



Full wording
of Internal Regulation No. 8/2013

**Scholarship Regulations
of the Slovak University
of Technology in Bratislava
as amended by Amendment No. 1**

Date: 24 February 2015

The Rector of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava (hereinafter referred to as the "STU") after approval of the Amendment No. 1 to the Internal Regulation of STU No. 8/2013 of 29 October 2013 "Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava" by the STU Academic Senate on 23 February 2015 pursuant to the Article 13 paragraph 8 of the Scholarship Regulations, issues the following

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SCHOLARSHIP REGULATIONS
OF THE SLOVAK UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY IN BRATISLAVA:

Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava, Vazovova 5, Bratislava

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The Academic Senate of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava (hereinafter referred to as "STU") in accordance with Section 9 par. 1 letter b) in connection with Section 15 par. 1 letter i) of the Act No. 131/2002 Coll. on Universities and amending certain laws, as amended (hereinafter referred to as the "Act") approved at its meeting on 28 October 2013 the following

SCHOLARSHIP REGULATIONS
OF THE SLOVAK UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY IN BRATISLAVA

FIRST PART
BASIC PROVISIONS

Article 1

(1) The STU Scholarship Regulations (hereinafter "Scholarship Regulations") regulate the conditions for granting and providing scholarships under Section 95 et seq. of the Act, the conditions for the provision of student loans under Section 101, par. 3 of the Act to bachelor's, engineer's, master's and doctoral degree study program students for programs performed at STU, and ways for the establishment and structure of STU scholarship funds.

(2) STU provides scholarships to students (hereinafter referred to as "Students") from the following sources (Section 95 of the Act):

- a) from funds provided for this purpose from the state budget;
- b) from its own resources through the scholarship fund of STU.

(3) STU provides students with the following scholarships:

- a) Social scholarships from the state budget pursuant to Section 96 of the Act (Art. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations);
- b) Incentive scholarships from the state budget pursuant to Section 96a of the Act (Art. 3 to 6 of these Scholarship Regulations);
- c) scholarships from STU own resources pursuant to Section 97 of the Act (Art. 7 to 9 of these Scholarship Regulations).

(4) Scholarships under section 3 of this Scholarship Regulations are granted from the scholarship fund of STU. Ways for the establishment and structure of the STU scholarship fund are adjusted in the fourth part of the Scholarship Regulations.

(5) Unless otherwise provided in the Scholarship Regulations, Students may be awarded with a scholarship if they meet the conditions for the award of the scholarship given in this Scholarship Regulations.

(6) The Rector or a Dean of the Faculty, depending on the scholarship type, shall decide on awarding a scholarship pursuant to these Scholarship Regulations. Any decision on awarding a scholarship shall contain the amount and the due date of the scholarship and justification for it being awarded. The decision to award a scholarship and the decision to provide or not a loan under this Scholarship Regulations is final, and no application for a review against it can be submitted. This does not apply for decisions on awarding a social scholarship under Art. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations. All decisions must be made in writing on paper, and must be sent to Students by registered mail.

(7) Unless in the Scholarship Regulations it is provided otherwise, for service under the Scholarship Regulations the provisions of service under Art. 50 paragraphs 4, 5 and 7 of the internal regulation No. 4/2013 STU Study Regulations shall apply.

(8) The proceedings and decisions on awarding scholarships under the Scholarship Regulations are not covered by Act No. 71/1967 Coll. on Administrative Proceedings (Administrative Code) as amended. This does not apply for proceedings and decisions on awarding a social scholarship under Art. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(9) Unless stipulated otherwise, scholarships awarded pursuant to these Scholarship Regulations shall be provided in a cashless form by a wire transfer to a bank account kept in the Slovak Republic while the due date shall be 30 calendar days after the date of delivery of a decision on awarding the scholarship to the student. For the purposes specified in this paragraph, the student shall register the number of the bank account where the scholarship is to be sent in the Academic Information System (hereinafter referred to as "AIS") while the student shall be liable for the correctness and timeliness of any data registered in AIS.

(10) STU shall be entitled to call on the student to meet the obligations specified in the second sentence of para. 9 of this Article. Should the student fail to meet the obligations even after the call, he/she shall not be awarded and provided the scholarship.

(11) The maturity date and provision of social scholarships from the state budget are specified in § 96 par. 7 of the Act.

SECOND PART
RULES FOR AWARDING AND PROVIDING SCHOLARSHIPS
FROM THE STATE BUDGET

Article 2

Social scholarships from the state budget

Conditions of awarding and providing social scholarships to students and other details are stipulated in § 96 of the Act and in the public statute issued by the Ministry of Education, Science, Research and Sports of the Slovak Republic (hereinafter referred to as the “Ministry”).

Article 3

Incentive scholarships from the state budget

(1) STU may award the following incentive scholarships from the state budget to students:

- a) **in study programs defined in the methodology** under Section 89 par. 8 of the Act (hereinafter referred to as “methodology”) based on analyses and forecasts of the labour market (hereinafter referred to as "Incentive Specialization Scholarships"), taking into account the study results of the previous study; in the case of a Student of the bachelor's program of study in the first year of study, the study results of the final year of study at a secondary school will be taken into account [96a par. 1 letter a) of the Act]. Criteria for awarding Incentive Specialization Scholarships are defined in Art. 4 of these Scholarship Regulations).
- b) **for outstanding performance study obligations**, achieving outstanding performance in studies, research, development, artistic or sports activities [96a par. 1 letter b) of the Act].

(2) Incentive scholarship in accordance with par. 1 letter b) of this article can be awarded as follows:

- a) Incentive scholarships for outstanding study results; criteria for awarding incentive scholarship for excellent study results are given in Art. 5 of these Scholarship Regulations;
- b) Incentive scholarships for outstanding results; criteria for awarding incentive scholarship for excellent results are given in Art. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(3) Incentive Specialization Scholarship pursuant to paragraph 1 letter a) of this Article shall not be awarded to more than 50% of students of the particular Faculty or a different part of STU studying the study field specified by the methodology out of the total number of students studying the particular study field as of 31 October of the calendar year prior to the calendar year for which state budget funds have been assigned.

(4) Incentive Scholarship under par. 1. letter b) of this article shall be awarded to not more than ten per cent of students of the faculty or other parts of the STU at 31 October of the assessed academic year. The number of students and the amount of scholarship

in the relative rate (in percentage) of the basic amount may be differentiated according to the level of university education, according to study programs, or according to the year of study, as well as to increase the motivation of study in individual study programs. Details can be adjusted by faculties in their Scholarship Regulations.

(5) **The basic amount of the incentive specialization scholarship under par. 1, letter a) of this article per student** is determined from the scholarship fund (Art. 11 par. 4 of these Scholarship Regulations) from a part of the state budget funds allocated for fifty percent of the number of students studying the specialization defined by the methodology (in accordance with paragraph 3 of this art.). The basic amount of the incentive specialization scholarship under par. 1, letter a) of this article per student is rounded up to the nearest ten euros, and the amount calculated in this way is published by the person awarding the scholarship (Art. 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations) not later than one month after the proposal of allocation of funds from the state budget designed for grants is approved, in the STU Academic Senate.

(6) **The basic amount of the incentive scholarship under par. 1, letter b) of this article per student** is determined from the scholarship fund (Art. 11 par. 5 of these Scholarship Regulations) from the part of the allocated funds of the state budget for ten percent of students of the total number of all students. The basic amount of the incentive scholarship under par. 1, letter b) of this article per student is rounded up to the nearest ten euros, and the amount calculated this way is published by the person awarding the scholarship (Art. 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations) not later than one month after the proposal of the allocation of funds from the state budget designed for grants is approved, in the STU Academic Senate.

Article 4

Criteria for awarding Incentive Specialization Scholarships

(1) Incentive Specialization Scholarships are awarded to Students of the faculty or other parts of STU under par. 2, 3, 4 and 7 of this article studying specializations designed by the methodology, taking study results **during their previous studying** into account.

(2) **Students of bachelor's study programs in the first year of study** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance from the last school year of studies at their secondary school shall be taken into consideration, excluding their achievement in the school-leaving examination."

(3) **Students of engineer's, master's or doctoral study programs in the first year of study** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance in their previous studies (weighed average of academic performance for all previous studies) shall be taken into consideration.

(4) **Students of bachelor's, engineer's or master's study programs in the following years of studies** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic

performance from the previous **academic year** of study shall be taken into consideration, unless the student exceeded the standard length of studies of the study program in the previous academic year (§ 52 through 54 of the Act) and unless his/her studies were suspended for a period longer than 30 calendar days.

(5) Students of bachelor's, engineer's or master's study programs meeting the conditions under par. 4 of this article are put into the ranking list based on their weighted Grade Point Average (the "wGPA"), as calculated in Art. 16 of the STU Scholarship Regulations, in ascending order - from the lowest wGPA to the highest wGPA.

(6) In the case of equality of wGPA, other criteria will be considered:

- a) quality of study results achieved in compulsory subjects in accordance with paragraph 4 of this article;
- b) other facts relevant for assessing the quality of performance of study duties as defined by the faculty in their Scholarship Regulations.

(7) **Students of doctoral study programs in the following years of studies** may be awarded Incentive Specialization Scholarship while their academic performance from the previous **academic year** of study shall be taken into consideration, unless the student exceeded the standard length of studies of the study program in the previous academic year (§ 52 through 54 of the Act) and unless his/her studies were suspended for a period longer than 30 calendar days.

(8) Students of doctoral degree study programs who meet the conditions under paragraph 7 of this article shall be ranked according to the quality of their results in the scientific part of their study, especially the quality of their publication activities. In the case of a comparable level of publication activities, the performance in other tasks set out in individual study plans is considered. Details will be specified by the faculty in their Scholarship Regulations.

(9) The amount of the Incentive Specialization Scholarship shall not exceed a triple the basic amount of the Incentive Specialization Scholarship under Art. 3 paragraph 5 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(10) The Incentive Specialization Scholarship shall be provided to students **in one payment** in line with the procedure specified in Article 1 par. 9 and 10 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(11) The Dean of the faculty or the Rector decide whether the Incentive Specialization Scholarship will be awarded based on the decision under Art. 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations. STU scholarship shall be awarded and provided to a student without submitting any application, if the student meets the criteria under this article.

Article 5

Criteria for awarding the incentive scholarship for excellent study results

(1) The incentive scholarship for excellent study results is awarded to Students of bachelor's, engineer's, master's and doctoral degree study programs for the outstanding performance of study duties reached in the given degree of study in the previous academic year, if the Students did not interrupt their study in that year for a period longer than 30 calendar days.

(2) **Students of bachelor's, engineer's or master's study programs** under paragraph 1 of this article may be awarded an incentive scholarship for excellent study results, if in the assessed academic year, the Students did not exceed the standard length of study program (Sections 52-54 of the Act), successfully completed all subjects in the recommended study plan (reached A to E ratings), and their wGPA was not higher than 2.2.

(3) Students of bachelor's, engineer's or master's study programs meeting the conditions under par. 2 of this article are put into the ranking list based on their wGPA in ascending order - from the lowest wGPA to the highest wGPA.

(4) In the case of equality of wGPA, other criteria will be considered:

- a) quality of study results achieved in compulsory subjects in accordance with paragraph 2 of this article;
- b) other facts relevant for assessing the quality of performance of study duties defined by the faculty in their Scholarship Regulations.

(5) **Students of doctoral study programs** under paragraph 1 of this article can have an incentive scholarship awarded for outstanding study results if they did not exceed the standard length of study in the assessed academic year of the study program (Sections 52 to 54 of the Act), and successfully completed all subjects of their study plan.

(6) Students of doctoral degree study programs who meet the conditions under paragraph 5 of this article shall be ranked according to the quality of their results in the scientific part of their study, especially the quality of publication activities. In the case of a comparable level of publication activities, performance in other tasks set out in the individual study plans is considered. Details will be specified by the faculty in their Scholarship Regulations.

(7) The amount of incentive scholarships for excellent study results for students of bachelor's, engineer's or master's degree study programs may not exceed

- a) three times the basic amount of the incentive scholarship under Art. 3 par. 6 of the Scholarship Regulations in the case that the student reached wGPA (par. 3 of this article) from 1.0 to not more than 1.3;
- b) one and half times the basic amount of the incentive scholarship under Art. 3 par. 6 of the Scholarship Regulations for Students not meeting the condition under letter a) of the paragraph.

(8) The amount of incentive scholarships for excellent study results for students of doctoral degree study programs may not exceed three times the basic amount of the

incentive scholarship under Art. 3 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(9) The Incentive Scholarship for excellent academic performance shall be awarded and provided to students **in one payment** in line with the procedure specified in Article 1 par. 9 and 10 of these Scholarship Regulations, in any event not later than by the end of the first term of the academic year.

(10) The Dean or the Rector decide whether the Incentive Scholarship will be awarded based on the decision under Art. 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations. STU scholarship shall be awarded and provided to Students without submitting any application, if the student meets the criteria under this article.

Article 6

Criteria for awarding incentive scholarships for outstanding results

(1) Students of bachelor's, engineer's, master's or doctoral study programs may be awarded an incentive scholarship for excellent results from the scholarship fund, the part of funds allocated from the state budget [Art. 11 par. 1 letter a) of the Scholarship Regulations] considering also finances from own resources [Art. 11 paragraph 1 letter b) to e) of these Scholarship Regulations] for:

- a) exceptional performance of study obligations;
- b) exceptional result in research and development;
- c) successful representation of STU, the faculty, or other part of STU in sports competitions;
- d) successful representation of STU, the faculty, or other part of STU in art competitions;
- e) successful representation of STU, the faculty, or other part of STU in competitions in the area of study, research or development.

(2) For the purpose of awarding an incentive scholarship for exceptional results under point 1 letter c) to e) of this article, "successful representation" shall be read as the representation of STU, the faculty or other parts of STU, where the student studies, ranking in the first three positions in competitions of faculty or university character, or of regional, nationwide, European or global character.

(3) The Dean shall decide on awarding and on the amount of incentive scholarship for excellent academic performance for students of study programs provided by the Faculty pursuant to Article 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations, while the scholarship shall be provided from the Faculty Scholarship Fund (Article 11 paragraph 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).

(4) The Rector shall decide on awarding and on the amount of Incentive scholarship for excellent academic performance pursuant to Article 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations:

- a) For students of study programs provided by other parts of STU than Faculties while the scholarship is paid from the particular scholarship fund (Article 11

par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations);

b) For all STU students, while the scholarship is paid from the Rector's scholarship fund (article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).

(5) The amount of incentive scholarship for excellent study results under par. 1 of the article depends on the accumulated finances in the scholarship fund, and it must not exceed one and half times the basic amount of the incentive scholarship under Art. 3 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(6) Unless stated otherwise, the proposal to award an incentive scholarship for exceptional results in accordance with paragraph 1 of this article may be submitted by any member of the academic community usually by the end of the academic year in which the event allowing the awarding of the incentive scholarship for exceptional results took place. A specimen of the proposal is attached to these Scholarship Regulations.

(7) The incentive scholarship for exceptional results under paragraph 1 of this article is paid **in a single payment**, usually shall be awarded and provided in the academic year in which the fact arose as the reason for the award, or by the end of the calendar year in which the relevant academic year ends.

(8) Teams may also be proposed to be awarded incentive scholarship for excellent economic performance pursuant to this Article. In such event, each member of the team shall be awarded an equal scholarship amount to the extent pursuant to para. 5 of this Article.

(9) Students have no legal right to be awarded incentive scholarships for exceptional results under this article. The decision of the Rector or Dean on its awarding is final under Art. 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

THIRD PART

RULES FOR AWARDING AND PROVIDING SCHOLARSHIPS FROM STU RESOURCES

Article 7

General provisions related to the awarding and provision of scholarships from STU resources

(1) As far as possible, STU awards its students and graduates in less than 90 days since they completed their studies with scholarships from its own resources, especially for the outstanding performance of study requirements, achieving excellent results in the field of study, research and development, artistic or sports activities, as a single or regular social allowance (Section 97 paragraph 1 of the Act).

(2) The Dean shall decide on awarding scholarship from the scholarship fund from the Faculty resources pursuant to Article 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations for students of study programs provided by the Faculty, while the scholarship shall be paid from the faculty scholarship fund (article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).

(3) The Rector shall decide on awarding scholarship from the scholarship fund from STU resources pursuant to Article 1 par. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations:

- a) For students of study programs provided by other parts of STU than Faculties while the scholarships are paid from a particular scholarship fund (Article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations);
- b) For all STU students, while the scholarships are paid from the Rector's scholarship fund (Article 11 par. 2 of these Scholarship Regulations).

(4) At the discretion of the Rector or a Dean, the own resources of the scholarship fund may be used to provide incentive grants for exceptional results under Art. 6 of these Scholarship Regulations).

Article 8

Special scholarships from STU resources

(1) Scholarships from own resources have the nature of special scholarships and may be provided as a **single payment, repeatedly, or regularly**. Special scholarships from own resources may also be provided ad hoc.

(2) Special scholarships that may be in STU provided from the scholarship fund from own resources, are as follows:

- a) special scholarship for excellent performance of study obligations throughout the studies;
- b) special scholarship for an excellent final thesis;
- c) special scholarship to support learning within and outside the university student mobility;
- d) special scholarship to support foreign students;
- e) special scholarship to support elite athletes;
- f) special scholarship for significant activities held in favour of STU;
- g) other special scholarships not contrary to Art. 8 paragraph 1.

(3) Conditions of awarding and providing special scholarship to support top sportsmen pursuant to para. 2 letter e) of this Article shall be governed by an internal organizational and directive standard issued by the Rector.

(4) Students or graduates under Art. 7 paragraph 1 of these Scholarship Regulations are not legally entitled to be awarded with scholarships under this article. The decision of the Rector or Dean to award a special scholarship from own resources is final under Art. 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(5) A proposal for awarding a special scholarship from STU resources pursuant to para. 2 of this Article may be filed by any member of the academia, usually by the end of the academic year when the event enabling filing a proposal for awarding special scholarship from STU resources occurred; this shall not apply to proposals for awarding a special scholarship to promote top sportsmen pursuant to para. 2 letter e) of this Article, where details on filing a proposal shall be regulated by a relevant internal organizational and directive standard issued by the Rector.

(6) The amount of the special scholarship from own resources must not exceed twice the basic amount of the incentive scholarship under Art. 3 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(7) The special scholarship from own resources usually shall be awarded and provided in the academic year in which the fact arose as the reason for the award, or by the end of the calendar year in which the relevant academic year ends.

(8) Details of awarding and providing special types of scholarship from own resources of faculties can be adjusted by faculties in the Scholarship Regulations of the faculties.

Article 9
Erased since 24.02.2015

Article 10
Student loans

(1) From the scholarship fund from own resources, students of bachelor's, engineer's, master's or doctoral degree study programs can be provided with a loan to cover the costs of study and to meet their social needs (Section 101, paragraph. 3 of the Act).

(2) The loan can be provided based on an application of a student, and its amount is stated in accordance with the decision of a Dean of a faculty if the study is performed at the faculty, or of the Rector if the study is performed at other parts of STU under Art. 1 paragraph 6 of these Scholarship Regulations.

(3) The decision to grant a loan also indicates its amount, method of payment, date and terms of maturity and interest rates.

(4) Generally students are provided with a loan once throughout the period of study at STU.

(5) Students are not legally entitled to a student loan under this article.

PART FOUR
ESTABLISHMENT OF STU SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS

Article 11
The STU scholarship fund - its establishment (formation) and structure

- (1) The STU scholarship fund is created:
- a) from specialized financial means received from state budget to support students socially, designed to social scholarships and incentive scholarships (Sections 96 and 96a of the Act);
 - b) from STU revenues coming from tuition (Section 92, par. 20 of the Act), and at least 20 % from income coming from tuition (Section 92, par. 5 and 6 of the Act) is income of the scholarship fund;

- c) from special purpose cash donations, or based on concluded separate contracts for the purpose of scholarships (grants, contracts with businesses, etc.);
 - d) from funds raised from the positive total profit of STU;
 - e) from inheritance and income resulted;
- while items b) to e) of this paragraph are sources for the STU scholarship fund.

(2) To provide scholarships for students of study programs performed by faculties, individual faculties create their own faculty scholarship funds, the Rector's Office creates the Rector's scholarship fund, and to provide scholarships for students of study programs conducted in other parts of STU, a special scholarship fund is established.

(3) Faculty scholarship funds, the special scholarship fund and the Rector's scholarship fund, bringing together the funds under paragraph 1 of this article constitute together the STU scholarship Fund.

(4) Funds from the STU scholarship fund from the state budget allocated to incentive scholarships for students in specific fields of study under Section 96a, par. 1 letter a) of the Act [Art. 3 paragraph 1, letter a) of these Scholarship Regulations] shall be distributed to faculties (faculty scholarship funds) and other parts of STU (the special scholarship fund) in proportion to the number of students at all three levels of university education in specified fields of study defined by the methodology (Section 89, paragraph 8 of the Act).

(5) Funds from the STU scholarship fund from the state budget allocated to incentive scholarships under Section 96a, par. 1 letter b) of the Act [Art. 3 paragraph 1 letter b) of these Scholarship Regulations] shall be divided in the ratio 7 : 1 for incentive scholarships for excellent study results [Art. 3 paragraph 2 letter a) of these Scholarship Regulations], and incentive scholarships for exceptional results [Art. 3 paragraph 2 letter b) of these Scholarship Regulations] while:

- a) funds for the incentive scholarship for excellent study results are divided into faculties (faculty scholarship funds) and other STU parts (the special scholarship fund) proportionally depending on the number of students at all three levels of university education;
- b) funds for the incentive scholarship for exceptional results are divided in the ratio 7 : 2, where 7/9 are divided into faculties and other STU parts (faculty scholarship funds and the special scholarship fund) proportionally depending on the number of students at all three levels of university education, and 2/9 are provided to the Rector's scholarship fund.

(6) At the discretion of the Rector or Dean, unused funds of the faculty scholarship fund or the special scholarship fund from the state budget intended for incentive scholarships for excellent study results under paragraph 5, letter a) of this article can be provided in the form of incentive scholarships for exceptional results under paragraph 5, letter b) of this article.

(7) Faculties and other parts of STU are required to send each academic year, **not later than 15 April**, 10 % of the amount received for their scholarship funds from revenues

leading from tuition under paragraph 1, letter b) of this article to the Rector's scholarship fund. Income from tuition that was paid to a faculty or another part of STU after 15 April is necessary to transfer to the Rector's scholarship fund **not later than till the end of the corresponding academic year** in which the obligation to pay the tuition arose.

Article 12
Other types of scholarship

Scholarships awarded to students based on specific contracts shall be governed by the provisions of those contracts.

PART FIVE
TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

Article 13

(1) If a faculty needs to specify the conditions for awarding a scholarship for their students more precisely than as governed by these Scholarship Regulations, respecting the principles set out therein, they may do so in accordance with Section 33, paragraph 3 letter c) of the Act with issuing of its own internal regulation (hereinafter referred to as "Faculty Scholarship Regulations").

(2) Till 1 January 2014, faculties are entitled to align their current scholarship regulations with these Scholarship Regulations. After passing the deadline without issuing any internal regulation under the preceding sentence, the faculty is governed by these Scholarship Regulations; however, this does not affect the right of the faculties under paragraph 1 of this Article.

(3) The provisions of the Faculty Scholarship Regulations that were issued till the effective date of these Scholarship Regulations expire on the effective date of this Scholarship Regulations to the extent that they are inconsistent with them.

(4) Faculty Scholarship Regulations may narrow or expand the scope of rights and obligations set in this Scholarship Regulations; Faculty Scholarship Regulations may be issued only to modify specific details mentioned in these Scholarship Regulations in relation to the corresponding faculty, and respecting the principles and the scope of rights and obligations provided there. This does not affect the right of the faculty under Art. 3 paragraph 4, Art. 4 paragraph 6, letter b), Art. 4 paragraph 8, Art. 5 paragraph 4, letter b), Art. 5 paragraph 6, Art. 8 paragraph 8 of these Scholarship Regulations and other provisions of these Scholarship Regulations, which show clearly the authorization of the faculty to modify the rules, criteria, etc. in a different way.

(5) The conditions and criteria used to assess eligibility for awarding and providing scholarships, which were reached before the effective date of the Scholarship Regulations are considered met under the provisions of these Scholarship Regulations if achieved in the academic year 2013/2014; it does not apply for special scholarships to support elite athletes under Art. 8 paragraph 2, letter e), where assessed criteria could also be met in the

academic year 2012/2013.

(6) Scholarships awarded to students for activities achieved in the academic year 2012/2013 will be provided not later than on 31 December 2013 under the regulations in force till these Scholarship Regulations are effective.

(7) All amendments to the Scholarship Regulations must be approved by the STU Academic Senate in accordance with Section 9 par. 1 letter b) of the Act.

(8) The Rector shall be authorized to issue a full wording of this STU Scholarship Regulations after it has been amended and supplemented pursuant to para. 7 of this Article.

(9) Repealed documents:

- a) Directive 3/2008-N - the Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava approved by the STU Academic Senate on 31 March 2008,
- b) Appendix No. 1 to Directive No. 3/2008-N - the Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava approved by the STU Academic Senate on 23 November 2009,
- c) Appendix No. 2 to Directive No. 3/2008-N - the Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava approved by the STU Academic Senate on 24 October 2011,
- d) Directive 4/2008 - Criteria for Special Scholarship dated 1 April. 2008,
- e) The Statute of The Award of Rector dated 17 March 2008,
- f) The Statute for granting Rector's awards "Student of the Year" on the occasion of the International Day of Students dated 11 July 2011.

(10) The Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava for Students was approved by the STU Academic Senate on 28 October 2013.

(11) The Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava shall enter into force on the date of their approval by the STU Academic Senate and take effect on 1 November 2013. The Amendment No. 1 to the Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava entered into force on 24 February 2015.

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¹ Based on the enabling provision pursuant to the Article 13 paragraph 8 of Scholarship Regulations of the Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava. The original of the signed Full wording of Internal Regulation of STU No. 8/2013 as amended by Amendment No. 1 in the Slovak language shall be placed and made available for viewing at the Legal and Administration Department of the Rector's Office of STU.