

Miedzynarodowa Środowiskowa Szkoła Doktorska przy Centrum Studiów Polarnych

w Uniwersytecie Śląskim w Katowicach

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Title of PhD project: Loads and fluxes of heavy metals associated to suspension discharged with glacier meltwaters (Hornsund, Svalbard)

1. Requirements to admission

Recruitment will be conducted in accordance with the requirements of the Regulations on awarding NCN scholarships in research projects financed by the National Science Centre (NCN), introduced by the resolution of the Council of the National Science Centre No. 25/2019 of March 14, 2019, and in accordance with the rules applicable in this entity. The recruitment committee shall evaluate the candidates' research achievements, their research-related achievements and competencies as regards specific tasks in the research project, expressed as a point score:

the candidate's research achievements, including publications in prestigious academic press /journals (50% of the final score):

- 4 points outstanding;
- 3 points very good;
- 2 points good;
- 1 points poor;
- 0 points no scientific achievements.

research-related achievements, scholarships, awards and research experience gained in Poland or abroad, research workshops and training courses, participation in research projects (20% of the final score):

- 4 points outstanding (e.g. scholarships, fellowships at leading foreign research centres, prestigious international prizes or awards, workshops or training courses at the leading research centres, participation in international or foreign projects);
- 3 points significant (scholarships, fellowships at good Polish and foreign research centres, national prizes or awards, domestic or foreign workshops or training courses, participation in Polish or foreign projects);
- 2 points moderate (local prizes or awards, workshops or training courses, participation in university projects);
- 1 point poor achievements;
- 0 points no achievements.

the candidate's competence to carry out specific tasks in the research project (30% of the final score):

- 3 points very good;
- 2 points good;
- 1 point poor;
- 0 points no competence.



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https://www.ncn.gov.pl/sites/default/files/pliki/uchwaly-rady/2019/uchwala25 2019-zal1.pdf

2. Conditions for admission to the qualification procedure

- 1. registering an account in the www.irk.us.edu.pl system and filling in a form containing appropriate declarations and consents;
- 2. submission in the system www.irk.us.edu.pl:
- a copy of the graduation diploma with a supplement;
- curriculum vitae;
- title and outline of a doctoral project, the form of scientific achievements and the documents certifying them, as well as other documents specified in the eligibility criteria for specific topics (admissible submission at the office of the IEDS, via polarknow@us.edu.pl or the IEDS website.



Doctoral project and list of scientific achievements

Submit the form and attachments via the IEDS website [>>SUBMIT THE FORM<<];

3. paying the enrolment fee in the amount of PLN 190.

3. Schedule

- 01.09-09.09.2021 online recruitment in the IRK system (https://irk.us.edu.pl/), including setting up an account in the IRK online recruitment system; payment of the enrollment fee (the date of the transfer is decisive); entering relevant information and documents.
- 09/09/2021 deadline for delivery of documents (title and outline of the project, list of achievements with their confirmation and others).
- 10/09/2021 individual information on admission to the next stages of recruitment to IEDS and the date of the interview
- 13/09/2021 deadline for sending presentations for job interviews.
- 14–16/09/2021 interviews with candidates (date and place of interviews depends on the number of applications for specific topics).
- 09/17/2021 announcement of the lists of candidates and reserve lists.
- 20–23/09/2021 registration of candidates qualified for admission.
- 30/09/2021 the date of announcing the list of people admitted to the IEDS.
 - 4. Information on the conditions for awarding a scholarship:

Amount of the scholarship: 5000 PLN gross

The scholarship is financed by NCN under the NCN OPUS funding schemes and consists of a doctoral scholarship within the meaning of Article 209 of the Law on Higher Education and Science of July 20, 2018 and the NCN scholarship for doctoral students as defined in Annex 2 to the Regulations on



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awarding funding for the research tasks founded by the National Science Centre as regards research projects, set forth in NCN Council Resolution No. 95/2020 of September 14, 2020. The competition may be entered by a person who does not have a doctoral degree and is not a doctoral school participant.