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ORDER No. 40

by the Rector of Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń

of 14 March 2022

on awarding "Starting grants" for scholars from Ukraine

Pursuant to § 52 section. 3 of Resolution No. 37 by the NCU Senate of 16 April 2019 Statute of Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń (NCU Legal Bulletin of 2019, item 120 as amended).

it is provided, as follows:

§ 1

- 1. In order to support academic teachers and research workers from Ukraine, in connection with the armed aggression of the Russian Federation against Ukraine, the Rector may grant researchers from Ukraine the funds necessary to implement the grant in research teams of Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, hereinafter referred to as the "Starting Grant", on the basis of a civil law agreement.
- 2. Whenever the Order refers to a researcher from Ukraine, it shall be understood as a citizen of Ukraine who was forced to leave his/her country as a result of warfare, entered the territory of the Republic of Poland legally and declared that on 24.02.2022 they worked as an academic teacher at a university or as a researcher in the territory of Ukraine and holds a professional title, a scientific degree, a degree in art or the title of professor
- 3. The Starting Grant covers scientific cooperation as indicated in the application for a grant with research teams operating at the Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, hereinafter referred to as the "University" and is carried out at the selected organizational unit of the University.

§ 2

- 1. The starting grant shall be awarded by the Rector at the request of the scholar referred to in § 1 section 2.
- 2. An application prepared in Polish or English according to the template enclosed in Appendix no. 1 to this Order should be submitted in a paper version to the Science Department or to the CM Science and Projects Department, or sent via e-mail to dn@umk.pl/ or projekty@cm.umk.pl.

3. The departments referred to in section 2 shall forward the applications to the appropriate organizational units for an opinion, in accordance with the discipline and subject of the planned research indicated in the application, and after the acceptance and declaration of grant financing, to the Rector for a decision

§ 3

- 1. The starting grants may be funded through the University's unit budgets, the "Excellence Initiative Research University" program, and the Cohesion Fund.
- 2. The starting grant may last up to 3 months, with the possibility of its extension with the approval of the Rector upon the opinion of the authorizing officer of the funds.
- 3. The monthly cost of grant implementation is 5000,00 PLN and includes all costs related to the scholar's stay at the University.
- 4. Settlement of the grant, after presenting a bill, takes places at the end of each month.
- 5. Advance billing is allowed in the amount of 50% of the awarded amount for the first month.

§ 4

- 1. Based on the Rector's decision to award the Starting Grant, a civil law agreement is prepared. Templates of civil law agreements are specified by separate regulations.
- 2. Grant processing, including contract preparation, is provided by the administration unit appropriate for the organizational unit of the University where the grant is implemented, with the support of the Science Department or the CM Science and Projects Department.

§ 5

The applicant shall, within 2 weeks of the completion of the grant, submit to the Vice-Rector for Research a report on the implementation of the grant, reviewed by the head of the organizational unit of the University and, in the case of grants funded by the "Excellence Initiative - Research University" program, by the coordinating team.

§ 6

The Order comes into force on 14 March 2022

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