UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB

**FACULTY OF PHARMACY AND BIOCHEMISTRY**

announces the

CALL FOR ADMISSION

to the PhD program "Pharmaceutical-Biochemical Sciences"

in the academic year 2016/2017

1. University of Zagreb, Faculty of Pharmacy and Biochemistry, Ante Kovačića 1, 10 000 Zagreb, is admitting students to its PhD program "Pharmaceutical-Biochemical Sciences" leading to the academic title of Doctor of Science, organised in two modules: "Pharmacy" and "Medical biochemistry".

For more information, visit:

<http://fbf.s2.novenaweb.info/hr/studij-i-studiranje/poslijediplomski-doktorski-studij/>

1. Duration of the study program is three (3) years. Students can enrol on a full-time or a part-time basis.
2. Candidates eligible for admission are those who have:

* completed an undergraduate or graduate degree, or an integrated undergraduate and graduate degree in the field of biomedicine, natural sciences and biotechnical science,
* the equivalence of the earlier education earned abroad is determined in procedure of the recognition of foreign educational qualifications for the purpose of continuation of education in the Republic of Croatia, in accordance with the Act on Recognition of Foreign Educational Qualifications (OG no. 158/03, 198/03, 138/06, 45/11). For more information, visit:

<http://fbf.s2.novenaweb.info/hr/upisi/akademsko-priznavanje-kvalifikacija/>

1. The number of places available: 20 in total (for citizens of the Republic of Croatia, the EU (EPG) and citizens of third countries – altogether).
2. Tuition fee: 20,000.00 HRK per academic year or 25,000.00 HRK for third countries' citizens per academic year. Registration and enrolment costs: 300.00 HRK.
3. Selection criteria:

* academic achievement,
* a paper published or accepted for publication in a scientific journal,
* prizes and awards,
* postgraduate specialist programme or specialization

Interview with a candidate is a mandatory part of admission procedure.

Candidates should have a potential mentor, whose written consent is necessary for the final admission to the PhD program. The mentor shall have at least three scientific papers published in relation to the topic of the candidate's PhD thesis and meet other conditions of the University of Zagreb for doctoral studies' mentors.

1. The candidates must submit:

* completed online Study Registration form,
* motivational essay,
* short CV with a list of published scientific and professional papers,
* photocopy of diploma (original to be presented for verification)/Decision on the Recognition of Foreign Higher Education Qualifications,
* transcript of grades,
* photocopy of certificate of nationality or an equivalent document for foreign citizens,
* confirmation by institution or a personally signed declaration on the payment of tuition fees,
* choice of a mentor (form),
* foreign candidates should provide evidence of Croatian or English language competence,
* additional references, at least two (reference form).

Foreign students enrolling in doctoral studies are obliged to pay for their health insurance and personal accident insurance.

Online application: <http://refer.pharma.hr:9080/prijave/>

Other documents should be mailed to the address: Sveučilište u Zagrebu Farmaceutsko-biokemijski fakultet, Ante Kovačića 1, 10 000 Zagreb (with note: 'Za natječaj na doktorski studij "Farmaceutsko-biokemijske znanosti"').

Incomplete applications or those that are not in compliance with instructions will not be considered.

Deadline for submission: 19th September 2016.

In the event of an insufficient number of candidates, the Faculty reserves the right not to teach the program for this academic year.

The required forms and all information can be found on the Faculty's website:

More detailed information can be obtained via e-mail: [mstefan@pharma.hr](mailto:mstefan@pharma.hr) or phone: 01 4818 302.

In this Call, words denoting one gender include both genders.