

REACT 2026

FAQ's



International University Centre for Peace Missions



REGISTRATION

1. Which documents are required for registration?

The required documents are:

1. REACT's Registration Form
2. Letter of motivation
3. Resume/CV
4. Recent passport size photo (digital)
5. Copy of academic transcripts
6. English language certificate. *(If you do not have one, contact us and we will schedule a brief phone interview)*
7. *Two letters of recommendation on headed paper. (They should include the data and stamp/signature of the entity/person that is writing the letter. Letters must be submitted digitally, either scanned or as a signed PDF, via email.)*
8. In case you apply for a partial scholarship, proof of your annual income together with an official translation into English or Spanish. This is absolutely mandatory.

2. Where should I send the documents to register?

If you are interested in applying for this course, please send us a copy of the documents to ***iucpm@helsinkiespana.org***

3. In what language are the documents required?

Documents should be officially translate into English or Spanish.

DEADLINE

4. What is the deadline to register?

The deadline for applications for visa candidates is: **April 1, 2026.**

The deadline for candidates who do **not** need visa is: **May 1, 2026.**

Registration form: <https://helsinkiespana.org/en/react-training-program/>

Please note that incomplete applications will NOT be considered.

FEES, PAYMENTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

5. What is the cost of the program?

The course fee is: **€4,995.**

6. What is covered in this fee?

Comprehensive five-week REACT course (220h of training); complete five-day Hostile Environment Awareness Training (including Full training: classes, field activities, equipment, simulations, and 4x4 driving); all course materials, including PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) for HEAT (gloves, helmets, vests); €1.000 registration fee (**NON REFUNDABLE**); civil liability insurance during the course; personal mentoring focused on professional development, networking opportunities with participating organizations, and direct access to UNV recruiters; diploma; transportation process from Madrid to El Albir, transportation process from El Albir to Los Ángeles de San Rafael (HEAT course); activity photos.

- ***Meals and accommodation costs are NOT included.***
- ***Applicants are also responsible for their visa-related costs.***
- ***Participants are responsible for the cost of bank transfers and currency exchange.***

7. How much is the registration fee?

All applicants are required to pay a registration fee of **€1.000** as soon as they are admitted to the course.

8. Is the registration fee refundable?

No. This registration fee is not refundable, even if the candidate, for whatever reason, cannot attend the course.

The registration fee is included in the final price of the course.

9. How can I pay?

Payments can be made in **full or through an installment payment plan**, which enables participants to divide the cost of course into two installments.

In the case of partial scholarship, participants can also benefit from the installment payment plan.

In order to start with the visa process, participants must have paid the registration fee.

Payments should be made by bank transfers or by PayPal to Helsinki España.

10. How do scholarships work?

There are a limited number of partial scholarships available which cover up to **35% of the course fee**. **These scholarships only cover part of the course fee**. Partial scholarships will be allocated based on the candidates needs and on the amount of the funds available.

All candidates who submit a full application are eligible to request financial aid. Helsinki España will distribute the available funds according to the needs and profiles of the candidates. **Students who wish to be considered for a partial scholarship should enclose proof of their annual income.**

Documents should be officially translate into English or Spanish. In case of unemployment, candidates must provide official proof of their status.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTATION

11. What should I take into account when applying for a visa?

Helsinki España will support visa applications with all the necessary documents. However, **participants are required to pay the €1.000 registration fee to issuing the letter of invitation.**

It is the responsibility of the student to make appropriate visa arrangements before traveling to Spain. **At least 2 months should be allowed for visa processing.**

We strongly recommend that participants schedule an appointment at their nearest Spanish embassy as soon as possible to begin the visa application process. Helsinki España will provide all the required documentation and guidance, supporting participants throughout every step to ensure a smooth application process.

12. What should I take into account for the travel documents?

Students are responsible for making their own travel arrangements. Helsinki España will not be responsible for any arrangements or travel related costs.

Students should arrive before the opening and depart after official closure of the course.

ACCOMODATION

13. Where will the course take place?

The course will take place in:

El Albir, Alfaz del Pi, Alicante from: May 26th to June 21st, 2026.

Los Ángeles de San Rafael, Segovia: from 22th June till 28th June
(Training HEAT module)

Helsinki España will take care of all the relocation process from Madrid to El Albir accommodation as well as the transportation from El Albir to Los Ángeles de San Rafael, Segovia.

Participants are responsible for arranging their own accommodation. However, **Helsinki España** will provide a list of **nearby housing options with negotiated rates** and offer guidance on other available alternatives to help facilitate the stay during the course

CANCELLATION / REFUND POLICY

14. What happens if I cancel my participation in the course?

If a participant cancels their registration, no refund will be issued (including in cases related to visa issues). However, if the cancellation is made more than 20 days in advance, the amount paid may be used as credit for a future edition of the course.

The organizers reserve the right to postpone or cancel the course if the minimum number of participants is not reached, or if the instructors are unable to attend due to force majeure. In such cases, a full refund will be issued to registered participants.



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