



**General Criteria
for Filling the Functional Positions of Professors and Associate Professors
at the Faculty of Arts, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice**

Article I

1. The qualification requirement for the functional position of associate professor is the fulfilment of the criteria resulting from the required level of criteria for obtaining the title of associate professor at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice set out in the standards for habilitation and inauguration proceedings under a special regulation (Act No. 269/2018 Coll. on quality assurance in higher education, amending Act No. 343/2015 Coll. on public procurement and on amendments of and supplements to certain acts, as amended). The qualification requirement for the functional position of professor is the fulfilment of the criteria resulting from the required level of criteria for obtaining the title of professor at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice set out in the standards for habilitation and inauguration proceedings under a special regulation (Act No. 269/2018 Coll. on quality assurance in higher education, amending Act No. 343/2015 Coll. on public procurement and on amendments of and supplements to certain acts, as amended).
2. Filling the functional position of associate professor or the functional position of professor is incompatible with guaranteeing a study programme or holding the position of rector, vice-rector, dean, vice-dean, senior employee at another higher education institution (the provisions of Section 14 of Act No. 131/2002 Coll. on higher education institutions and on amendments of and supplements to certain acts, as amended), and performing similar work at a higher education institution abroad.

Article II

1. The following criteria apply to filling the functional position of associate professor in a defined field of education and a defined field of science at the Faculty of Arts, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice:
 - a) meeting the criteria resulting from the required level of criteria for obtaining the scientific-pedagogical title of associate professor specified in the standards for habilitation proceedings and inauguration proceedings under Act No. 269/2018 Coll. on quality assurance in higher education, amending Act No. 343/2015 Coll. on public procurement and on amendments of and supplements to certain acts, as amended
 - at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science,
 - at another higher education institution in the Slovak Republic, in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science, if

- Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice has not been granted the right to conduct habilitation and inauguration proceedings in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science,
- in force at the time of filling the functional position of associate professor;
- b) demonstrable continuous prior research activity of the applicant, through which the applicant has contributed to the development of the defined field of science; this must be evidenced by a list of peer-reviewed scientific publications by the applicant;
 - c) demonstrable continuous prior education activity of the applicant in the defined field of education, documented by a list of previous pedagogical activities, including the supervision of final theses;
 - d) achieving internationally recognized results, evidenced by a list of responses to published works, including foreign responses, and also by other awards, with due regard to the specificity of the defined field of education and the defined field of science.

Article III

1. The following criteria apply to filling the functional position of professor in the defined field of education and the defined field of science at the Faculty of Arts, Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice:
 - a) meeting the criteria resulting from the required level of criteria for obtaining the scientific-pedagogical title of professor specified in the standards for habilitation proceedings and inauguration proceedings under Act No. 269/2018 Coll. on quality assurance in higher education, amending Act No. 343/2015 Coll. on public procurement and on amendments of and supplements to certain acts, as amended
 - at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice, in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science,
 - at another higher education institution in the Slovak Republic, in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science, if Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice has not been granted the right to conduct habilitation and inauguration proceedings in the field corresponding to the defined field of education and the defined field of science;
 - b) demonstrable continuous prior research activity of the applicant, through which the applicant has contributed to the development of the defined field of science; this must be evidenced by a list of peer-reviewed scientific publications by the applicant;
 - c) demonstrable continuous prior education activity of the applicant in the defined field of education, documented by a list of previous pedagogical activities, including the supervision of dissertation theses;
 - d) achieving internationally recognized results, evidenced by a list of responses to published works, including foreign responses, and also by other awards, with due regard to the specificity of the defined field of education and the defined field of science.

Article IV

1. These criteria were approved by the Scientific Board of Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice on 17 March 2023, on the proposal of the Scientific Board of the Faculty of Arts at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice. The Scientific Board of the Faculty of Arts at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice discussed these criteria on 2 December 2022.
2. These criteria become valid and effective on the day of their approval by the Scientific Board of Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice.
3. Upon the entry into effect of these criteria, the General Criteria for Filling the Position of Associate Professor and the Position of Professor at the Faculty of Arts, Pavol Jozef Šafárik

University, approved by the Scientific Board of Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice on 1 October 2021 shall cease to be valid and effective.

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