

Rules for the provision of targeted support for specific university research for 2021

Article 1

Introductory provisions

- (1) This Dean's Regulation is valid for the Faculty of Forestry and Wood Science (hereinafter FFWS) of the Czech University of Life Sciences in Prague (hereinafter CZU) and sets the manner and rules of the use of targeted support for specific university research through the Internal Grant Agency, FFWS CZU Prague (hereinafter IGA FFWS) 2021.
- (2) This Regulation is prepared especially in accordance with the Rules for the Provision of Targeted Support for Specific University Research pursuant to the Act on Support of Research, Experimental Development and Innovation; Rector's Directive No 9/2019 on Principles of FFWS student grant competition and rules on the use of targeted support for specific university research, and Dean's Regulation No 15/2019 on principles of FFWS student grant competition and rules on the use of targeted support for specific university research.

Article 2

Announcement of IGA FFWS competition 2021

- (1) On 8 August 2021, IGA FFWS 2021 competition (4th round) is announced. The competition rules and deadlines for submitting applications are specified in Article 3 – Tender documentation IGA FFWS 2021.

Article 3

Tender documentation IGA FFWS 2021

Competition schedule

Submission of project proposals:	31 August 2021; 12:00
Announcement of results:	15 September 2021

Competition structure

The competition is intended for members of the research team from among the students of the full-time doctoral study programme of projects supported by IGA FFWS, with the end of the project 31/12/2021 or 31/12/2022. If the applicant is granted support, the budget of the project of which the applicant is the researcher will be increased.

The competition is designed to support the following activities:

- A. long-term foreign internship
- B. active participation in an international conference (oral or poster presentation)
- C. further education and training (special courses, training sessions, workshops, etc.)

Conditions of support

- Activities A, B, and C must take place in 2021; it is also possible to apply for support for activities that already took place in 2021, but for the implementation of which no financial resources were provided by FFWS CZU.
- Applicants can submit one application for each activity (i.e. 1 application in activity A, B, and C)
- The activity must not be supported simultaneously by another project funded from the FFWS budget or other CZU departments.
- The activity must be directly related to the applicant's doctoral dissertation and their IGA FFWS project.
- The length of long-term foreign internship (A) must be at least 30 days in full-time form and may be followed by the continuation of the internship online.
- Within activities B and C, participation is possible both in full-time form and online.

Financial conditions

- The maximum amount of support for A is 35,000 CZK/month; for B and C it is 15,000 CZK/project.

The application shall be submitted in electronic form, signed by the applicant and the supervisor (at least electronically). The application form is attached to this call. The application must be sent, in PDF format, by the main researcher to: iga@fld.czu.cz by 31 August 2021. There is no automatic entitlement to receive support under this call.

Application evaluation

The IGA Committee will evaluate the applications and submit a list of proposed projects for funding to the Dean of FFWS CZU, who will decide on the allocation/non-allocation of funds.

The evaluation will be based on the following criteria:

- Priority will be given to applicants who have not received financial support for similar activities from other FFWS CZU sources.
- Priority will be given to applications submitted in activity A.


Article 4

Final provisions

- (1) Students receiving any form of scholarship are required to keep records of their work in accordance with Dean's Regulation No 6/2018.

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