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Conditions for awarding Full-degree scholarship

I. Introductory provisions

- (1) The Full-degree scholarship (hereinafter referred to as "Scholarship") is a scholarship according to Article 6a of the VSB-TUO Scholarship Rules (hereinafter referred to as "rules") and can be awarded to fee-paying students who meet the conditions for its award established by the rules and by this order.
- (2) Fee-paying student is a person who pays for his/her studies in a foreign language study program himself/herself and the university does not show him/her in the number of students determining the amount of the state education subsidy.
- (3) In accordance with the rules, Article 6a, Paragraph 4, the Rector sets the amount of the Scholarship and the conditions for its awarding by this order.
- (4) The Scholarship is intended for students of the 1st year of full-time study of bachelor's and follow-up master's study programme in English at VSB – Technical University of Ostrava (hereinafter referred to as "VSB-TUO") who are enrolled in their first study at VSB-TUO in the academic year 2024/2025.
- (5) The student is further referred to as "applicant" for the purposes of this order.

II. Conditions for awarding the Scholarship

- (1) The applicant completes the *Application for Full-degree scholarship*, which is available on the VSB-TUO website <https://www.vsb.cz/en/study/degree-students/full-degree-scholarship>. An integral part of the application is the *Affidavit* stating that the applicant does not receive any other type of regular financial support (government, bilateral, student grant contest and other). The applicant personally delivers the signed Application, including the attachment, to the study office of the relevant faculty.
- (2) The period for submitting applications in the winter term is from the beginning of the winter term, i.e. from 16 September 2024, until 29 November 2024, 12pm (CET) and in the summer term from the beginning of the summer term, i.e. from 17 February 2025, until 30 April 2025, 12pm (CET).
- (3) Criteria:
 - a) the applicant has achieved a minimum of 20 credits at the end of the winter semester examination period with a minimum weighted study average (hereinafter referred to as "WSA") of 80, which will be verified on the basis of results in the EDISON information system;

- b) the applicant has achieved a minimum of 20 credits at the end of the summer semester examination period, i.e. at the time of the study check he/she has reached a minimum of 40 credits for both semesters with the minimum WSA of 80;
- c) the required number of credits and WSA does not include subjects in the state "recognized", except for subjects recognized in the framework of mobility, and the WSA is determined for a given academic year according to the Study and Examination Regulations for study in Bachelor's and Master's Degree Programmes at VSB – Technical University of Ostrava. The same applies to WSA.

(4) The scholarship is paid in three categories:

Category	WSA range	Amount
WSA1	100 – 96	50,000 CZK/semester
WSA2	95,99 – 86	20,000 CZK/semester
WSA3	85,99 – 80	10,000 CZK/semester

- (5) Following the decision of the Rector, decision on the award or non-award of the Scholarship will be delivered to the applicant in person within 30 days from the end of the winter/summer semester examination period.
- (6) The Scholarship amounts to maximum 50,000 CZK/applicant/semester. If the conditions for awarding the Scholarship are met, the applicant will be paid the awarded amount at the earliest date for the payment of the scholarship after the decision on its award comes into force.
- (7) Settled tuition fee is a precondition for the payment of the Scholarship.
- (8) The scholarship will be paid to the applicant to an account at a financial institution operating in the Czech Republic that was entered by the applicant in the EDISON information system.

III. Final provisions

- (1) This order takes effect on the day it is published.



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