

Announcement: Recruitment Exam for Assistant Experts on European Union Affairs

Overview

The Directorate for EU Affairs has announced that it will recruit **18 Assistant Experts** to serve within its central organisation under the **8th Grade of the General Administrative Services**.

Application Period and Method

- **Application Dates:** 03–14 November 2025
- **Application Method:** Online applications only through the Career Gateway – Public Recruitment Platform (e-Devlet):
<https://kariyerkapisi.gov.tr/isealim>
- Applications submitted after the deadline or via other channels will not be accepted.

Eligibility Requirements

General Requirements

- Must meet the general conditions stated in Article 48 of the Civil Servants Law No. 657.

Educational Requirements

Candidates must hold a minimum 4-year bachelor's degree from one of the following:

- Faculties of Political Science, Economics, Business Administration, Economics and Administrative Sciences, Communication, Law
- Department of Food Engineering
- Department of European Union Studies
- Graduates of equivalent overseas programs must submit a **YÖK equivalence certificate**.

Age Requirement

- Must **not have reached the age of 35 as of 01 January 2025**
(Applicants born on or after 01.01.1990 are eligible)

KPSS Requirement

- Minimum score of **80** from the 2024 or 2025 KPSS in one of the following score types:
P3, P4, P14, P19, P24, P29, P34, P39, P44

- The top **180 applicants** with the highest scores will be invited to the written exam. (All candidates at the threshold score will be included)

Foreign Language Requirement

- Minimum **B level** in English, French, or German from YDS or an equivalent international exam accepted by ÖSYM
 - YDS validity: **5 years**
 - International exams: **2 years**

Documents Required for Application

1. YÖK equivalence certificate (for overseas graduates)
2. YDS or equivalent foreign language exam result
3. **Handwritten** short curriculum vitae (maximum 1 page)

Written Examination

- **Date & Time:** 21 December 2025 – 10:00
- **Location:** Ankara (venue and list of eligible candidates will be announced on e-Devlet and www.ab.gov.tr)
- Candidates must present valid official identification (ID card or passport)

Exam Structure & Scoring (Total 100 points)

Subject Area	Points
European Union	35
Türkiye–EU Relations	35
Foreign Language (10 translation + 20 EU-related foreign language essay)	30

- Minimum score to pass: **70**
- Top **72 candidates** will qualify for the oral exam (all tied candidates included)

Oral Examination

The date and details of the oral exam will be announced via e-Devlet and www.ab.gov.tr.

Evaluation Criteria (Total 100 points)

Evaluation Area	Points
EU & Türkiye–EU Relations + Foreign Language	50 (30+20)
Comprehension, summarising, expression, reasoning	10

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Merit, representation ability, behavioural suitability	10
Self-confidence, persuasion, and impact	10
General knowledge & aptitude	10
Openness to scientific/technological developments	10

- Minimum requirement to pass: **70**

Final Evaluation & Ranking

- Final score = **(Written Exam Score + Oral Exam Score) / 2**
- In case of a tie:
 1. Higher written exam score
 2. If still tied, higher KPSS score
- A reserve list will be created (not exceeding 50% of the announced positions)

Results, Objections & Appointment

- Results will be announced via e-Devlet and www.ab.gov.tr
- Objection period: **within 7 days** after the announcement
 - Objections will be concluded within **7 days** of submission
- Candidates who fail to submit the required documents within the specified timeframe forfeit their right to appointment
- Application documents found to contain misrepresentation or falsified information will result in disqualification and cancellation of appointment

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