

Call for Applications for scholarship with a view to foster researches in the field of family business

Operating within the framework of Corvinus Institute of Management, the Corvinus Center for Family Business (hereinafter: CFB) invite applications from doctoral students for the purposes of receiving scholarship provided from its own budget in order to support their research activity in the field of family business as set out below:

1.) The objective of the call is to provide scholarship with a view to support and stimulate researches of outstanding quality in the field of family business conducted by doctoral students.

In the focus of the doctoral research there might be

- a) an individually chosen research topic related to family enterprises' system
OR
- b) the applicants may join the common research project lead by Corvinus Center for Family Business and EBS Universität which aims to elaborate a joint framework system concerning the examination the succession in family businesses.

2.) Conditions for eligibility:

- a) the scholarship can be awarded to doctoral students with active status who
 - a) start their doctoral studies in the academic years 2016/2017 or 2017/2018, with regard to the study period of 8 semesters OR
 - b) started their doctoral studies in the academic year 2015/2016 or before, for the duration of the six semesters training period OR
 - c) are accepted from other higher educational institute for the remaining active terms of the doctoral training as set out in the acceptance decision.
- b) The applicants have to submit the following documents in the framework of the application procedure:
 - a) detailed professional cv,
 - b) motivation letter
 - c) a brief research proposal (the length is limited up to maximum 2 pages in which the applicant summarizes his / her doctoral research topic with regard to family business or provides convincing arguments about the relevance and compatibility of his / her research topic with the family businesses),
 - d) two references from well-known professionals both in English and in Hungarian.
- c) The basic amount of the scholarship is HUF 150.000 Ft per month.
- d) The duration of the scholarship-financed period is determined by the Evaluation Committee but it cannot exceed the period of 24 months.

The condition for submitting an application is an active student status established with Corvinus University of Budapest and within the application material it is indispensable to submit a declaration confirming that the applicant would harmonise his / her research activity with the purposes of the CFB.

3.) The scholarship can be transferred with strict regard to active semesters.

- 4.) The doctoral student will lose the eligibility for scholarship in the following cases:
- a) if his / her student status is ceased ;
 - b) due to the decision of the Evaluation Committee, if the student executes modifications about his / her research topic and consequently it would not be in harmony with the objectives of the CFB,
 - c) on the basis of the decision of the Evaluation Committee, if the doctoral student would not participate in the research activity of CFB in an adequate level.
- 5.) The application material including the attached and properly filled in application form must be submitted electronically to the research fellow of CFB, Attila Wieszt (attila.wieszta@uni-corvinus.hu).
- 6.) The deadline for submission is 31 May 2018.
- 7.) Evaluation procedure:
- a) Applications are assessed by the CFB's Evaluation Committee of which the members are the head of the International Advisory Board of CFB, a member delegated to the Advisory Board by the university and the acting head of the CFB.
 - b) The Evaluation Committee shall take a decision within 15 working days of the submission deadline.

Budapest, 3 April 2018

Application form
(CFB – PhD scholarship)

1. Name of applicant:

2. Applicant's Neptun code:

3. Declarations

3.1. I undertake that I will harmonise my research activity with the purposes of CFB according to the principles set out by the Evaluation Committee.

3.2. I declare that in the current and previous semester

I have not been awarded by any scholarship or grant provided by the university (conference participation fee, translation etc.)

I have been awarded by the scholarship or grant provided by the university as follows:

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I declare that the above statements are valid and truthful.

2018.

Applicant's signature

Attachments:

- a) detailed professional cv,
- b) motivation letter
- c) a brief research proposal (the length is limited up to maximum 2 pages in which the applicant summarizes his / her doctoral research topic with regard to family business or provides convincing arguments about the relevance and compatibility of his / her research topic with the family businesses),
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