



Conditions and announcement of the competition

StartUP grants 2020/2021

General provisions of the grant competition

- 1) StartUP grants are short-term grants designed **for students of the first and second year of the doctoral study program of the Faculty of Law of Palacký University in Olomouc for the period from October to February** of the given academic year.
- 2) StartUP grant is a grant intended for **start-up research**. It is assumed that the participant of the StartUP grant will subsequently continue his/her research within the standard or above-standard project submitted to the Student Grant Competition IGA, which is announced in November of the given academic year, or other comparable research.

Basic conditions of grant projects

- 1) The project may be submitted independently (1 doctoral student) or within a competition team (maximum 3 doctoral students).
- 2) The application shall contain:
 - CV of the applicant and other members of the competition team (max. 2 pages/person)
 - description of the planned research, including the budget (5-10 pages);
 - further specification may be found in the document "Structure of Proposed Project"
- 3) The amount of grant support for one project may not exceed CZK 100,000. The expenditure structure includes:
 - personal expenses (scholarships may be to the maximum amount of CZK 50,000 per project;
 - travel costs (for study or research stay in the Czech Republic or abroad);
 - academic literature.

- 4) Mandatory project outputs:
 - at least one professional article submitted for review or publication in a journal in the Jost, JSc or Jimp category;
 - preparation and submission of an application to the IGA Student Grant Competition in a given academic year (<https://www.psup.cz/iga-grantove-projekty/>), or creation of another project as follow up research;
 - preparation of the final report.

Assessment of the application and connection of the project to further research

- 1) Applications for the StartUP grant are assessed by the current project committee of the IGA Student Grant Competition. This commission will be able to evaluate applicants for the IGA project with regard to their experience with the implementation of the StartUP grant, especially in the case where the doctoral student who received the StartUP grant applies for the so-called above-standard IGA project.

Announcement of the grant competition and deadlines

- 1) The Dean of the Faculty of Law announces StartUP grants for the academic year 2020/2021 with the following deadlines.
- 2) Project proposals may be submitted from **15th September 2020** to **15th October 2020**.
- 3) Applications shall be sent electronically by e-mail to the staff of the Science and Research Support Centre Ing. Kristýna Ondráčková (kristyna.ondrackova@upol.cz).
- 4) The results will be announced by the end of October 2020.
- 5) The implementation time is **1st November 2020 - 28th February 2021**.
- 6) Final reports are submitted electronically by e-mail **by 15th March 2021** and projects are then defended before the commission.
- 7) For information on the competition see <https://www.pf.upol.cz/en/students/doctoral-students/#c37542>

In Olomouc on 15th September 2020

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