

# REGULATION for Organizing the Admission to the Doctoral Studies Academic year 2023/2024

# **CONTENTS OF THE CANDIDATE'S APPLICATION FILE**

### 1. For Romanian and EU citizens

Applications will be uploaded at https://admitereonline.uvt.ro

Application form (signed by candidate and PhD supervisor) Copy of birth centificate Copy of marriage certificate (if applicable) Copy of identity card Copy of baccalaureate diploma Copy of Bachelor diploma and transcript of records Copy of Master diploma and transcript of records Copy of Master diploma and transcript of records Certificate of language proficiency (B2 level) or equivalent document Curriculum vitae Documents required by the Doctoral school (e.g. research project)

## 2. For non-EU citizens

Applications will be uploaded at https://admiterenonue.uvt.ro Application form for the Letter of acceptance Certified translated copies of baccalaureate diploma, Bachelor diploma, Master diploma and transcripts of records Certified translated copy of birth certificate Certified translated copy of marriage certificate (if applicable) Copy of passport (valid at least 6 months after the Letter of acceptance is issued) Medical certificate (in Romanian or an international language) Copy of document proving candidate's residence abroad Certificate of completion of the Preparatory year of Romanian language or certificate of language proficiency (B2 level) Personal data form Curriculum vitae Documents required by the Doctoral school (e.g. research project) Proof of application fee payment (75 Euros to be paid as follows):

**Beneficiary**: Universitatea de Vest din Timișoara (West University of Timisoara) Address: Bv. Vasile Pârvan, no. 4, Timișoara Bank name: Banca Comercială Română (Romanian Commercial Bank)



Bank address: Sucursala Timișoara (Timisoara Branch), no. 11, Calea Aradului St. IBAN: RO56RNCB0249049294710008 SWIFT: RNCB RO BU Fee: 75 Euro

# **ADMISSION CALENDAR**

Application: 1 August – 12 September 2023
Admission exam: 14-15 September 2023
Preliminary results: 15 September 2023
Inquiries: 16 September 2023
Solving inquiries: 18 September 2023, 12:00
Confirmation of results: 19 September 2023, 4:00 PM



### FIȘĂ DE ÎNSCRIERE/ REGISTRATION FORM ADMITERE DOCTORAT SEPTEMBRIE 2022/ ADMITERE DOCTORAT SEPTEMBRIE 2022 cetățeni români, UE și SEE/ Romanian, EU and EEA citizens

DATE PERSONAL	E/ PERSONAL DETAILS	š:											
C.N.P./ ID													
NUMELE DE FAMILIE DIN CERTIFICATUL DE NAȘTERE/ FAMILY NAME FROM BIRTH CERTIFICATE									<u> </u>	<u> </u>			<u>I</u>
PRENUMELE/ FIRS	T NAME												
PRENUMELE TAT.	ĂLUI/ FATHER'S FIRST	NAME											
PRENUMELE MAN	MEI/ MOTHER'S FIRST N	AME											
DATA NAȘTERII/	DATE OF BIRTH												
Anul/Year	Luna/ Month Ziua / Day		Tara de origine/Country of origin			Jı	Județul / Country L			Localitatea/ City			
STAREA CIVILĂ/	Căsătorit/ Married												
MARITAL STATUS	Necăsătorit/ Single												
	Divorțat(ă)/Văduv(ă)	/ Divorced/Widowed											
CETĂȚENIA / CITIZENSHIP	Română, cu domiciliu în România/străinătate Romanian, with residence in Romania/ with residence abroad												
	Alte cetățenii / Other c	itizenships											
	Cetățenie anterioară, Previous citizenship, if ap	dacă este cazul plicable											
ETNIA/ NATIONALITY													
	Ţara/ Country												
DOMICILIUL STABIL /	Județul/ Country												
PERMANENT	Orașul / Comuna / Sa City/ Town/ Vilage	ıtul											
RESIDENCE	Adresa (stradă, numă apartament,sector) / A block, staircase, floor, apa	Address (street, number,											



	CI / Paşaport	/ ID/ Passport		
ACTUL DE IDENTITATE/	Seria / Series			
PAŞAPORT	Numărul/ Nur	nber		
IDENTITY CARD/	Eliberat/ Issue	ed on		
PASSPORT	Data eliberăr	ii / Date of release		
	Perioada de v	valabilitate/ Validity period		
DATE DE	telefon/phone			
CONTACT/	adresă e-mail	/ e-mail adress		
CONTACT INFORMATION				
CANDIDAT CARE SE ÎNCADREAZĂ ÎN CATEGORIA PERSOANELOR CU DIZABILITĂȚI . CANDIDATE FALLING IN THE CATEGORY OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES	aflate în acea	umai de către persoanele stă situație, pe baza de 'ick only by persons in this on documents		
DATE PRIVIND PI	REGĂTIREA	ANTERIOARĂ A CANDI	DATULUI /	
DETAILS REGARDING	G CANDIDATE'S	<b>EDUCATION</b>		
		Ţara / Country		
		Localitatea / City		
		Județul/ Country		
STUDIILE DE LICE ABSOLVITE	ÊNŢĂ	Denumirea instituției de în Name of the higher education inst	vățământ superior	
BACHELOR'S DEGREE	3	Facultatea / Faculty		
		Domeniul/Profilul Field/Profile		
		Programul de studii / Speci Studies program / Specializat		
		Titlul obținut/ Title awarded	1011	
		Forma de învățământ (ZI/F Form of education (Full-time/Part		
		Form of study funding (budget/tu	lor (buget/taxa)	
		Durata studiilor(număr de		
		semestre,după caz) Study duration (number of years of	or number of semesters, as	
		appropriate) Anul absolvirii / Graduation	year	



		1
STUDIILE DE MASTERAT	Denumirea instituției de învățământ superior/	
ABSOLVITE	Name of the higher education institution	
MASTER'S DEGREE	Facultatea / Faculty	
	Domeniul/Profilul Field/Profile	
	Programul de studii/Specializarea	
	Studies program/Specialization	
	Titlul obținut/ Title awarded	
	Titlul Obținul/ Title awarded	
	Forma de învățământ (ZI/FR/ID/Seral)	
	Form of education (Full-time/Part-time)	
	Forma de finanțare a studiilor (buget/taxa)	
	Form of study funding (budget/tuition fee)	
	Durata studiilor(număr de ani sau număr de	
	semestre, după caz)	
	Study duration (number of years or number of semesters, as	
	appropriate)	
	Anul absolvirii / Graduation year	
	Denumirea instituției de învățământ superior/	
	Name of the higher education institution	
	Facultatea / Faculty	
STUDIILE DE DOCTORAT	Denumirea instituției de învățământ superior/	
ABSOLVITE	Name of the higher education institution	
PhD TITLE	Facultatea / Faculty	
	Domeniul/Profilul / Field/Profile	
	Programul de studii/Specializarea	
	Studies program/Specialization	
	Titlul obținut/ Title awarded	
	Forma de învățământ (ZI/FR/ID/Seral)	
	Form of education (Full-time/Part-time)	
	Forma de finanțare a studiilor (buget/taxa)	
	Form of study funding (budget/tuition fee)	
	Durata studiilor(număr de ani sau număr de	
	semestre, după caz)	
	Study duration (number of years or number of semesters, as appropriate)	
	Anul absolvirii / Graduation year	
	Denumirea instituției de învățământ superior/	
	Name of the higher education institution	
	Facultatea / Faculty	

OPȚIUNEA CANDIDATULU	/ CANDIDATE'S OPTION	
OPȚIUNEA CANDIDATULUI/	Domeniul fundamental / Fundamental field	
CANDIDATE'S OPTION	Domeniul de doctorat Doctoral field	
	Conducător de doctorat PhD supervisor	



FORMA DE ÎNVĂȚĂMÂNT /	Cu frecvență (IF)	
	with frequency	
EDUCATIONAL FORM		
FORMA DE FINANȚARE /	Buget – cu bursă	
	Tuition free student with scholarshipe	
FORM OF FUNDING	Buget – fără bursă	
	Tuition free student without scholarshipe	
	Тахă	
	Tuition fee student	
DOCTORAT ÎN COTUTELĂ /	Națională/ National	
JOINT DEGREE PROGRAMME	Internațională / International	
	Interdisciplinară/ Interdisciplinary	
	Profesorul coordonator în cotutelă /	
	Co-ordinating teacher	
	Coordonator de doctorat în cadrul	
	IOSUD – UVT PhD coordinator within IDS– WUT	
	Domeniul de doctorat/ Doctoral field	
	Domeniui de doctoral/ Doctoral heid	
TEMA DE DOCTORAT CU		
CARE SE ÎNSCRIE LA		
ADMITERE/		
ADMITERE/		
DOCTORAL TOPIC SUBMITTED FOR		
ADMISSION		
LIMBI STRĂINE		
CUNOSCUTE /		
SPOKEN FOREIGN LANGUAGES		
DECLARAȚIE / DECLARATION	Subsemnatul, declar că am înțeles semnificația	tuturor datelor solicitate în această fișă.
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	Ma obig sa anun, once modificare in ceea ce	privește datele declarate.
	I, the undersigned, declare that I have understood the sign	ificance of all the data requested in this file.
	I undertake to announce any changes to the declared data.	
	Deta/D /	Committee and 1-4-1-:
	Data/Date,	Semnătura candidatului, Candidate's signature
		Cunarant o signature





# FIŞA CU DATELE PERSONALE/PERSONAL DATA FORM

Nume/Surname:
Prenume/First name:
Țara de proveniență/ <i>Country of origin</i> :
Telefon/ <i>Phone no</i> .:
E-mail:
Adresa de domiciliu (stabil)/ <i>Permanent residence</i> :
Adresa de domiciliu (de rezidență)/ <i>Temporary residence</i> :
Domeniul de doctorat pentru care optați/Doctoral field chosen
Acordul coordonatorului de doctorat/ <i>PhD Supervisor's approval</i>



# ANEXA 6/ Annex 6

MINISTERUL EDUCATIEI NAȚIONALE	Foto 3/4
MINISTRY OF NATIONAL EDUCATION MINISTÈRE DE L'ÉDUCATION NATIONALE	
DIRECȚIA GENERALĂ RELAȚII INTERNAȚIONALE ȘI AFACERI EUROPENE	
GENERAL DIRECTION FOR INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS AND EUROPEAN AFFAIRS	
DIRECTION GÉNÉRALE DES RELATIONS INTERNATIONALES ET DES AFFAIRES EUROPÉENNES	
28-30 G-ral Berthelot Street/12 Spiru Haret Street, 010168, Bucharest	
Tel. (+4021) 4056200; 4056300	
CERERE PENTRU ELIBERAREA SCRISORII DE ACCEPTARE LA STUDII	
APPLICATION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE TO STUDIES DEMANDE D'APPLICATION POUR LA LETTRE D'ACCEPTATION AUX ÉTUDES	
(Se completeaza cu majuscule/ to be filled in with capital letters/ à completer en majuscules	)
1.NUMELE PRENUMELE	
I.NUMELEPRENUMELE (SURNAME/NOMS) (GIVEN NAMES/PRENOMS)	
2. NUMELE PURTATE ANTERIOR	
(PREVIOUSSURNAMES/NOMS ANTERIEURS)	
3. LOCUL SI DATA NASTERII Tara Localitatea Data	
(DATE AND PLACE OF BIRTH/ (COUNTRY/PAYS) (PLACE/LIEU) (DATE/DATE) ZZ	ZLLAAAA
DATE ET LIEU DE NAISSANCE ( D D M M Y Y Y Y )	
4. PRENUMELE PĂRINȚILOR	
5. SEXUL (SEX/SEXE): M F	
6. STAREA CIVILĂ : CĂSĂTORIT(Ă) NECĂSĂTORIT(Ă) DIVORȚAT (Ă) VĂDUV	/(Ă)
(CIVIL STATUS/ETAT CIVIL) (MARRIED/MARIE) (SINGLE/CELIBATAIRE) (DIVORCED/DIVORCE) WIDOWER)/V	EUV(VEUFE))
7.CETĂȚENIA (CETĂȚENIILE) ACTUALE CETĂȚENII ANTERIOARE	
7.CETĂŢENIA (CETĂŢENIILE) ACTUALE       CETĂŢENII ANTERIOARE         (ACTUAL CITIZENSHIP(S)NATIONALITE(S) ACTUELE(S))       (PREVIOUS CITIZENSHIPS/NATIONALITES A	NTERIEURES)
8. DOCUMENT DE CĂLĂTORIE : TIPUL     SERIE     NR.       (TRAVEL DOCUMENT/DOCUMENT DE VOYAGE) (TYPE/TYPE)     (SERIE/SERIE)     (NO/NO)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
ELIBERAT DE ȚARA:LA DATA VALABILITATE	
(COUNTRY ISSUED BY/ EMIS PAR PAYS) (DATE OF ISSUE/A) ZZ/LL/AAAA(VALADITY/I	EXPIRANT LE)
9. DOMICILIUL PERMANENT ACTUAL : TARA LOCALITATEA	
(PERMANENT RESICENCE/DOMICILE (COUNTRY/PAYS) (PLACE/LOCALITE) PERMANENT ACTUEL)	
10. PROFESIALOCUL DE MUNCĂ       (PROFESSION/PROFESSION)       (WORK PLACE/ LIEU DE TRAVAIL)	
11. ADRESA COMPLETĂ UNDE POATE FI TRIMISĂ SCRISOAREA DE ACCEPTARE	
(THE COMPLETE ADDRESS WHERE THE LETTER OF ACCEPTANCE CAN BE SENT TO YOU / L'ADRESSE COMPLI	ÈTE OÙ ON
PEUT ENVOYER LA LETTRE D'ACCEPTATION)	
12. EMAIL/ COURRIEL:	
13. MOTIVAȚIA DEPLASĂRII ÎN ROMÂNIA (PURPOSE OF VISIT/BUT DE SEJOUR) STUDII (STUDIES / ÉTU	JDES)



# I. Previous education/Études précédentes(Fill in all columns which are applicable to you/ Remplez toutes les colomnes qui vous concernent)

vous concernent	)		
Certificate issued/ Certificat reçu	Country/ Pays	Name of School/ Nom du Lycée/université	Year of admission/ Year of graduation Année dadmission/Année dobtention du diplôme

#### II. Studies applied for in Romania / Option d'études en Roumanie

Studies applied in Romania	Branch /Speciality	High School/University	Language of	I apply for the Romanian	
			instruction	language course (	For YES you
Option d'études en Roumanie	Domaine /Spécialité	Lycée / Université		have to mention t	he University)
-	_	-	Langue		
			d'enseignement	Je désire suivre le	cours
			5	préparatoire de la	ingue Roumaine
				(Pour OUI il faut	
				l'Université)	
				YES / OUI	NO / NON
Secondary, in the grade					
Pré-universitaire, classe					
Undergraduate					
Universitaire					
Master					
Postgraduate medical					
education/					
Etudes médicales					
posuniversitaires					
Ph.D. Doctorat					

#### III. Proficiency in other languages (please, fill in as appropriate: excellent, good, poor)

#### Langues connues (rempli: excellent, bonne, faible)

Language Langue	Writing Écrit	Speaking Parlée	Institution that issued the certificate Institution qui a émis le certificat
Romanian			<b>I I</b>
		-	

IV. Statement of the applicant / Déclaration du solliciteur

I oblige myself to observe the laws in force in Romania, the school and university rules, regulations and norms, as well as those for social life. / Je suis obligé de respecter les lois en vigueur en Roumanie, les normes et les réglementations des écoles et des universités, ainsi que les règles de cohabitation sociale.

I have taken note of the fact that school fees may change during the years of study and mustbe payed, in free currency, in advance for a period of at least 9 months for full time courses and at least 3 months for part time courses. / J'ai pris note que la valeur des taxes d'études peut être changée pendant l'année d'études et qu'il faut les payer, en devise étrangère, 9 mois en avance pour les cours complets et 3 mois en avance pour les cours partiels.

I am aware that any untrue information will lead to my disqualification. / Je comprends et j'accepte que toute information incorrecte ou fausse, toute omission vont entraîner ma disqualification.

V. Annex (authenticated copies and translations of the documents, in aninternationally wide-spread language)

Annexes (photocopies et traductions légalisées des documents, dans une langue de circulation internationale)

1. The certificate of studies / Les certificats des études.

2. The birth certificate / L'acte de naissance.

3. Passport / Passeport

4. Medical certificate / Certificat médical.

5. The list of results of the completed study years (Academic Transcripts) for postgraduate studies applicants and for those wishing to continue studies begun in other countries / La liste complète des résultats des études pour chaque année, pour les solliciteurs des études postuniversitaires et pour les étudiants qui désirent se transférer d'un autre pays.

On my arrival in Romania I should submit the original documents.

À mon arrivée en Roumanie je vais présenter tous les documents en original.

Date\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Se aprobă,/ Approved Director Școala Doctorală/Doctoral School Director



.....

(Semnătura/Signature)

#### **PROCES VERBAL/REPORT**

încheiat astăzi/completed today.....

cu ocazia admiterii la doctorat, sesiunea septembrie 2022/during the admission to doctoral studies, September 2022

Subsemnații/ The undersigned, ..... - președinte/chair

Şi/and .....

..... – membrii comisiei/members of the examining board, am constatat următoarele/ have reached the following decision:

Pentru domeniul/*In the field of.....s-a* înscris candidata / candidatul/ we received the application of the candidate :

.....

În urma susținerii probelor de specialitate comisia hotărăște/After the presentation of their project proposal, the examining board decides :

Numele ş: prenumele/Name and surname	Calitatea/Position	Nota 1*/Mark 1	Nota 2*/Mark 2	Nota finală*/Final Mark	Semnătura / Signature
	Președinte/Chair				
	Membru/Member				
	Membru/Member				

\* se acordă note de la 1 la 10/ marks from 1 to 10

Se declară admis/respins / The board admits/rejects the application as follows

◊ cu media.....la forma de doctorat cu frecvență/ *with the average mark, full-time studies*:

- □ cu finanțare de la bugetul de stat **cu bursă**/ *tuition free student, with scholarship* 
  - cu finanțare de la bugetul de stat fără bursă/tuition free student, without scholarship
- □ cu taxă/*tuition-fee student*
- român de pretutindeni/ethnic Romanian
- străin CPV/CPL/EU/EU-third country tuition-fee student
- bursier UVT/UVT scholarship

Observații/Observations:

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.....

#### PREŞEDINTE/CHAIR,

(Semnătura/Signature)

Rubrică rezervată Biroului de Studii Doctorale This co	lumn is reserved to the Doctoral Studies (	Office	
Decizia Rectorului Universității de Vest nr./	din	<u></u>	
Candidatul se înmatriculează la doctorat în anul I de st	pe un loc		
RECTOR,			
Prof univ dr. Marilen Gabriel PIRTEA			

.....



APROBAT de Consiliul Școlii Doctorale Finanțare: în şedința din

 $\Box$  de la buget cu bursă;

□ de la buget fără bursă;

🗆 cu taxă

(tuition freewith scholarship, without scholarship /tuition fee paying)

DIRECTOR ȘCOALĂ DOCTORALĂ,

Forma de învățământ:

..... (semnătura)

□ cu frecvență (*full-time*)

# PLANUL STUDIILOR UNIVERSITARE DE DOCTORAT

Anexă la Contractul de studii universitare de doctorat

## (INDIVIDUAL CURRICULUM)

(Annex to the Contract of doctoral studies)

Numele și prenumele studentului-doctorand (The Ph.D. student name):

Data înmatriculării la doctorat (Enrollment date): 01.10.2023

Conducător de doctorat (Scientific supervisor):

Domeniul de doctorat (Field):

 Şcoala doctorală (Doctoral School)

Cotutelă (Joint supervision)

Titlul propus pentru teza de doctorat (*Proposed topic of the doctoral thesis*):

Limba în care se redactează teza de doctorat (*The language of the doctoral thesis*):

PROGRAMUL DE PREGĂTIRE BAZAT PE STUDII UNIVERSITARE AVANSATE: (Advanced training programme)



Denumirea disciplinei (Scheduled doctoral classes)	Nota obținută (Mark)	Nr. de credite obținute (ECTS)
1. Etică și integritate academică		
2.		
3.		
4.		
Media (overall mark): Total număr de credite: (total ECTS)		

### PROGRAMUL INDIVIDUAL DE CERCETARE ȘTIINȚIFICĂ (Individual research programme)

a) Rapoarte	( <i>Reports</i> ):
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Anul de	Rapoarte *	Intervalul de	Data prezentării
studiu		prezentare estimat	(Effective
(Year of		(Estimated	presentation
study)		presentation range)	date)
Ι			
II			
III			

\* Doctorandul are obligația de a susține cel puțin un raport în fiecare an de studiu, în caz contrar doctorandul fiind pasibil de exmatriculare)

(*Reports, the student being strongly advised to present at least one report every year, otherwise being liable to being expelled*)

f) Proiecte de cercetare științifică la care participă studentul-doctorand:



(Scientific research projects)

g) Programe de mobilități, stagii metodologice, de cercetare internaționale, școli de vară internaționale, mobilități virtuale, granturi de studii de scurtă durată, conferințe internaționale etc. la care participă studentul-doctorand (care pot fi incluse de școlile doctorale între criteriile de evaluare în vederea acordării

unui calificativ peste standardele minimale tezei de doctorat, alături de publicații): (Mobilities, learning international placement or research visits, international summer schools or

international conferences, virtual mobiloties, study grants– to be taken into consideration in the quality assessment of the doctoral thesis, together with the student's publications)



h) Alte activități regulate la care participă doctorandul (conferințe și workshopuri ale doctoranzilor, în IOSUD-UVT sau organizate cu alte universități partenere, seminare și workshopuri în domeniul de studiu sau cu caracter transdisciplinar etc.)

(Other regular activities in which the PhD student is involved - e.g. doctoral conferences and workshops, organized or co-organized by WUT and other partner universities, other seminars in the specific field or with a transdisciplinary character etc.)





Termenul propus pentru susținerea publică a tezei de doctorat:2026(Proposed term for the public defense of the doctoral thesis)

Titlul final al tezei de doctorat (în limba în care a fost redactată teza precum și traducerea lui; după caz: în română și în una din limbile engleză, franceză sau germană) (*The final Topic of the doctoral thesis and its translation; as the case may be, into: Romanian and English, French or German*)

 Data susținerii tezei de doctorat în Comisia de îndrumare

 (Date of the doctoral thesis defense in front of Mentoring Committee)

Data susținerii publice a tezei de doctorat

(Date of the public defense of the doctoral thesis)

Observații privind desfășurarea studiilor universitare de doctorat: (*Remarks regarding the doctoral studies*)

Întreruperea studiilor

(Interruption of doctoral studies)



Prelungirea studiilor
(Extension of doctoral studies)
Data intrării în perioada de grație
(The start of the grace period)
Alte observații
(Other remarks)

NOTĂ: Spațiile marcate prin colorare nu se completează la întocmirea planului.

(Marked spaces are not to be filled in).

Acest plan s-a completat în trei exemplare, câte unul pentru conducătorul de doctorat, studentul-doctorand și Biroul de Studii Doctorale.

(This Individual Curriculum has been signed in 3 copies, one for the supervisor, one for the PhD student, one for the Doctoral Studies Office).

DATA ÎNTOCMIRII PLANULUI (Date of filling in)



SEMNĂTURI:

Conducător de doctorat

Student-doctorand

.....

(Signatures)

(Supervisor)

(PhD student)

.....



ANEXA 10

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### COMPONENȚA COMISIEI DE ÎNDRUMARE/ THE MENTORING COMMITTEE

Subsemnat(a / ul) / *The undersigned* 

conducător de doctorat
și subsemnatul (a) coordinator de doctorat (pentru doctoratul în co-tutelă)/supervisor and co-
suprevisor (for joint PhD degrees)
al studentului-doctorand/ of the PhD student

(Numele și prenumele/Name and surname)

vă rog să aprobați constituirea COMISIEI DE ÎNDRUMARE pentru lucrarea cu titlul/*kindly approve of the MENTORING COMMITTEE which will supervise the thesis entitled* 

.....

Comisia de îndrumare va avea următoarea componență/*The mentoring committee is made up of the following members:* 

1	
<b>±</b> .	

Universitatea/Institutional affiliation:	
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- 2. .....
  - Universitatea/Institutional affiliation: .....
- 3. .....

Universitatea/Institutional affiliation:

Director Școală Doctorală,	Conducător de doctorat,
Doctoral School Director	PhD supervisor
(Numele şi prenumele, semnătura/Name and surname, signature)	(Numele și prenumele, semnătura/Name and surname, signature)



# DOCTORAL PROGRAMME LEARNING AGREEMENT

no. \_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_

1. **The West University of Timişoara**, Institution Organizing Doctoral Studies (IODS – WUT), with its headquarters in 4 Vasile Pârvan Blv., tax code no. 4250670, legally represented by Professor Marilen Gabriel Pirtea, Ph.D, as Rector in its capacity of PROVIDER and

2.	Name And Surname:	
	Address:	
I	Personal Identification Document (type, number, series):	
Ι	ssued on, by	-
ł	Personal Identification Number:	
]	Felephone:	
F	E-mail:	as a DOCTORAL DIRECTOR
with	in the Doctoral School of	, on the one hand and
3.	Name and Surname:	
	Address:	
I	Personal Identification Document (type, number, series):	
Ι	ssued on, by	-
I	Personal Identification Number:	
]	Felephone:	
I	E-mail:	, as a Ph.D STUDENT, on the other hand,
ente	er this agreement for the above-mentioned Ph.D programme.	

### Article 1. The object of the agreement

1.1. The object of this agreement is to carry out activities specific to the Ph.D studies programme in the fundamental domain of \_\_\_\_\_\_, field \_\_\_\_\_\_



1.2. The Ph.D programme takes place within the doctoral school of _		,
under the coordination of	,	doctoral
supervisor and under the coordination of	,	doctoral
supervisor (in the case of joint doctorate) and has two parts:		

a) *The training Programme*, based on advanced academic studies, which consists of attending the courses with a period of 12 weeks of the academic year 2023/2024 within the Doctoral School of \_\_\_\_\_

b) *The individual programme of scientific research/artistic creation*, which consists of writing the Ph.D thesis with the next research topic:

1.3. The language in which the Ph.D thesis is written is \_\_\_\_\_\_ and the language in which the Ph.D thesis is defended is \_\_\_\_\_\_.

### Article 2. The validity of the agreement

2.1. This learning agreement shall be valid for three years. In this case, the deadline for the Ph.D thesis is <u>30<sup>th</sup> September 2026</u>.

2.2. In accordance with the Doctoral School Regulations, on just and proper grounds, at the proposal of the doctoral director, the duration of the programme can be extended up to 1-2 years, with the approval of WUT Senate. The extension is available only for the fee-paying students.

2.3. In accordance with the Doctoral School Regulations, on just and proper grounds, the duration of the Ph.D programme may be interrupted. The duration of the programme is extended by cumulative periods of interruption approved by West University of Timişoara Senate, but no more than 2 years.

2.4. The extension provided for in the paragraph 2.2., accordingly, the interruption provided for in the paragraph 2.3. shall be the subject of the amendments to this studies agreement.

2.5. If the Ph.D student fails to complete his/her Ph.D thesis within the set deadline at the paragraph 2.1. and within the eventual amendments, the student still has a period of grace of maximum 2 years in order to complete and defend his/her Ph.D thesis, exceeding this deadline leading to expulsion.

2.6. During the period of grace provided for at the paragraph 2.5., the Ph.D student can't benefit from the doctoral scholarship awarded from funded doctoral grants by the Ministry of Education.

### Article 3. The financial terms of the agreement

3.1. The Ph.D student is registered in a full-time education system:

- $\Box$  tuition-free, with scholarship
- $\Box$  tuition-free, without scholarship
- $\Box$  tuition fee paying
- □ ethnic Romanians
- □ ethnic Roma
- □ EU and EU third country tuition fee paying
- □ UVT scholarship

3.2. The tuition fee for the academic year 2023/2024 is \_\_\_\_\_\_ lei/ Euro.

The tuition fee is established annually by the West University of Timişoara Senate.



3.3. If applicable, the tuition fee will be paid as follows: 10% when signing the agreement, the first instalment 45% of the tuition fee will be paid by the  $30^{th}$  November 2023; the second instalment, representing 45% of the tuition fee will be paid by  $31^{st}$  March 2024.

3.4. If the Ph.D student pays the entire fee by 31st October 2023, he/she shall be granted by a 10% discount.

3.5. If the Ph.D student fails to pay the tuition fee in due time, he/she will have to pay 100 lei late penalties or fractions of month;

3.6. The university reserves the rights to recalculate the tuition fee in case the exchange rate increases more than 20%.

3.7. If the student is admitted on a tuition fee place, he/she will pay a doctoral thesis fee set annually by the WUT Senate.

3.8.The tuition fee for EU third country students is settled by the Letter of Acceptance issued by the Ministry of Education. This fee is paid fully, in advance, in the amount specified by the Letter of Acceptance. The EU third country tuition fee paying students are expected to pay this fee, fully, in advance, every year for the duration of their studies.

#### Article 4. The IODS-WUT's and Doctoral School's rights and liabilities

4.1. The IODS's and Doctoral School's rights of \_\_\_\_\_ are the following:

a) to set the attendance requirements for the Ph.D students;

b) to check if the academic, professional and scientific ethics are respected;

c) to check if the deontological provisions during the scientific research are respected;

d) to observe if the deontological provisions during the process of writing the Ph.D thesis are respected;

e) to take action in order to prevent and penalize deviations from scientific ethics, professional and academic standards.

4.2. IODS-WUT and Doctoral School liabilities are:

a) it shall upload on the internet the next necessary information concerning the doctoral studies programme: the Doctoral School regulations; how the Ph.D programme is organized and carried out; the content of the doctoral studies programme; how the studies and the costs incurred by the Ph.D students are financed; the Ph.D supervisor and the Ph.D students mentored by the Ph.D supervisor, information concerning the Ph.D thesis to be defended publicly; the addresses where the completed Ph.D theses can be accessed and that are published on a site owned by the Ministry of Education;

b) it shall inform the Ph.D student concerning the academic, professional and scientific ethic;

c) it shall ensure the conditions for exercising the Ph.D student's rights, in accordance with the legislation in force;



d) it shall organize regular seminars and scientific communication sessions for the Ph.D thesis;

e) it shall provide the necessary resources for the research projects in which the Ph.D student is involved.

### Article 5. The doctoral supervisor's rights and liabilities:

5.1. The doctoral director has the following rights:

a) to supervise and evaluate the activity of the Ph.D student within the doctoral studies programme, according to the academic and professional autonomy, following the Ph.D studies programme requirements and the professional interests;

b) to determine the members of the supervising committee after consulting the Ph.D student;

c) to propose the members of the doctoral committee;

d) to deny the supervising of a Ph.D student if he/she is implied in a conflict of interests against his/her will;

e) to ask the Doctoral School Council to finish the mentoring relationship with the Ph.D student;

f) to decide on the study elements within the preparation programme based on advanced academic studies to which the Ph.D student has to attend;

g) to establish the structure, the content, the organization and the carrying out of the Ph.D student scientific research programme and the deadlines for the activities included in the Doctoral Studies Plan.

5.2. The Doctoral Director has the following liabilities:

a) to provide the Ph.D student's deontological, professional and scientific mentoring;

b) to provide proper conditions and to boost the progress of the Ph.D student during the research;

c) to monitor and evaluate the PhD student objectively and rigourously;

d) to enable the PhD student to be part in research grants;

e) to support the student's mobility;

f) to publish together with the PhD student with WUT institutional affiliation;

g) to avoid the conflict of interests when mentoring the Ph.D student.

### Art. 6. The rights and obligations of the student – Ph.D student

6.1. The Ph.D student has the following rights:

a) to benefit from the support, guidance and coordination of the doctoral director, as well as of the guidance committee;

b) to attend in the seminars and workshop meetings of the research and development staff within IODS -

WUT when relevant topics for doctoral studies programme are being discussed;

c) to be represented at the decision-making bodies of the Doctoral School;

d) to benefit from the logistics, documentation centers, libraries and equipment of the Doctoral School and of IODS - WUT for the elaboration of the research project and of the Ph.D thesis;

e) to enroll in the courses and seminars organized by the Doctoral School;

f) to work together with teams of researchers from IODS - WUT or from research - development units that have concluded agreements or institutional partnerships with IODS - WUT;

g) to participate in international mobilities, learning, placement or research visits, virtual mobilities, international conferences and summer schools, study grants etc. This activity will be correlated for the final assessment of the PhD student's activitu, alongside the publications, in view of the public defense of the thesis;

h) to benefit from institutional support to participate in scientific conferences or congresses, workshops, summer or winter schools and national and/or international seminars in the field of specialization in which he / she has chosen his/her Ph.D thesis;



i) to participate in the scientific communication sessions organized by the Doctoral School and / or IODS - WUT;

j) to be informed about the curriculum of doctoral studies within the Doctoral School;

k) to request, on the basis of a motivated claim, the change of the doctoral coordinator or of the title of the paper.

6.2. The Ph.D student has the following obligations:

a) to know and respect the provisions of the Institutional Regulation regarding the organization and development of doctoral studies in WUT and of the Regulation of the Doctoral School of \_\_\_\_\_\_

b) to respect the schedule established together with the Ph.D supervisor taking part directly and regularly in the activities;

c) to fulfill his/her obligations to support the works and to present the research results;

d) to present monthly activity reports to the Ph.D supervisor and the guidance committee;

e) to publish under WUT affiliation during the doctoral studies programme;

f) to carry out regular activities related to the training program based on advanced university studies and the scientific research program established by the Ph.D supervisor;

g) to respect the institutional discipline;

h) according to Government's Decree no. 681/2011, Art. 71 (2) letter c) the student also has the obligation "to be in permanent touch with the Ph.D supervisor".

### Art. 7. The teaching and research activities of the Ph.D student

7.1. During the doctoral studies, the Ph.D student undertakes to carry out 4-6 conventional hours/week of teaching/institutional research activities, depending on the function of the teaching departments/research activities of the Research Centers within the West University of Timişoara, based on discussions with the doctoral director.

7.2. The didactic activities provided in point 7.1. will be carried out every academic year during the doctoral study program, for the entire duration of this agreement, without being remunerated by IODS - UVT.

7.3. The teaching activities provided by the Ph.D student in each academic year, during the present agreement, can be remunerated in "hourly payment" regime, within the faculty/department in which they are carried out, only after exceeding the limit of 168 conventional hours, according to the Law of National Education no. 1/2011, art. 164, para. (3) (6 conventional hours/week x 28 weeks corresponding to an academic year).

7.4. The teaching activities provided in point 7.1. and 7.3. are established by the Director of the department that manages the study program at which the classes are provided, after onsultation with the PhD supervisor and with the approval of the dean of the faculty. The research activities provided for in 7.1 are established by the Director of the Doctoral School, in collaboration with the Director of the Research Center and the Ph.D supervisor.

7.5. During the doctoral studies, the Ph.D student undertakes to carry out scientific research activities by participating in the scientific projects established by the Ph.D supervisor.

7.6. The PhD student in a joint degree programme, including those of the UNITA Universitas Montium allaince, in accordance with the European legislation, will disseminate the results of their research in Open Access publications, and, in accordance with national and WUT standards, in view of their thesis



being accepted for public defense, will provide evidence of the publication of articles relevant for the WUT visibility in international rankings.

7.7. The structure, content, organization and development of the Ph.D student's scientific research program are established by the doctoral director based on discussions with the Ph.D student.

7.8. The teaching and / or research activities of the Ph.D student are included in the activity sheet, prepared monthly by the Ph.D student and endorsed by the doctoral director.

7.9. The protection of intellectual property rights over the Ph.D thesis is ensured in accordance with the provisions of the law.

7.10. The capitalization of the copyright and/or of the intellectual property rights over the original product or creation made within the doctoral university study program is made in accordance with the provisions of the law.

7.11. The doctoral studies are completed with the defense of the Ph.D thesis that must satisfy the scientific and publication conditions provided by the Order of the Minister of National Education no. 5.110 / 2018 regarding the approval of the minimum standards for granting the doctoral degree, Appendix 1 and the Regulations of the Doctoral School of \_\_\_\_\_\_ at the time of enrollment in studies (respectively at the signing of the study agreement), in accordance with the law.

7.12. The name and surname of the Ph.D student, but also of the doctoral supervisor are mandatory, implicit elements of the Ph.D thesis. The publication of the Ph.D thesis, according to the legal requirements, is done both with the name and surname of the Ph.D student, but also of the doctoral supervisor.

7.13. The printed thesis can be consulted at BCUT at least 20 days before the date set for the public defense. The thesis remains public at the university library. According to the Doctoral Studies Code (art. 66. 4), if the PhD student does not choose to publish the thesis or excerpts from it in book form or as book chapter/article, the digital form of the thesis is made public and will be available on the national platform after the Ministry's Order awarding the doctoral title; the thesis will be given a copyright licence. If the PhD student chooses to publish the thesis or excerpts from it in book form or for proof of the moment the thesis is validated by minister order, will be given for the publication or for proof of the manuscript status (in the case of the full publication of the thesis) respectively to inform the doctoral studies office about the publication of the theiss results as articles (in journals, proceedings, contributions etc.). The following elements will be stated clearly: author, title, journal/collection (issue, volume, number, pages, DOI, Accession number), publisher (ISBN, link). After the given period, in case IODS-UVT is not notified otherwise, the digital form of the thesis will become accessible on the national platform.

7.14. Based on art. 168 para. (9) of the National Education Law no. 1/2011, with subsequent amendments and completions, art. 66 para. (4) of Government's Decree no. 681/2011 on the approval of the Code of Doctoral Studies, with subsequent amendments and completions and art. 12 of the Order no. 3482/2016 on the approval of the Regulation on the Organization and Functioning of the National Council for Attestation of University Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates and taking into account the regulations on personal data protection in the context of publishing doctoral theses, this can be done within art. 6 para. (1) letter c) of the RGDP - the processing is necessary in order to fulfill a legal obligation incumbent on the operator - with prior information of the data subject and offering the possibility to oppose for justified reasons, under the law, as well as respecting the processing principles, in particular of minimizing data.

### Art. 8. Modification and termination of the agreement

8.1. The modification of this agreement is made, in writing, by agreement of all parties, by additional act.



8.2. At the motivated request of the Ph.D student, the Doctoral School Council may decide to change the doctoral supervisor, if it has been found that the legal or contractual obligations assumed by him or other reasons related to the guidance relationship between the doctoral supervisor and the Ph.D student have been found.

8.3. The Doctoral School Council shall appoint another doctoral supervisor in the case provided for in point 8.2, as well as in the event that the doctoral supervisor is unavailable.

8.4. When appointing a new doctoral supervisor, the Doctoral School Council will give priority to the need for the Ph.D student to complete the doctoral program.

8.5. The deadline for completing the Ph.D thesis may be extended for a fee.

8.6. This study agreement terminates in the following situations:

a) by completing the studies;

b) by expelling the Ph.D student for non-payment of due fees or for failure to complete the doctoral training program;

c) by withdrawing of the Ph.D student from studies, at his request;

d) in case of major force.

8.7. The major force shall be established by a competent authority. The invoking party has the obligation to notify the other party, in writing, within a maximum of 5 calendar days from the appearance, and the proof of major force will be communicated within 15 calendar days from its appearance. The major force defends the party invoking it, the other party not having the right to claim compensation.

#### Art. 9. Doctor's degree

9.1. After the transmission of the ministerial order by which the doctoral title is awarded, IODS - WUT issues the doctoral diploma, in which the field of study is specified.

9.2. The doctor's degree is issued with the name as it appears on their birth certificate. For EU third country students, the name will coincide with the name on their passport, in accordance with the Minister's Order approving the Regulation on academic papers and documents in institutions of higher education no. 4156 of 27 April 2020.

#### Art. 10. Liability of the parties

10.1. In case of possible academic fraud, violation of university ethics or in case of deviations from good conduct in scientific research, including plagiarism, the Ph.D student and/or the doctoral supervisor are liable under the law.

10.2. The non-observance by the signatory parties of the obligations deriving from the present agreement entails the application of the sanctions provided in the WUT Regulations, at the proposal of the Doctoral School Council, in accordance with the law. The sanction is applied depending on the seriousness of the violations, their number and the conditions under which they were committed and can be challenged within 30 days from the date of communication, to the hierarchically superior management structure.

### Art. 11. Disputes

11.1. The conflicts between the Ph.D student and the Doctoral School are mediated by CSUD-WUT.

11.2. Conflicts between the Ph.D student and the doctoral supervisor are mediated by the Doctoral School Council. In case of failure to resolve the conflict at this level, it will be mediated by CSUD-WUT.

11.3. The parties agree that any disagreement regarding the validity of this agreement or the result of its interpretation, execution or termination shall be settled amicably.



11.4. If it is not possible to settle the dispute amicably, the signatory parties shall apply to the competent courts.

### Art. 12. Final provisions

12.1. This agreement will be interpreted in accordance with the laws of Romania.

12.2. The provisions of this study agreement are compliant and are completed with the provisions of the National Education Law no. 1/2011, with subsequent additions and amendments, H.G. no. 681/2011 on the approval of the Code of Doctoral Studies, with subsequent completions and amendments, and with other decisions of the West University Senate.

12.3. This agreement represents the will of the contracting parties and was concluded in 3 original copies, today, \_\_\_\_\_\_, of which one copy is kept in the personal file of the Ph.D student, one copy for the Ph.D student and one copy for the doctoral supervisor.

**Doctoral Supervisor**,

Ph.D student,

Interim CDS Director, Prof. univ. Dr. Dana PERCEC

Legal advisor, Nadia TOPAI