

# LEGAL BULLETIN

# NICOLAUS COPERNICUS UNIVERSITY IN TORUŃ

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## **ORDER No. 187**

# of the Rector of the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń

of 27 September 2021

on the award to doctoral students of scholarships funded from the resources of the Emerging Fields research teams under the "Initiative of Excellence - Research University" programme

Pursuant to Art. 23.1 of the Act of 20 July 2018 - Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478 as amended) and art. 52.3 of the resolution No. 37 of the Senate of the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń of 16 April 2019 - Statutes of the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń (NCU Legal Bulletin of 2019, item 120 as amended) and art.15.3.9 of the order No. 239 of the NCU Rector of 2 November 2020 - Regulations for the organization and management of the "Excellence Initiative - Research University" programme at the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń (NCU Legal Bulletin of 2020, item 392)

# it is ordered as follows:

## Article 1

The Order lays down the rules and procedure of the award to doctoral students admitted in the ongoing recruitment to doctoral schools run at the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, hereinafter referred to as "the University", doctoral scholarships funded from the resources of the Emerging Fields research teams under the "Excellence Initiative - Research University" programme (IDUB), hereinafter referred to as "scholarships."

#### Article 2

- 1. The number of scholarships in a given academic year shall be determined by the rector at the request of the Chair of the IDUB Coordinating Team, taking into consideration the funds available for scholarships in the IDUB programme for the Emerging Fields research teams.
- 2. The amount of the scholarship shall amount to the basic amount of the doctoral scholarship specified in art. 209.1.1, subject to paragraph 7, of the Act of 20 July 2018 Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478 as amended).

#### Article 3

- 1. The scholarships shall be funded from the resources of the IDUB programme earmarked to the Emerging Fields research teams for scholarships for the best doctoral students.
- 2. Doctoral students who do not receive the doctoral scholarship specified in art. 209 of the Act of 20 July 2018 Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478 as amended) shall be entitled to the doctoral scholarships funded from the resources of the IDUB.

## Article 4

- 1. The decision on the award of the scholarship shall be issued by the rector at the request of a doctoral student.
- 2. An application for the award of the scholarship, approved by the director of the doctoral and the head of the Emerging Fields research team in which the doctoral student conducts research, shall be submitted to the rector by the doctoral student.
- 3. The application template shall be specified in Annex to this Order.
- 4. The scholarship shall be awarded for the duration of education at the doctoral school, but not for longer than 4 years.
- 5. The decision of the rector on the award of the scholarship shall be subject to motion for reconsideration submitted by the doctoral student within 7 days from the date of the delivery of the decision.

#### Article 5

- 1. The scholarship shall be paid monthly by the 5th day of each month pursuant to the decision on the award of the scholarship.
- 2. The first payment of the scholarship shall be made no later than 7 days after the date on which the decision on the award of the scholarship became effective.
- 3. The amount of the scholarship shall be increased after a mid-term evaluation with a positive result, but no less than the amount specified in art. 209.4.2 of the Act of 20 July 2018 Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2021, item 478 as amended).

#### Article 6

The administrative servicing of awarding scholarships shall be provided by the offices of doctoral schools.

# Article 7

- 1. Doctoral students receiving scholarships shall receive additional funds for scientific activities, including mobility, i.e. to cover:
  - a) one internship of 2-3 months in a scientific unit of the other supervisor,
  - b)two internships of maximum two weeks each abroad in the research unit in which the doctoral student will carry out research or develop scientific competences related to the implementation of their project,
  - c) two visits of maximum one-week each by the other supervisor to the University and giving at least one lecture,
  - d) two visits of maximum one-week each by the supervisor to the research unit in which the other supervisor of the doctoral student is employed.
- 2. The decision on awarding the funds referred to in paragraph 1 shall each time be made by the director of the doctoral school based on the application of the doctoral student approved by the head of the Emerging Fields research team and the Chair of the IDUB Coordinating Team.
- 3. The decision referred to in paragraph 2 shall be subject to the motion for reconsideration submitted to the rector by the doctoral student within 7 days from the date of the delivery of the decision.

#### Article 8

The administrative servicing of expenditure on mobility of doctoral students shall be provided by the offices of doctoral schools.

#### Article 9

In the Order No. 239 of the NCU Rector of 2 November 2020 - Regulations for the organization and management of the "Excellence Initiative - Research University" programme at the

Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń (NCU Legal Bulletin of 2020, item 392), art.15.3.9 shall read as follows:

"12) doctoral scholarships financed from the funds of the programme (Order No. 187 of the NCU Rector of 27 September 2021 on the award to doctoral students of scholarships funded from the resources of the Emerging Fields research teams under the "Initiative of Excellence -Research University" programme and Order No.162 of the NCU Rector of 19 August 2020 on the award to doctoral students of scholarships funded from the resources of University Centers of Excellence under the "Initiative of Excellence -Research University" programme);".

# Article 10

- 1. Order No. 161 of the NCU Rector of 19 August 2020 on the award to doctoral students of scholarships funded from the resources of the Emerging Fields research teams under the "Initiative of Excellence Research University" programme (NCU Legal Bulletin of 2020, item 276) shall be repealed.
- 2. The order becomes effective as of 27 September 2021.

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