**Rules of Competition for visiting research scholarship for PhD students and students awarded by the Foundation for the Development of the Medical University of Warsaw**

§1.

 General provisions
1. The aim of the competition is to grant visiting research scholarships for visits in foreign research centers for PhD students and students of the Medical University of Warsaw as part of improving skills and complementing knowledge in the field of new research, therapeutic and diagnostic techniques.
2. Information about the scholarship competition is announced annually on the website of the Foundation for the Development of the Warsaw Medical University by the Foundation's Board, with the procedure and rules of the competition and the amount of the scholarship.
3. Financial resources for scholarships come from the funds of the Foundation for the Development of the Warsaw Medical University.
4. The list of laureates and research/scientific reports of the scholarship holders are published on the Foundation's website.

§2.

 Competition commission
1. The selection of the winners of the competition is made by the Management Board of the Foundation in its entirety after the assessment of the applications submitted.
2. Decisions shall be taken by the ordinary majority of votes.
3. The provisions of the Foundation's Board are final and they are not subject to appeal

§3.

 Competition.

1. The competition is directed exclusively to:
• participants of doctoral studies at the Medical University of Warsaw,
• students of all faculties of the Medical University of Warsaw.

2. To propose candidates to the competition are entitled only:
• Rector of the Medical University of Warsaw,
• for PhD students - Heads of doctoral studies,
• for students - Deans of the relevant faculties of the Medical University of Warsaw.

3. Persons joining the Competition shall submit an application for the scholarship with the required attachments and a declaration of consent for the processing of personal data, in paper and electronic form.
4. The application for the scholarship must contain:
• personal data
• a scientific curriculum vitae, including a list of publications, main research directions, a list of awards received and scientific honors, functions performed in self-government organizations or scientific societies, research projects implemented,
• opinion of a scientific supervisor or promoter of a dissertation,
• indication of a foreign research center where the internship was planned.
5. After receiving a positive decision of the Foundation's Management Board, candidates obtain on their own confirmation from the foreign institution of its willingness to accept them. A candidate who does not submit the required consent within 30 calendar days after obtaining the scholarship, loses the scholarship.
6. Persons who have received a scholarship are required to submit a report, no later than 30 calendar days after returning from the visit (possibly with the opinion of a supervisor or academic tutor).
7. The payment of the scholarship takes place on the basis of an agreement concluded between the Foundation and the Competition Winner.