

Annexe excerpt from the USB Rector's ordinance R 450

USB Rector's ordinance R 450 concerning assessing compliance with the requirement of prior education of applicants for admission to studies

Form of verification

With respect to verification of documents, the states in which the foreign education was obtained are divided into:

- States that concluded a convention on mutual legal assistance, i.e., documents are valid on the territory of state parties without further verification, an officially verified copy prepared by a notary of this country is considered sufficient: Afghanistan, Albania, Algeria, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, DPRK (North Korea), France, Georgia, Greece, Hungary, Kosovo, Kyrgyzstan, Macedonia (North), Moldavia, Mongolia, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Russian Federation, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Syria, Ukraine, Uzbekistan, Vietnam, Yemen.
- 2. States that concluded a convention on abolishing the requirement of legalization for foreign public documents (the Hague Convention) according to which a uniform form of verification of authenticity of documents is set in the form of so-called apostille that is issued by the authorised body of the state in which the certificate was issued: American Samoa, Andorra, Angola, Anguilla (United Kingdom), Antigua and Barbuda, Argentina, Armenia, Aruba (Netherlands), Azerbaijan, Bahamas, Bahrain, Barbados, Belize, Bermuda (United Kingdom), Bolivia, Botswana, Brazil, British Antarctic Territory (United Kingdom), British Virgin Islands (United Kingdom), Brunei Darussalam, Burundi, Cayman Islands (United Kingdom), Chile, China (Hongkong a Macao), Colombia, Comoro Islands, Cook Islands, Costa Rica, Dominica, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Eswatini, Falkland Islands (United Kingdom), Fiji, French Polynesia, Gibraltar (United Kingdom), Grenada, Guadalupe (France), Guam (USA), Guatemala, Guernsey (United Kingdom), Guyana (France), Honduras, Iceland, India, Isle of Man (United Kingdom), Israel, Japan, Jersey (United Kingdom), Kazakhstan, Kosovo, Lesotho, Liberia, Lichtenstein, Malawi, Malta, Marshall Islands, Martinique (France), Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Montserrat (United Kingdom), Morocco, Mozambique (Portugal), Namibia, Netherlands Antilles, New Caledonia (France), Nicaragua, Niue, Northern Mariana Islands (USA), Oman, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Puerto Rico (USA), Republic of Korea (South Korea), Republic of South Africa, Réunion – France, Saint Helena (United Kingdom), Saint Kitts and Nevis (France), Saint Lucia, Saint Pierre and Miquelon (France), Saint Thomas and Prince, Saint Vincent and Grenadines, Samoa, San Marino, Seychelles, Solomon Islands (United Kingdom), South Georgia and the South Sandwich Islands (United Kingdom), Surinam, Tajikistan, Tonga, Trinidad and Tobago, Tunisia, Turkey, Turks and Caicos Islands (United Kingdom), United States Virgin Islands, Uruguay, Vanuatu, Venezuela, Wallis and Futuna (France).
- 3. States where the apostille (legalization in the case of Canada) may be substituted by an official verification of the document supplemented by a confirmation issued by the foreign school: Australia, Canada, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, Germany, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, Sweden, United Kingdom, United States of America (USA).



4. Other states where the authenticity of the document concerning education obtained abroad must be verified by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the state where the school, which issued the document, has its registered office and, furthermore, by a diplomatic mission of the Czech Republic (so-called legalization).

Alphabetical list of countries and prescribed methods of document verification

Explanatory notes

- OVC in the case of submission of the original of the document, the document does not need to be further verified; officially verified copy prepared by a notary of the foreign country is considered sufficient (there is an agreement of mutual legal assistance)
- A verification by an apostille pursuant to the Hague Convention is required
- L verification of the document by legalization, i.e., by a foreign authority or the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the foreign state and concurrently by a diplomatic mission of the Czech Republic
- OVC + verification of the document by an apostille/legalization may be substituted by a verified copy and supplemental confirmation issued by a foreign school

State in which the diploma was	Verification	State in which the diploma was	Verification
issued	0.10	issued	
Afghanistan	OVC	Brunei Darussalam	A
Albania	OVC	Bulgaria	OVC
Algeria	OVC	Burkina Faso	L
American Samoa	Α	Burundi	Α
Andorra	Α	Cambodia	L
Angola	Α	Cameroon	L
Anguilla (UK)	Α	Canada	L / OVC +
Antarctica	L	Cape Verde	L
Antigua and Barbuda	Α	Cayman Islands (UK)	Α
Argentina	Α	Central African Republic	L
Armenia	Α	Ceuta (Spain)	L
Aruba (Netherlands)	Α	Chad	S
Australia	A / OVC +	Chile	Α
Austria	OVC	China	L
Azerbaijan	Α	China (Hongkong and Macao)	Α
Bahamas	Α	Christmas Island	L
Bahrain	Α	Colombia	Α
Bangladesh	L	Comoro Islands	Α
Barbados	Α	Congo	L
Belarus	OVC	Congo, Democratic Republic of the	L
Belgium	OVC	Cook Islands	Α
Belize	Α	Costa Rica	Α
Benin	L	Croatia	OVC
Bermuda (UK)	Α	Cuba	OVC
Bhutan	L	Cyprus	OVC
Bolivia	Α	Denmark	A / OVC +
Bosnia and Herzegovina	OVC	Djibouti	Ĺ
Botswana	A	Dominica	Α
Bouvet Island	L	Dominican Republic	Α
Brazil	Ā	East Timor	L
British Antarctic Territory (UK)	A	Ecuador	A
British Virgin Islands (UK)	A	Egypt	Ĺ



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El Salvador	Α	Korea, Republic of (South Korea)	Α
Equatorial Guinea	L,	Kosovo	Α
Eritrea	L	Kuwait	L
Estonia	A / OVC +	Kyrgyzstan	OVC
Eswatini	Α	Laos	L
Ethiopia	L	Latvia	A / OVC
Falkland Islands (UK)	Α	Lebanon	L
Faroe Islands	L	Lesotho	Α
Fiji	Α	Liberia	Α
Finland	A / OVC +	Libya	L
France	OVC	Lichtenstein	Α
French Polynesia	Α	Lithuania	A / OVC
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	L	Luxembourg	A / OVC
Gabon	L	Macao	L
Gambia	L	Macedonia, (North)	OVC
Georgia	OVC	Madagascar	L
Germany	A / OVC +	Malawi	Ā
Ghana	L	Malaysia	L
Gibraltar (UK)	Ā	Maldives	Ī.
Greece	OVC	Mali	ī
Greenland	L	Malta	A
Grenada	A	Marshall Islands	A
Guadalupe (France)	A	Martinique (France)	A
Guam (USA)	A	Mauretania	i i
Guatemala	A	Mauritius	A
Guernsey (UK)	A	Mayotte (France)	ï
Guinea	L	Melilla (Spain)	ī
Guinea Guinea-Bissau	L	Mexico	A
Guyana (France)	A	Micronesia	î
Haiti	L	Moldova	OVC
Heard Island and McDonald Islands	L	Monaco	A
Honduras	A	Mongolia	OVC
	OVC	Morocco	A
Hungary Iceland	A	Montenegro	ovc
India	_	Montserrat (UK)	A
	A	Mozambique (Portugal)	A
Indonesia Iran	L	Myanmar	
	L	Namibia	A
Iraq Ireland	A / OVC +	Nauru	1
		Nepal	
Isle of Man (UK)	A	Netherlands	A / OVC
Israel	A A / OVC +	Netherlands Antilles	A / OVC
Italy		New Caledonia (France)	A
Ivory Coast	L	New Zealand	A / OVC
Jamaica	L		
Japan	A	Nicaragua Nicar	A
Jersey (UK)	A	Niger	L
Jordan	L	Nigeria	L ^
Kazakhstan	A	Niue	A
Kenya	L	Norfolk	L
Kiribati	L	Northern Mariana Islands (USA)	A (0) (6
DPRK (North Korea)	OVC	Norway	A / OVC



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Oman	Α	Tonga	Α
Pakistan	L	Trinidad and Tobago	Α
Palau	L	Tunisia	Α
Panama	Α	Turkey	Α
Papua New Guinea	L	Turkmenistan	L
Paraguay	Α	Turks and Caicos Islands (UK)	Α
Peru	Α	Tuvalu	L
Philippines	L	Uganda	L
Pitcairn Islands	L	Ukraine	OVC
Poland	OVC	United Arab Emirates	L
Portugal	A / OVC +	United Kingdom	OVC
Puerto Rico (USA)	Α	United States of America	A / OVC
Qatar	L	United States Minor Outlying Islands	L
Réunion – France	Α	United States Virgin Islands	Α
Romania	OVC	Uruguay	A / OVC
Russian Federation	OVC	Uzbekistan	Α
Rwanda	L	Vanuatu	Α
Saint Helena (UK)	Α	Vatican City State	L
Saint Kitts and Nevis (France)	Α	Venezuela	Α
Saint Lucia	Α	Vietnam	OVC
Saint Pierre and Miquelon (France)	Α	Wallis and Futuna (France)	Α
Saint Thomas and Prince	Α	Yemen	OVC
Saint Vincent and Grenadines	Α	Zambia	L
Samoa	Α	Zimbabwe	L
San Marino	Α		
Saudi Arabia	L		
Senegal	L		
Serbia	OVC		
Seychelles	Α		
Sierra Leone	L		
Singapore	L		
Slovakia	OVC		
Slovenia	OVC		
Solomon Islands (UK)	Α		
Somalia	L		
South Africa, Republic of	Α		
South Georgia and the South	Α		
Sandwich Islands (UK			
Spain	OVC		
Sri Lanka	L		
Sudan	L		
Suriname	Α		
Sweden	A / OVC +		
Switzerland	OVC		
Syria	OVC		
, Taiwan	L		
Tajikistan	Α		
Tanzania	L		
Thailand	L		
Togo	L		
Tokelau	Ĺ		