

**A CALL FOR THE POSSIBILITY OF OBTAINING A KORF SCHOLARSHIP
for academic year 2025/2026 at Faculty of Forestry and Wood Sciences, CZU in Prague
(FFWS)**

Date of announcement: 16 October 2025

Date of application submission: by 26 October 2025

The FFWS Dean announces a call for students studying in the full-time form of doctoral study programmes at FFWS for academic year 2025/26. This call is announced in accordance with Dean's Regulation No. 14/2025 The amount of scholarship and doctoral income for students of doctoral study programmes at FFWS (DSP), Article 2, paragraph 5. Students who are currently receiving a Korf scholarship will only be paid until 30 September 2025; in order to be awarded a scholarship for the academic year 2025/26, they must apply again. A student can obtain a Korf scholarship only after enrolling in the second year of PhD studies. In the event of a positive decision by the Dean on the award of this scholarship, the date from which the Korf Scholarship will be paid will be set. In the event that a PhD student ceases to fulfil his/her study duties, the FFWS Dean will withdraw this scholarship from the following month at the request of the Head of Department or Vice-dean for S&R.

Mandatory conditions for obtaining a scholarship:

- Demonstration of extraordinary performance and excellent results, or the assumption of achieving these results, in the field of scientific research activities within the study in DSP
- Thorough implementation of the Individual Study Plan
- Thorough keeping of mandatory records of work activities while studying at DSP

The application itself contains mainly the following subchapters:

- Publication activity of the applicant
- Planned publications of the applicant for the year 2026 and planned publications until the end of DSP study
- Previous experience with project activities
- Previous internships abroad and conferences with active participation, including the form of participation
- Description of the applicant's current activities and their current involvement in the activities of the Department/Faculty workplace and Faculty during their DSP studies
- Presentation of visions and other planned extraordinary activities for 2026 and overall activities until the end of study within the scientific-research activities in the DSP

Applications must be submitted electronically via the UIS contact centre, no later than 26 October 2025. The maximum scope of the application is 3 A4 SP.

The FFWS Dean decides on the award of the Korf scholarship, taking into account the financial possibilities of the Faculty. The decision of the evaluation committee, which will be appointed by the FFWS Dean for the purposes of this call, will contribute to the decision of the FFWS Dean on the award of this scholarship for individual applicants. Each applicant will be informed via the UIS contact centre about the Dean's decision regarding the award or non-award of the Korf scholarship.

Prague, 16 October 2025

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