## PTE/125821-1/2021

## Dean's Order No. 1/2021. (X.22.) the joint Dean's Order of the Medical School and the Faculty of Pharmacy on the MD/PhD and the PharmD/PhD scholarship

**1.** § The scope of this order shall extend to all persons with a student's legal status in the undivided training programmes (general medicine, dentistry) of the Medical School (hereinafter: UP MS) and the pharmacy training programme at the Faculty of Pharmacy (hereinafter: FPh) of the University of Pécs.

2. § (1) The aim of the MD/PhD training programme of the UP MS and PharmD/PhD training programme of the FPh is to support the research work of students of the Undergraduate Research Society (hereinafter: TDK) who perform excellently in the fields belonging to the doctoral schools of the UP MS and FPh with a dean's scholarship and after graduation to facilitate obtaining a PhD title starting from the spring semester of the academic year 2021/2022.

(2) The scholarship is open to students of medicine, dentistry and pharmacy who excel in TDK work in the penultimate and/or last academic year of the undergraduate training.

3. (1) Students may receive fixed-term scholarship for up to 4 active semesters of study.

- (2) The amount of the scholarship is HUF 140,000/month (maximum 5 months per semester).
- (3) Conditions for the payment of the scholarship:
  - (a) In the last two years of their undergraduate studies, they acquire the number of credits required in the first two years of their doctoral studies by completing PhD courses and research work, meet the language examination requirements and pass the complex examination by the end of the second academic year supported by the scholarship (the end of the application period).(For students who start the training covered by this instruction in the last year of their undergraduate studies, the requirements for completion and the length of the period of scholarship are to be understood on a pro rata basis.),
  - (b) signing a scholarship agreement setting out the rights and obligations associated with the scholarship; and
  - (c) after graduation, formally enrol as a scholarship holder or as a self-financed student in a PhD programme and complete a doctoral thesis in the remaining two years.
- 4. § The application form must include the following documents:
  - a detailed research plan for the duration of the scholarship (based on a presentation of the results so far), which realistically demonstrates that the time-frame requirements for the PhD course will be met by the end of the scholarship period,
  - a short professional CV, with a list of publications (published / or in Press, or submitted / articles),
  - a statement of support from the former TDK supervisor, PhD supervisor, program leader and leader of the DS,
  - student status certificate for the given semester,
  - a declaration that the information in the application is correct,
  - a declaration of the full acceptance of the application criteria.

5. § (1). Applications should be sent electronically to the PhD and Habilitation Office at phd.habil@aok.pte.hu.

(2) The deadline for submitting applications is the first day of the month preceding the start of the semester.

6. (1) The PhD and Habilitation Office staff will formally check the proposals before the professional evaluation and prepare them for the Doctoral and Habilitation Council. The Council will evaluate the proposals within 30 days of the deadline for submission.

(2) The start date for the payment of the scholarship is the 30th day of the semester, based on the professional assessment of the Council.

(3) The continuous payment of the scholarship is subject to the acceptance by the Doctoral and Habilitation Council of the student's professional report, which is submitted electronically to the PhD and Habilitation Office at the end of each semester.

## Provisions of giving effect to the Order

7. § The present order is valid as of 1 January 2022.

