

## **The Higher Education Council of the Turkish Republic From the Head Office of ÖSYM**

### **ANNOUNCEMENT**

To the attention of foreign students seeking admission to four-year Turkish universities: the qualifying YÖS (Foreign Student Examination) will be held on **April 12, 2009**, under the supervision of ÖSYM.

In addition to achieving an acceptable score on the examination, applicants must:

- a) be of foreign nationality (including stateless individuals and refugees);
- b) be graduates of or last-year students in Turkish high schools or high schools abroad deemed to be equivalent;
- c) meet the conditions laid down by the institutions they intend to apply to.

To apply for the YÖS, go to the website **<http://ais.osym.gov.tr>** between the dates of **February 2nd** and **February 20th, 2009**, and follow the instructions. The 2009 YÖS Guide and Application Form can both be downloaded; the **Guide** will provide detailed information on the examination and the process for applying to take it.

For student from the Turkic Republics and related ethnic groups interested in applying to Ahmet Yesevi International Turkish-Kazakh University, the results of the YÖS will determine whether they are accepted for admission. Those who get at least 40 standard points on the Basic Learning Skills Component of the YÖS may apply for admission via the University's website: [www.yesevi.edu.tr](http://www.yesevi.edu.tr).