

# UNIVERSITETI - UNIVERSITY "ISA BOLETINI" MITROVICË

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Pursuant to Article 49, paragraph 1.9 of the Statute of "Isa Boletini" University in Mitrovica, the Senate of the University, in the meeting held on 29 /09/ 2022, approved:

#### REGULATION

# ON THE RESEARCH COUNCIL OF "ISA BOLETINI" UNIVERSITY IN MITROVICA Article 1-Purpose

The Regulation for the Research Council of "Isa Boletini" University in Mitrovica (henceforth UMIB), (hereinafter: Regulation), defines the establishment, duties, responsibilities and obligations of the Research Council.

### Article 2-Establishment of the Research Council

- 1. The UMIB Research Council is established by the Senate.
- 2. Members of the Research Council are:
  - 2.1. Vice-rector for research and scientific research;
  - 2.2. Vice Chancellor for Teaching and Student Affairs;
  - 2.3. Representative from the academic units, and
  - 2.4. Student.
- 3. The members proposed by the academic units must have proven experience in research and at least the academic title Prof. Assoc. Dr. In addition, the student member must have an average grade of 8 or higher, and must be at the Master or PhD level.

## Article 3-Duties and responsibilities of the UMIB Research Council (RC)

- 1. The duties of the RC are:
  - 1.1. To develop and implement the UMIB Strategic Research Plan (SRP).
  - 1.2. To identify and highlight the main challenges related to the SRP key elements.
  - 1.3. To monitor the implementation of the SRP and assess its impact.
  - 1.4. To establish subgroups as may be requested by SRP, for drafting of documents and for performance of certain tasks.
  - 1.5. To monitor internal and external developments and trends, and to consider them in the development of research strategy and policies.
  - 1.6. To carry out the tasks and assume the responsibilities arising from the Regulation on Research Ethics;
  - 1.7. To evaluate discoveries/innovations as required by the Regulation on Intellectual Property and Technology Transfer;
  - 1.8. Other tasks that may emerge from the Regulation on Research, to encourage and promote research activities at UMIB.
- 2. The responsibilities of the RC are:
  - 2.1. To act in the best interests of research participants and communities, taking into account the needs of researchers and the requirements of relevant regulatory agencies and applicable laws;
  - 2.2. To draft the annual work plans reflecting the activities on the completion of the strategic research plan;

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2.3. To submit regular annual reports to the Senate and as requested by the Senate.

# Article 4-Obligations of the Research Council members

- 1. The obligations of the RC members are:
  - 1.1. To declare any conflict of interest that may affect their role as members of the Council;
  - 1.2. To declare any conflict of interest that may affect their performance;
  - 1.3. To draft the internal work regulations.
- 2. To act on in accordance with this regulation, the UMIB normative acts and the legislation in force.

### Article 5-Mandate of the Research Council members

- 1. The RC members have a three (3) year mandate, with the possibility of extension for another term of 30% of the RC members.
- 2. The mandate of the re-elected members is determined through the secret voting of the RC members.
- 3. The student representing the student parliament has a one-year mandate.

### Article 6-Interpretation

The interpretation of this Regulation shall be done by the Senate of "Isa Boletini" University in Mitrovica.

### **Article 7-Entry into force**

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day of its approval by the Senate of "Isa Boletini" University in Mitrovica.

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