

2024 Official Miss Czech-Slovak US Pageant Entry Form



First/Last Name _____ Date of Birth _____

(Note: provided name is how you will be listed in pageant and promotional materials)

Full Address _____

Phone Number _____ Email Address _____

Parent(s) Name(s) and Email(s) _____ Representing State _____

Primary Sponsor _____ Social Security Number _____

Please answer the following questions on two (2), one sided - letter size sheets of paper, in 12-point Times New Roman font. Include your state and name in the header of each page. If applicable, answers should be heritage focused.

1. Describe your Czech/Slovak heritage (including lineage).
2. Describe your educational background including your highest achieved or degree in progress.
3. Please provide a brief self-description in three sentences, highlighting strengths, experiences, and qualities. This will assist us in gaining a deeper understanding of who you are.
4. Describe up to three honors/awards you have earned.
5. Why do you want to be Miss Czech-Slovak US?
6. How do you feel about your Czech-Slovak ancestry?
7. Describe up to three extracurricular activities (non-heritage related) that have prepared you for the Miss Czech-Slovak US Pageant.
8. Describe your contributions to and participation in your Czech or Slovak community. Include in your answer the scope and length of involvement of each activity.
9. Describe, in detail, your talent, including any special props or stage equipment you might need.

On one (1) letter size paper in 12-point Times New Roman font provide the following kroj information. Include your state and name in the header.

10. Describe your competition kroj and the story behind it by answering the points below.
 - How does your kroj tell your family story?
 - How did you obtain your kroj (Family-Owned Heirloom, Self-made, Self-made with assistance, Borrowed, Purchased) and what is the story behind this?
 - What is your favorite element of your kroj?
 - Does your Kroj (please note which components) represent a specific region or town? If so, describe how you researched this and how it guided the creation of your kroj.
 - Provide front and back (preferably in color) 4x6 photos of the kroj or kroj element(s) that you are replicating and cite the source of the photos. This is outside of the one-page requirement stated above.

Your application is used to curate a custom On-Stage Interview question and judged for the **Heritage Involvement, Bozena, and Cultural Preservation Awards**. Judges can ask you application-based questions during Private Interview.

Application Additional Enclosures – include the following with your application in the outlined order.

\$50 Entry fee

Application Question Responses

Kroj description – 250 words double-spaced, one page, at least 12-point font.

Contestant Headshot – 5x7 color photo in kroj, head and shoulder picture with NO crown or sash. Photos will not be returned to contestants.

Consent and Signature Form