## **Regionalization of the Visa Sections**

For students from outside of the European Union who study in an EU country, it is possible to apply for the Czech visa in one of the EU countries. The applications for the visa to enter the Czech Republic and applications for the long-term and permanent residency in the Czech Republic can be lodged only at visa sections of these Embassies of the Czech Republic in the Schengen area: Athens, Berlin, Bratislava, Madrid, Stockholm, Warsaw and Vienna.

The regional visa centres are established as follows:

- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Athens (at present locally competent for Greece only)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Berlin (Germany, Denmark)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Bratislava (Slovakia, Hungary)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Brussels (Belgium, France, Luxembourg, the Netherlands)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Stockholm (Sweden, Norway, Finland, Estonia, Iceland)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Warsaw (Poland, Latvia, Lithuania)
- Embassy of the Czech Republic in Vienna (Austria, Italy, Switzerland, Malta, Slovenia, Spain, Portugal).

The regionalisation refers to applications of all kinds of residence permits in the Czech Republic (visa up to 90 days of stay, visa over 90 days of stay, long term residency permit and permanent residency permit).