

## Annex 2

### Study Plan and Proposal of Doctoral Theses Topics in the field of *Regulation and Behavioural Studies*

#### Study Plan

At the beginning of their studies, each student shall, in cooperation with their supervisor, draw up their individual study plan (ISP), which shall represent subjects required to complete the studies and which are subject to approval by the doctoral study programme's council. The ISP shall include:

- compulsory subjects defining the theoretical-methodological basis of the programme,
- optional subjects,
- voluntary subjects.

#### 1. Compulsory Subjects (15 credits):

Prof. Jílková (guarantor) – prof. Vojáček – doc. Šťastný: *Economics and Regulation*

doc. van Koten: *Applied Economic Theory and Experiments*

doc. Slavíková (guarantor) – RNDr. Žambochová: *Research Methodology*

#### 2. Optional Subjects (10 credits, the student selects 2 subjects):

doc. Houdek: *Behavioural Economics*

Prof. Marek (guarantor) – prof. Kluvánková: *Global Changes and Strategic Management*

doc. Koutský – doc. Raška: *Human Behaviour and Decision-Making in Spatial Perspective*

doc. van Koten: *Computational Experiments in Experimental Economics*

doc. Jozífková: *Human Behaviour*

doc. Potluka: *Evaluation of State Interventions*

Prof. Škoda (guarantor) – prof. Doulík: *Neuropedagogy and Behavioural Sciences*

The student may complete obligatory subjects in the doctoral study programme pursuant to their choice, in compliance with their profile and focus of the doctoral thesis. The student may select the maximum of two other voluntary subjects at the UJEP or another higher-education institution in the Czech Republic or abroad, enabling them to supplement and deepen their knowledge pursuant to their needs.

This selection shall be approved by the doctoral study programme guarantor and subsequently by the doctoral study programme council. The student may collect for each voluntary subject a maximum of 5 credits.

Potential changes to the student's ISP are subject to approval by the doctoral study programme council.

The student shall be systematically guided towards scientific-research activities, presentation thereof and defence of the outputs.

During the course of the studies, the student shall be obliged to introduce and defend the results of their work in each year of study (in the form of a colloquium):

- 1st year of study: defence of the abstract of the dissertation thesis connected to the introduction and discussion of a planned conference paper,
- 2nd year of study: discussion and defence of a scientific article manuscript,
- 3rd year of study (recommended): state doctoral examination and the so-called small defence

The doctoral student shall continuously process their dissertation thesis during their studies on the given topic, approved by the supervisor and the doctoral study programme council. The topic shall follow the research profile of the faculty. The student may request admission to the proper defence once they will have:

- a) completed all remaining study duties with the exception of the dissertation thesis defence,
- b) completed 2 colloquiums in the 1st and 2nd year of study,
- c) completed the so-called "small defence" taking place in front of the members of the relevant department and invited guests, during the course of which it must become apparent that the doctoral student is clearly prepared for the proper defence.

### **Requirements for Internships**

The duties in the doctoral study programme include the duty of taking a part of the study in a foreign institution for a duration of at least one month or another form of direct participation of a student within international cooperation, especially participation in a international creative project with results published or presented abroad.

Students may also complete another internship at the Global Change Research Institute of the Czech Academy of Sciences, p.r.i. or at the Centre for Central European Studies, which is a scientific and research department of the Masaryk Institute and the Archive of the Czech Academy of Sciences (MÚA) and the CEVRO Institute, z.ú.

### **Proposal of Topics of Dissertation Theses**

The proposed topics of dissertation theses represent framework topics that may be specified in more detail:

- Regulatory Barriers to Effective Politics (application in various areas)
- Choice Architecture in Public and Private Organisations: Tools for Streamlining Decision-Making and Information Processing

- Integrity, Corruption, Business Ethics: Field and Laboratory Research of Cheating and Deception
- Why Do (Public and Private) Organisations Fail? Research focused on decision-making errors and faulty organisational design
- Motivation from the perspective of behavioural sciences and its impact on worker performance
- Evaluation of social climate of worksites
- Nudges – when a no, when a yes
- Steepness of social hierarchy and reaction to equality depending on the situation
- Regulation of network industries (application in various areas)
- Regulatory environment and costs for companies (application in various areas)
- Impacts of regulatory interventions on company economy and consumers (application in various areas)