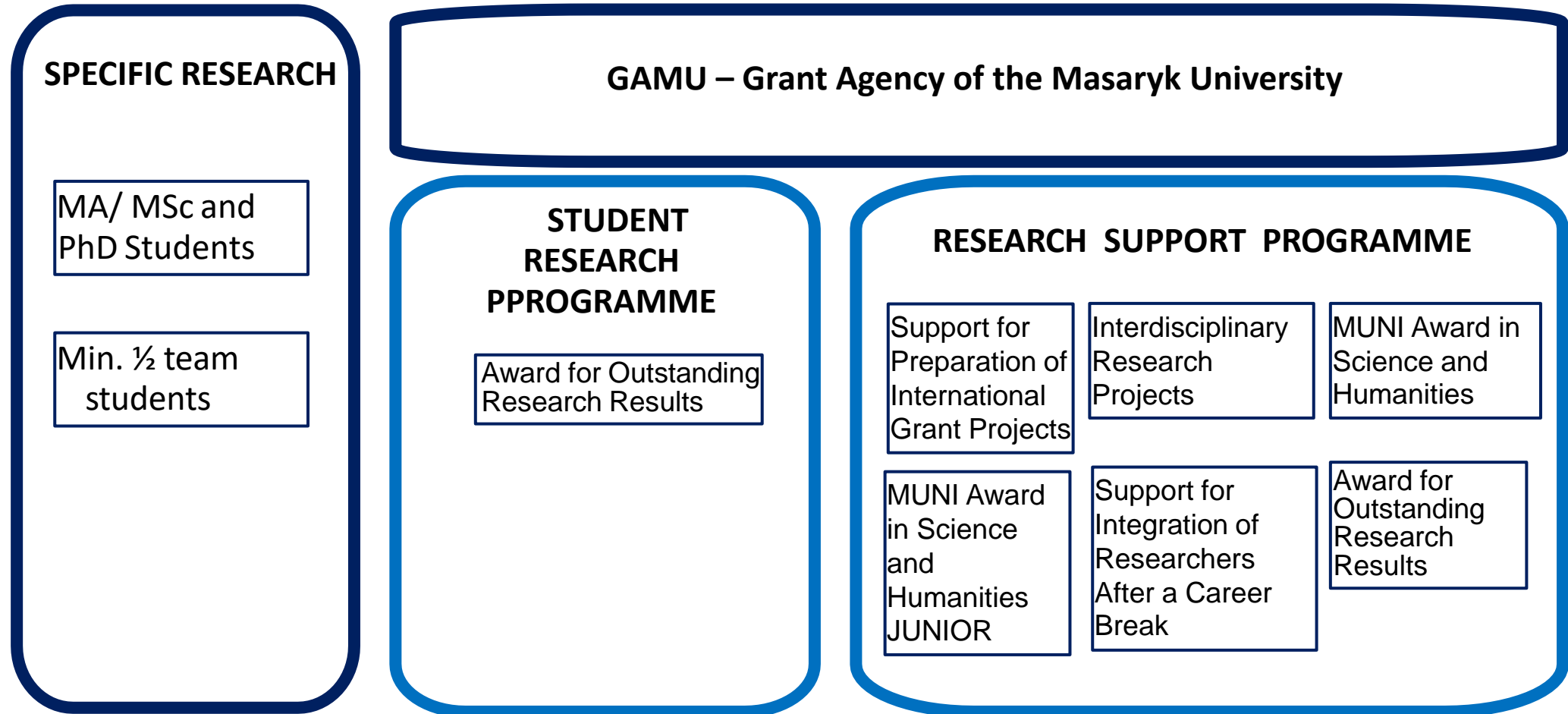
MUNI Award in
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JUNIOR

Support for
Integration of
Researchers After
a Career Break

Award for
Outstanding
Research
Results

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Internal Research support at the MU



Research at the Faculty of Arts in 2020

Grant providers – basic overview



1.

National Providers

- **GA ČR** (The Czech Science Foundation), **Basic Research**
- **TA ČR** (Technology Agency of CR), **Applied Research**
- **Ministries** - [Ministry of Education, Youth and Sports](#),



2.

International Sources

- **Horizon 2020** Financial instrument to support research and innovation in EU,
 - [ERC](#): **Excellent frontier research**
 - [MSCA](#): **Mobility grants**
- [International Visegrad fund](#)



3.

EU Structural and Investment Funds

- **OP VVV** (OP RDE) Operational Programme Research, Development and Education
- **OP Z** (OP E) Operational Programme Employment

Research at the Faculty of Arts

Major projects implemented in 2020:

H2020 / ERC:

- European Joint Doctorate in Teacher Education
- Continuity and Rupture in Central European Art and Architecture, 1918-1939 (Rampley Matthew, B.A., Ph.D.),
- Networks of Dissent: Computational Modelling of Dissident and Inquisitorial Cultures in Medieval Europe (doc. PhDr. David Zbiral, Ph.D.),
- Conques in the Global World. Transferring Knowledge: from Material to Immaterial Heritage (prof. Ivan Foletti, MA. Docteur es Lettres)

Research at the Faculty of Arts in 2020

Implemented projects Development of excellent research - EXPRO:

- Dissident Religious Cultures in Medieval Europe from the Perspective of Social Network Analysis and Geographic Information Systems
- From Performativity to Institutionalization: Handling Conflict in the Late Middle Ages (Strategies, Agents, Communication)
- Observance Reconsidered: The Uses and Abuses of the Reform (Individuals, Institutions, Society)
- The Formation of Multi-ethnic Complex Societies in Early Medieval Moravia. Collective Action Theory and Interdisciplinary Approach

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Implemented International projects:

- The influence of socio-cultural factors and writing system on perception and cognition of complex visual stimuli
- Grey Eminences in Action: Personal Structures of Informal Decision-Making at Late Medieval Courts
- The Morphology of Agreement
- Cultural Interactions in the Medieval Subcaucasian Region: Historiographical and Art-Historical Perspectives
- Animation Studios in Gottwaldov and Lodz (1945/47-1990) - Comparative Collective Biography

Planned Summer Schools and Summer Programs

- [Central Europe: A Birthplace of Modernity](#) (July 12 – 27, 2021)
 - To be held online; price: 400 EUR
- [Summer School of Slavonic \(Czech\) Studies](#) (July 24 – August 21, 2021)
 - Price: 35000 CZK (incl. accommodation)
- [Social Network Analysis for Humanities and Social Sciences](#) (August 2 - 6, 2021)
 - To be held online; price: 300 EUR



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