

## **Application for a grant under the Programme of SAS grants for PhD students - template**

*This document serves only as a template of the application for a grant. Application shall be filled in within the online system for application submission. Maximum length of the application is 3 pages, A4 format. Font and its size as well as page layout will be predefined in the online system – Arial, 10 pt, 1.15 spacing, without additional spacing before or after paragraph, 2.5 cm margins on each side; it will not be allowed to use any highlighting of the text – bold, italic, larger font, etc. One picture can be uploaded into the application as a separate attachment – link to it should be provided in the relevant text part.*

*Application for a grant can be prepared in Slovak or English language. Annotation must be provided in both languages.*

***First part of the application is represented by the administrative data on applicant, application and training workplace.***

***Next part is represented by the project itself for which the funding is requested. Project consists of following parts:***

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### **Annotation**

*Annotation should provide a brief description of the whole proposed project. It should be in sufficient quality enabling its direct publication. It should not contain any sensitive data.*

### **Scientific objectives of the project**

*Please provide information on the scientific objectives of your project for the whole duration of the project implementation.*

### **State of the art**

*Please provide information on the scientific background of your project and current state of the topic based on the study of relevant literature. This part must also contain citations in the text and bibliography on the bottom (short bibliographic format is sufficient).*

### **Methodology and the work plan**

*Please provide description of the methods planned to use to achieve scientific objectives of the project. Provide also information on the work plan proposed for the whole duration of the project.*

**Budget of the project**

*Please provide short explanation of the budget proposed and the requested amount. Then provide budget breakdown to the individual categories with the adequate justification.*

*Please note that the category 'Travel costs (conferences, congresses...)' has limit set to maximum 50% of the requested amount.*

<b>Requested amount of grant</b>	.... €	
<b>Categories</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Justification</b>
Consumables	.... €	
Services	.... €	
Travel costs (conferences, congresses...)	.... €	
Travel costs (lab visits, specimens...)	.... €	
Other (publishing, machine time...)	.... €	

***Abovementioned application parts will be followed by the declaration on the correctness, completeness and truthfulness of data provided, declaration on the authorship of the PhD student who is stated as an applicant for a grant and consent with the processing of personal data. These parts will be included in the pdf file of the application generated in the online system once the application will be submitted. These parts must be signed in the hard copy of the application sent via regular post.***