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Principles for Awarding Imrich Karvaš Prize

2024

The Rector of the University of Economics in Bratislava (hereinafter also referred to as "EUBA") is issuing, in accordance with Article 11(9) of the EUBA Constitution, this internal directive entitled Principles for Awarding Imrich Karvaš Prize (hereinafter also referred to as "the Principles").

Article 1

General Provisions

1. The Imrich Karvaš Prize (hereinafter also referred to as "the Prize") is awarded by the EUBA Rector to commemorate one of EUBA's founders, prominent author of economic theories and former Governor of the Slovak National Bank, Prof. Imrich Karvaš.
2. The Imrich Karvaš Prize may be awarded for the best master's thesis defended and the best dissertation thesis defended to EUBA graduates who completed their studies at EUBA in the academic year preceding the academic year in which the Imrich Karvaš Prize is awarded.

Article 2

Submission of Proposals for Imrich Karvaš Prize Awards

1. Proposals for Imrich Karvaš Prize awards are submitted by EUBA faculties to the EUBA Rector by 10 September of the calendar year.
2. The proposal for awarding the Imrich Karvaš Prize must be made in writing.
3. Each EUBA faculty submits one proposal for awarding the Prize for the best master's thesis and one proposal for awarding the Prize for the best dissertation thesis. If a faculty has no PhD graduate in the academic year under evaluation, such faculty only submits a proposal for awarding the Prize for the best master's thesis.
4. The proposal for an Imrich Karvaš Prize award includes the candidate's name, thesis title (including in English), thesis type (master's thesis or dissertation thesis) and detailed justification of the proposal.
5. The written proposal for an Imrich Karvaš Prize award involves one copy of the proposed thesis in pdf format, submitted to the EUBA Rector in electronic form.

Article 3

Criteria for Imrich Karvaš Prize Award and Evaluation of Proposals

1. Awarding the Imrich Karvaš Prize is subject particularly to the following criteria:
 - a) topical nature of the proposed thesis' subject-matter as regards business and social environments,
 - b) how well the proposed thesis is prepared,
 - c) contribution of the proposed thesis' author to the issues addressed,
 - d) application of theoretical knowledge, exceptional contribution to economic or social practice, and application of exceptionally valuable conclusions in the teaching process.
2. Proposals for Imrich Karvaš Prize awards are evaluated by an evaluation committee.

3. The evaluation committee to discuss prize award proposals is set up by the EUBA Rector separately to evaluate the proposed master's theses and separately to evaluate the proposed dissertation theses.
4. The evaluation of proposals and selection of candidates for the prize award will be carried out by the evaluation committees usually by 30 October of the calendar year.
5. The prize-winning proposal for the Imrich Karvaš Prize award for the best master's thesis will be the proposal with the most evaluation committee members' votes. If votes are tied for several proposals, the winning proposal will be decided by the University Rector.
6. The prize-winning proposal for the Imrich Karvaš Prize award for the best dissertation thesis will be the proposal with the most evaluation committee members' votes. If votes are tied for several proposals, the winning proposal will be decided by the University Rector.

Article 3

Final Provisions

1. The Imrich Karvaš Prize is awarded by the EUBA Rector usually at a EUBA Scientific Council meeting.
2. The Imrich Karvaš Prize award is certified by a diploma.
3. The Imrich Karvaš Prize for the best master's thesis carries a financial reward of 400 Euros. The Imrich Karvaš Prize for the best dissertation thesis carries a financial reward of 600 Euros.
4. These Principles shall become valid on the date of signing thereof, and effective on 1 April 2024.

Bratislava, on this 13th day of March 2024

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EUBA Rector