



## **CALL FOR PROPOSALS**

The Faculty of Economics and Business invites applications for the academic year **2021/2022 (10 months)** for **MNB (Central Bank of Hungary) Excellence Scholarship** (50.000 HUF/month).

The scholarship is awarded in accordance with the University of Debrecen Student Reimbursement and Benefit Rules and Regulations. The MNB Excellence Scholarship is awarded for full-time students with active student status who are on a public scholarship and/or are self-financed, majoring in BSc Business Administration and Management, International Economics and Business, Finance and Accounting and MSc International Economics and Business, Accounting, Business Development, Management and Organization.

The scholarship is open to students, regardless of nationality, who:

- completed at least two semesters,
- do not receive a Stipendium Hungaricum scholarship,
- have earned at least 54 credits in the last two consecutive active semesters (a derogation may be granted by the Education Department of the MNB upon request of the higher education institution, if, in addition to the student's excellent academic and scientific achievements, there is a justifiable reason for the fewer credits, for example, the student may not be able to obtain the specified number of credits, because of the insufficient number of subjects available for admission due to over-fulfilment of the previous years' syllabus),
- have completed at least 90 % of the total number of credits of the sample curriculum required for the degree program on a pro-rata temporis basis,
- have a credit-weighted grade point average of at least 4.00 in the previous two consecutive active semesters and have completed academic or other professional work in those semesters,
- complete and submit the MNB Privacy Statement with the application,
- agree to attend the Certificate of Excellence Award Conference organized by the MNB.

The application must include:

- Credible evidence of all the activities indicated by the student in his/her application. Uncertified activities will be disregarded in the assessment.
- The completed application form (downloadable from the website)
- The completed "Student Declaration" (downloadable from the website, please fill in page 1 only).

Assessment of applications

- The applications received will be evaluated and ranked by the Faculty Committee on Studies.
- When evaluating the applications received, the higher education institution takes into account 50% of the academic performance, 40% of the academic activity (publication, scientific student research project, participation in international and national competitions and special colleges) and 10% of their public and community activity.
- The higher education institution may decide, at its discretion, to waive the academic and public activities if the student's academic performance is outstanding and does not exclude any other scholarship holder.
- The higher education institution will evaluate the scholarship applications on the basis of the criteria sent by the MNB. The received and evaluated applications will be sent to the MNB for approval, which will notify the supported higher education institution within 10 days of receipt of the application of its request for modification, which the supported higher education



institution is obliged to take into account, and if the MNB does not make any comments within this period, the order of evaluation of the application will be accepted.

- The proportion of international students who have been awarded the scholarship of excellence at the higher education institution must not exceed the proportion of international students studying in the relevant courses at the university.
- A student who has been awarded the scholarship cannot be excluded from the National Scholarship for Higher Education and the student grant.
- If the student who has been awarded the grant finishes his/her studies at the end of the first semester of the academic year, after a successful admission procedure, he/she is still entitled to the scholarship if he/she continues his/her studies in the following semester in a degree program supported by the Scholarship program at the same higher education institution, If the student continues his/her studies at another higher education institution in the degree program supported by the Scholarship program, he/she will only be eligible to participate in the Scholarship program if the new higher education institution has a scholarship place available and accepts the student's application. In all cases of institution change, the student is obliged to notify the new institution of his/her participation in the scholarship program.
- If the student's legal status is terminated or suspended, he/she will not receive the scholarship payment any longer.

Applications should be submitted in punched pockets (genotherm):

- drop it in the Registrar's Office mailbox at the reception of Veres Péter Kollégium (Student Hostel), or
- send it by post: DE Faculty of Economics and Business Registrars Department, 4002 Debrecen, Pf. 400.

**Deadline of submission: 4 October 2021 (Monday) 12.00**

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