

A CALL FOR THE POSSIBILITY OF OBTAINING A KORF SCHOLARSHIP for academic year 2023/2024 at Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences, CZU in Prague (FFWS)

Date of announcement: 1 September 2023

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The FFWS Dean announces a call for students studying in the full-time form of doctoral study programmes at FFWS for academic year 2023/24. This call is announced in accordance with Dean's Regulation No. 13/2020 Determining the scholarship amount to students of doctoral study programmes at FFWS (DSP), Article 2, paragraph 5. Students who are currently receiving a Korf scholarship will only be paid until 31 October 2023; in order to be awarded a scholarship for the academic year 2023/24, they must apply again. A student can obtain a Korf scholarship only after enrolling in the second year of PhD studies. In the event of a positive decision by the Dean on the award of this scholarship, the date from which the Korf Scholarship will be paid will be set. In the event that a PhD student ceases to fulfil his/her study duties, the FFWS Dean will withdraw this scholarship from the following month at the request of the Head of Department or Faculty workplace or Vice-dean for S&R.

Mandatory conditions for obtaining a scholarship:

- Demonstration of extraordinary performance and excellent results, or the assumption of achieving these results, in the field of scientific research activities within the study in DSP
- Thorough implementation of the Individual Study Plan
- Thorough keeping of mandatory records of work activities while studying at DSP

The application itself contains mainly the following subchapters:

- Publication activity of the applicant
- Planned publications of the applicant for the year 2024 and planned publications until the end of DSP study
- Previous experience with project activities
- Previous internships abroad and conferences with active participation, including the form of participation
- Description of the applicant's current activities and their current involvement in the activities of the Department/Faculty workplace and Faculty during their DSP studies
- Presentation of visions and other planned extraordinary activities for 2024 and overall activities until the end of study within the scientific-research activities in the DSP

Applications should be submitted electronically via the contact centre at UIS, but no later than 19 September 2023. The application must be signed by the supervisor and the Head of Department (can also be signed electronically). The maximum scope of the application is 3 A4 SP.

The FFWS Dean decides on the award of the Korf scholarship, taking into account the financial possibilities of the Faculty. The decision of the evaluation committee, which will be appointed by the FFWS Dean for the purposes of this call, will contribute to the decision of the FFWS Dean on the award of this scholarship for individual applicants. Each applicant will be informed by e-mail from the S&R about the Dean's decision regarding the award or non-award of the Korf scholarship.

Prague, 1 September 2023

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FFWS Dean