



Guarantor: Rector's Office

Košice, 29 January 2026

Ref.: REK000730/2026-UPA/1004

**Amendment No. 1 to the Specific Conditions
for Filling the Functional Positions of Professors at Pavol Jozef
Šafárik University in Košice and its Parts**

In accordance with the provisions of Section 15(1)(n) and the provisions of Section 12(1)(f) of Act No. 131/2002 Coll. on Higher Education Institutions and on Amendments to Certain Acts, as amended (the "HEI Act"),

I hereby issue

the following Amendment No. 1 to the Specific Conditions for Filling the Functional Positions of Professors at Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice and its Parts of 20 June 2025, Ref.: REK001675/2025-UPA/2167 (the "Conditions"):

**Article 1
Subject Matter of the Amendment**

1. This Amendment No. 1 to the Conditions amends **Annex 1** to the Conditions, entitled "Minimum threshold values of measurable indicators as one part of the documentation for the evaluation of the fulfilment of the requirements for obtaining the scientific-pedagogical title of professor in individual fields of habilitation and inauguration proceedings", as follows:

1.1 in the section "**Faculty of Science**", the following provisions are added to the Field of study: Chemistry:

Field of habilitation and inauguration proceedings:
Chemistry

1. Pedagogical activity

- a) direct teaching of 60 semester hours¹ (lectures, seminars, and exercises) + 10 other activities (e.g. supervision of successfully completed diploma theses, leading of gifted students, participation in education-related projects, etc.);
- b) supervision of 2 successfully completed doctoral students;
- c) opposing 2 dissertations;
- d) preparation of 2 peer-reviewed study materials, each of min. 3 AHs, or preparation of 2 peer-reviewed study materials ≤ 3 AHs as the first author.

¹ One semester hour means one hour per week in one semester.

2. Creative activity

- a) 50 scientific publications registered in the WoS or SCOPUS database;
- b) 15 scientific papers as the first or corresponding author;
- c) 20 scientific papers classified in the Q1 or Q2 category according to the WoS database or h- index ≥ 14 ;
- d) 200 responses registered in the WoS or SCOPUS citation databases.

1.2 in the section "**Faculty of Arts**", the following provisions are added to the Field of study: Historical Sciences:

Field of habilitation and inauguration proceedings:
Historical Sciences

1. Pedagogical activity

- a) direct teaching of 60 semester hours² (lectures and exercises) + demonstration of at least two of the following types of activities: participation in the creation of study materials, in the development of the quality of study programmes; leading of gifted students (e.g. HSPA, SSPA, etc.); leading a team in education development projects;
- b) supervision of 1+1³ successfully completed doctoral students;
- c) 1 university textbook + 2 teaching materials or lecture materials.

2. Creative activity

- a) 43 outputs of creative activity, including 3 participations in a scientific grant project;
- b) first authorship or a minimum of 40 % share in all submitted publication outputs is required;
- c) 3 monographs or scientific studies in the extent of monograph, 10 original scientific papers registered in WoS/SCOPUS/ERIH+ or published in foreign journals, 27 original scientific works of another category, e.g. monographs, chapters in monographs, studies;
- d) 25 responses in foreign publications (also outside the WoS/SCOPUS databases).

Article 2 **Final Provisions**

1. Other provisions of the Conditions that are not subject to this Amendment No. 1 to the Conditions shall remain unaffected.
2. This Amendment No. 1 to the Conditions was approved by the Scientific Board of Pavol Jozef Šafárik University in Košice on 28 January 2026.
3. This Amendment No. 1 to the Conditions shall enter into force and become effective on the date of its signature by the Rector of UPJŠ.

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Rector of UPJŠ

² One semester hour means one hour per week in one semester.

³ Supervisor of doctoral students who have successfully defended their dissertation, + another doctoral student after a successful dissertation examination.