FOUNDATION FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF PANNONIA CALL: SCIENTIFIC STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP 2025/2026 II. Semester

The Foundation for the University of Pannonia announces a tender based on the Mentor Program, Scholarship, and Award Regulation for the students of the University to participate in the scientific students' association scholarship tender for the II. semester of 2025/2026.

Purpose of the Tender

The Scientific Students' Association (TDK) is the broadest and most comprehensive form of talent management in higher education, which serves as the basis for self-education, elite training, and nurturing future scholars. With the scientific students' association scholarship, the Foundation for the University of Pannonia aims to support the students of the University in submitting high-quality works and creations to qualify for scientific students' association conferences. There, they can earn the right to participate in the National Conferences of Scientific Students' Association (OTDK) and present their results to their peers and the foremost experts in their field. The goal of the scholarship is to encourage scientific and artistic student association activities, support talented students, provide substantial financial assistance for further research and career initiation, and encourage applications for doctoral studies.

Eligible Applicants for the Tender

Applications can be submitted by every student of University of Pannonia, participating in full-time, part-time, distance learning undergraduate, master's, and undivided master's programs in higher education, who:

- a) has an active student status during the application period,
- b) agrees to maintain active student status during the scholarship period if awarded,
- c) commits to conducting research activities with the guidance of a supervisor during the scholarship period,
- d) agrees to submit a progress report, signed by their supervisor, to the Foundation's working body by the last day of each month,
- e) agrees to participate in the TDK (ITDK or KTDK) organized by the institution and present their research results.

Ineligibility for Scholarship

Pursuant to Section 5 (5) and (6) of Part III of the Foundation's Regulations on Mentor Programs, Scholarships, and Awards, the following applicants shall not be eligible for the scholarship:

- a) An applicant who receives a scholarship or individual research grant derived wholly or in part from the Hungarian State budget or other sources to support the research undertaken in their research plan during the scholarship period, and who does not relinquish that funding.
- b) Should the scholarship recipient be awarded multiple scholarships for the same period and the same research topic during the scholarship period (e.g., EKÖP, MBH scholarships, etc.), they must choose between the scholarships and may only utilize one.

The scholarship recipient is obligated to immediately inform the Foundation in writing upon the occurrence of this status (i.e., having won multiple scholarships for the scholarship period).

Available Scholarship

During the 2025/2026 academic year's spring semester, **a monthly** scholarship **of 100,000 HUF** can be awarded. The duration of the scholarship period is 3 months (February 1 2025, to April 30 2025).

If the paper submitted by the scholarship recipient is awarded the opportunity at the institutional conference to participate in the OTDK (I-III. place or recommended by the jury for OTDK participation) and the winner also participates in OTDK, they will receive an additional one month's amount of scholarship. The additional one month OTDK scholarship can be received if they participated in the OTDK with their work.

To receive the additional scholarship, the applicant must prove their participation in the OTDK competition, for example: OTDK certificate (with the participant's name on it) or any other document that proves the applicant's participation in the OTDK. This document must be sent to the Foundation via email to suba-bokodi.eva@alapitvany.uni-pannon.hu within 10 days after the OTDK competition.

Tender Submission Timeframe and Channel

The tender documents must be submitted via the Neptun system from 15 October 2025, 00:00 to 15 November 2025, 23:59.

Required Documents

Each document must be written in Times New Roman font, size 12, and signed with a blue ink pen. The following documents are required:

- a) Permission Notice (downloadable form)
- b) Declaration of Conflict of Interest (downloadable form)
- c) Active student status approved by the Directorate of Academic Affairs,
- d) Research plan (downloadable form)
- e) **Supervisor's declaration of support for research** (downloadable form)
- f) Declaration of research plan (downloadable form)

For more information about the documents for this tender, visit: https://uni-pannon.hu/palyazatok "Mentor Program, Ösztöndíj- és Kitüntetési Szabályzat" titled document.

Evaluation of Tenders

The research plan will be reviewed and evaluated by the Faculty Scientific Student Council (KTDT) based on formal and content-related aspects. The KTDT will propose the scholarship-winning works and rank them based on the following evaluation criteria:

- a) Quality and detail of research plan
- b) Novelty of the topic and expected results.

Evaluation Committee Composition

Members of the evaluation committee:

- a) Dr. Péter Bartus, curator, director of operations (Foundation for the University of Pannonia)
- b) Dr. Annamária Sasné Grósz, Associate Professor, Deputy Dean for Education
- c) Dr. Attila Egedy, Associate Professor, President of the ITDT
- d) Laura Kovács, Grant Coordinator
- e) Eszter Mária Varga, Grant Coordinator

Deadline and method of informing applicants of the results of their application

Applicants will be notified of the results of their application via the Neptune system within 45 days of the submission deadline.

Scholarship Suspension and Repayment Obligation

The scholarship will be suspended, and repayment will be sanctioned in the following cases:

- a) The applicant submits false information,
- b) The applicant did not report any changes in the data provided when the application was submitted, or any changes that came to his/her attention after the application was submitted, affecting the legal basis for the payment of the scholarship,
- c) The applicant did not fulfill his/her commitment fully.

Students will be notified of the results of this tender by the 45th day after the end of this tender via the Neptun system.

All communications and inquiries regarding the application must be directed solely to the following email address:

tdkpalyazat@alapitvany.uni-pannon.hu

Rules on Supplementation of Submissions

For applications received up to November 10, 2025, 23:59, any incomplete or formally defective application submitted will be returned for supplementation within the Neptun system. The applicant must resubmit the former (incomplete or formally defective) application through the Neptun system within the original application deadline (no later than November 15, 2025, 23:59). The application shall only be considered as formally submitted after the successful resubmission.

Veszprém, 15 October 2025.

Dr. Zoltán Birkner, sgd. Chairman of the Board of Trustees