

# Invitation for Applications from Prospective Students for the Academic Year 2025-2026

### Organization

The School of Rural, Surveying and Geoinformatics Engineering of the National Technical University of Athens (NTUA), in collaboration with the Schools of Electrical and Computer Engineering and Mining and Metallurgical Engineering, invites interested individuals to apply for participation in the "Geoinformatics" Interdepartmental Postgraduate Programme for the academic year 2025-2026.

## **Subject of Study**

The Programme aims to empower engineers and other university graduates with specialized expertise in the dynamic and interdisciplinary field of Geoinformatics. It focuses on the vast potential of geospatial data, revolutionizing how we collect, georeference, interpret, map, manage and understand information related to our natural, artificial and socioeconomic environment. Furthermore, it delves into spatial analysis and planning, and the development of various geospatial applications using cutting-edge methods and technologies, particularly in the field of Informatics.

### **Programme Structure**

The Postgraduate Programme has a duration of at least three (3) semesters and corresponds to 90 ECTS credits. It starts in **October** of each year. The maximum duration of studies is two (2) years, calculated from the regular enrollment in the Programme (without considering the attendance of prerequisite courses, if required). The Programme includes core and specialization courses, as well as the completion of a master's thesis. Successful completion of the Programme leads to the award of a Postgraduate Diploma (Master of Science) in Geoinformatics degree.

The Postgraduate Programme requires full attendance during the week, i.e., on working days and hours.

### **Admission Criteria**

The Postgraduate Programme admits:

- Graduates of Surveying/Geomatics/Geoinformatics Engineering and other Engineering disciplines from Greek Universities
- Graduates of other Greek Universities, primarily in the fields of Science and Technology
- Graduates from foreign universities recognised by the <u>Hellenic National Academic Recognition and Information</u>
  <u>Centre NARIC (DOATAP)</u>, primarily in the fields of Engineering, Science and Technology
- Final-year undergraduate students from the above university schools or departments, provided they graduate before the start of the program in October.

Applicants should have proven knowledge of the English language. Additionally, it is necessary to have knowledge of basic Computer Science concepts and preferably a programming language or a computing/programming tool.

For the academic year 2025-2026, the Postgraduate Programme in Geoinformatics will admit a minimum of 25 Postgraduate Students. Selection will be based on qualifications indicated in the submitted documentation, including diploma/degree grade, relevance to the scientific subject of the Programme, documentation of interest, experience, English language proficiency, computer science skills, and reference letters. Candidates may also be invited for a personal interview to further assess their suitability for the Programme and their ability to pursue postgraduate studies and research.

#### **Tuition fees**

• EU nationals: No tuition fees.

• Non-EU nationals: €500 per semester.

## How to apply

Interested individuals are invited to apply at the Study in Greece (@SiG) platform until Wednesday, June 25, 2025.

To apply, create a free account and complete your profile with the following information (a simple guide to apply):

- 1. Contact information
- 2. A recent photograph
- 3. A detailed curriculum vitae, including a comprehensive list of academic qualifications and any professional or research activities
- 4. Education degrees including diploma or degree certificate(s) with academic transcript.
- 5. Language certifications including proof of English proficiency.
- 6. Other documents including one page statement of interest and a copy of identity card or passport.

In addition to the application, **two (2) letters of recommendation** (using the form available <u>here</u>) must be submitted separately. The applicant should fill out the first page and send it to the referee. The referee should complete the rest of the form and send it via email to: <a href="mailto:geoinfo@survey.ntua.gr">geoinfo@survey.ntua.gr</a>.

Final-year undergraduate students who have not yet graduated but are expected to complete their studies after the time of the application may be conditionally accepted, but they must submit the pending documents before the start of the Programme.

#### **Admission Process Timeline**

- Results for foreign applicants will be announced by the end of June 2025.
- Results for Greek applicants will be announced by the end of September 2025.

For further information please send email to geoinfo@survey.ntua.gr or call at +30 2107722724.