Solemn openings of academic years of Czech Republic higher education institutions Summary 2000-2024

(As of 3 October 2024)

Date	Meeting place and host higher education institution	Rector-Host
3.10.2024	Solemn opening of the academic year 2024/2025 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Prague, NEWTON University.	Anna Plechatá Krausová
5.10.2023	Solemn opening of the academic year 2023/2024 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Olomouc, Palacký University Olomouc.	Martin Procházka
6.10.2022	Solemn opening of the academic year 2022/2023 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Prague, Charles University.	Milena Králíčková
7.10.2021	Solemn opening of the academic year 2021/2022 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Mladá Boleslav, ŠKODA AUTO University.	Pavel Mertlík
1.10.2020	Solemn opening of the academic year 2020/2021 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Prague, Czech University of Life Sciences Prague. - CANCELLED	Petr Sklenička
3.10.2019	Solemn opening of the academic year 2019/2020 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Prague, The Police Academy of the Czech Republic in Prague.	Josef Salač
4.10.2018	Solemn opening of the academic year 2018/2019 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Olomouc, Palacký University Olomouc.	Jaroslav Miller
2.10.2017	Solemn opening of the academic year 2017/2018 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Liberec, Technical University of Liberec.	Zdeněk Kůs
29.9.2016	Solemn opening of the academic year 2016/2017 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Prague, Academy of Performing Arts in Prague.	Jan Hančil
8.10.2015	Solemn opening of the academic year 2015/2016 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, České Budějovice, University of South Bohemia in České Budějovice.	Libor Grubhoffer
29.9.2014	Solemn opening of the academic year 2014/2015 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Liberec, Technical University of Liberec.	Zdeněk Kůs
30.9.2013	Solemn opening of the academic year 2013/2014 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Pardubice, University of Pardubice.	Miroslav Ludwig
1.10.2012	Solemn opening of the academic year 2012/2013 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions,	Jiří Balík

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	Prague, Czech University of Life Sciences Prague.	
3.10.2011	Solemn opening of the academic year 2011/2012 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Opava, Silesian University in Opava.	Rudolf Žáček
4.10.2010	Solemn opening of the academic year 2010/2011 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Pilsen, University of West Bohemia.	Josef Průša
30.9.2009	Solemn opening of the academic year 2009/2010 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Ostrava, VŠB – Technical University of Ostrava.	Tomáš Čermák
4.10.2008	Solemn opening of the academic year 2008/2009 of the Czech Republic higher education institutions, Brno, Masaryk University.	Petr Fiala
2000-2007	Prague, Czech Technical University in Prague.	Jiří Witzany Václav Havlíček

Note:

The tradition of the Solemn opening of the academic year of the Czech Republic higher education institutions exists since 2000. This event was held always in Prague in 2000-2007 and as the host higher education institution was always the Czech Technical University in Prague (eight times in total).