

## QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE LETTER OF MOTIVATION

*Applicants seeking admission to the East Asian Economy and Society (EcoS) program must submit a letter of motivation. This letter should address each question in the provided questionnaire individually, in a clear, list format rather than in essay style. Please write in English, using two pages in total. Please answer all questions individually in the order below. Be precise.*

- 1) How did you learn about the EcoS master's programme?
- 2) Please describe your current skillset and formal qualifications relevant to this field.
- 3) In what ways will the master's degree in East Asian Economy and Society complement your existing skills and qualifications?
- 4) Which alternatives to the EcoS master's programme have you considered, and why did you choose the EcoS programme over them?
- 5) Where do you see your professional future after graduating from the EcoS master's programme?
- 6) Please list examples of previous academic writing you have done in English, such as term papers, bachelor's theses, articles, etc. If there are none, please state so.
- 7) What potential topic are you considering for your EcoS master's thesis?
- 8) Which research question (only one!) do you want to address in your EcoS master's thesis? To whom do you think this answer will matter, and why?

**Note:** Once the questionnaire is completed, save in .pdf form and upload in [u:space](#) at "Further documents and proofs" as document type "Letter of motivation".

If you have any further questions regarding the letter of motivation, please contact us at [ecos@univie.ac.at](mailto:ecos@univie.ac.at).

You can find detailed information regarding the structure, the course contents and any potential info events of the master programme on the [Chair of East Asian Economy and Society's website](#).