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**The Budapest Corvinus University, based on the Presidential Committee Resolution No. 15/2022 regarding awards for students, announces a call for the TDK Publication Excellence Award for students and staff of the University for the second semester of the 2024/2025 academic year.**

(1) The goal of the TDK Publication Excellence Award is to encourage the continuation of TDK research and the publication of results in recognized and prestigious academic platforms.
(2) The award will be conferred by the Rector.
(3) All students and staff members of the University are eligible to apply.
(4) The conditions for submitting an application are:
a) At least one author of the TDK thesis forming the basis of the publication must have had active student status at the University during the semester of submission.
b) The TDK thesis must have been submitted at a TDK conference organized by the University between September 1, 2020, and May 31, 2025.
(5) The application must be for a publication that clearly references (either in a footnote or in the main text) that it is based on a thesis from the University’s TDK (Scientific Students’ Associations). The application must include:
a) The TDK thesis that forms the basis of the publication.
b) If the publication has been published, the article based on the TDK thesis.
c) If the publication is in process, a letter of acceptance and the final manuscript.
d) A supporting statement from any author who is not affiliated with the University, confirming that the student or staff member submitting the application is eligible to apply with the co-authored work.
(6) The award will be granted only to those with an active student status or staff employment at the University.
(7) The award consists of a one-time monetary prize:

* For publications in Hungarian: 120,000 HUF gross per publication
* For publications in English: 250,000 HUF gross per publication
The award is granted per submitted work, so if the thesis has multiple authors, the award will be divided according to their given statements; if no such statements are provided, the amount will be equally split. If one of the authors is not affiliated with the University as a student or staff member, the portion of the prize designated for that author will be shared among those affiliated with the University.
(8) The University will award the prize after the completion of the institutional TDK competition.
(9) Applications and attachments must be submitted via Neptun:
* For student applicants: Under the "Administration/Requests/Fillable Requests" section, through the request “P603-TDK Publication Excellence Award (H) 2024/2025/2”.
* For staff applicants: Under the "Administration/Requests/Fillable Requests" section, through the request “O101-TDK Publication Excellence Award (M) 2024/2025/2”.
The application period begins on June 16, 2025, at 10:00 AM, and the deadline for submission is June 20, 2025, at 12:00 PM. Late applications will not be considered, and there is no possibility to submit documents after the deadline.
(10) No supplementary documents will be accepted after the deadline. Applications will be evaluated based solely on the submitted documents.
(11) Applications will be evaluated by a three-member professional committee in each scientific field (GTDT, KTDT, TTDT), appointed by the chairperson of the relevant TDT (Scientific Students’ Associations) in agreement with the chair of the ETDT (National Scientific Students’ Association). The chair of the relevant TDT will be a permanent member of each committee.
(12) Evaluation Criteria:
a) For English-language publications: Minimum Scopus Q2 ranking.
b) For Hungarian-language publications: Minimum MTA-A ranking.
c) If the total amount required for the awards exceeds the available budget as specified in the call, the applications will be ranked according to the AIP score of the journal in which the publication appears. Only those publications that match the budget will be considered for monetary awards.
(13) There is no possibility for an appeal or legal remedy against the decision.

Budapest, June 12, 2025.

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