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UPSKILLS 2023 Summer School

Are you a future language specialist - a student of a language-related subject, such as linguistics, foreign languages, language pedagogy, translation & interpreting?

Do you want to know more about your career prospects as a language specialist?

Would you like to better prepare for the future job market in language-related sectors?

We invite you to apply for the UPSKILLS 2023 Summer School!

The summer school will bring together highly-motivated students and lecturers in a hands-on, research-oriented 5-day program. Through lectures, workshops, and practical tasks, you will learn about the skills required by the job market - both in academic positions and in companies that make language their main business.

Following a general introduction to a number of much-needed transversal skills, including analytical/scientific thinking, problem-solving, and project management, you will work closely with experienced trainers and other students on small-scale practical research tasks related to language data collection, processing, analysis, sharing, and much more. Toward the end of the program, you will have a chance to present the results of the tasks you worked on and discuss your learning experiences with the lecturers. Throughout the program, the focus will be on real-world scenarios and enhancing students' awareness of the current job market and employment opportunities.

The summer school will take place in Serbia, at [Petnica Science Center](#) from July 15 to 20 2023.

All travel and subsistence costs will be covered for the selected students (six per participating institution). Accommodation will be arranged directly on campus. Participants are responsible for their health/travel insurance and potential visas and visa fees.

[Please apply using this form](#)

The deadline for applications is ~~March 17~~ April 5 2023

This call is open to students enrolled at universities that are part of the [UPSKILLS project](#) consortium - specifically, the University of Belgrade, the University of Bologna, **the University of Graz**, the University of Malta, and the University of Rijeka. Preference will be given to Bachelor's students, but Master's students are also welcome to apply. The program will be conducted in English.

Candidates will be informed about the selection results within two weeks after the application deadline

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