UNIVERSITY OF PÉCS FACULTY OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS

INTRODUCTION OF COMPULSORY INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE FOR STUDENTS AT THE

BSC PROGRAMME **BUSINESS** ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

FULL-TIME TRAINING, IN ENGLISH

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Preliminaries:

The Faculty of Business and Economics's (hereinafter School) BSc programme Business Administration and Management (Bachelor of Business Administration and Management in English) was awarded EFMD international programme accreditation in February 2023.

Compliance with the EFMD accreditation standards was verified on site by an international panel of experts on the basis of a self-evaluation report prepared by the School, following which 5 priority Areas of Required Improvements (ARI) were identified.

The purpose of the proposal:

• each student should accumulate 20 ECTS credits during the 7 semesters of the course, which will be considered as international experience

The framework for implementation:

- study or work placement mobility abroad (full semester), in both cases the implementation is the prerequisite for the graduation exam
- participation in internationalisation projects and courses available at the School
- participation in a double degree programme

Form of mobility:

- Physical mobility is preferred for fee-paying students and students on state scholarships.
- Students participating in the Stipendium Hungaricum scholarship programme are encouraged to gain experience in accordance with the legal conditions in force; scholarship shall not be paid for the duration of the physical mobility.

Duration of mobility: at least one semester (5 months)

Recommended semesters for mobility: semesters 3-6

Conditions:

- If the student is not eligible for an Erasmus+ scholarship, s/he may travel with Erasmus+ label status or must participate in Internationalisation at Home projects/courses available at the School, and accumulate the necessary credits from these.
- Participation in the double degree programme is equivalent to gaining mobility points.
- For Erasmus scholarship holders, students of the BAM programme can apply only to EFMD/AMBA/AACSB accredited partners; if they travel with credit mobility/Campus Mundi or with the own scholarships of the universities, this is not required. Students who complete their mobility with label status (without scholarship support) are not eligible to apply to an accredited partner institution.

Introduction of compulsory international experience programme for students

Participation in School internationalisation projects/courses:

Requirement: 20 points (1 point = 25-30 contact hours) at least

Project	Duration	International points
Participation in international mobility	Semester	20
Participation in double degree programme	As specified in contract	20
iExpo participation as exhibitor	1 day	1
Conference presentation in English	1 occasion	1
International Video Pitch Competition + report	2 rounds at least	1
Summer Programme (abroad, at partner institution)	3 weeks at least	7
Participation in subject A or B implemented in international cooperation	Semester	7
Participation in subject C implemented in international cooperation	Semester	3
ITW and WOP guest lecturers	4 occasions	1
Internship in English language, not in home country	12 weeks	20

Non-compliance:

The student is not allowed to participate in the Defence (Final Examination) without gathering the necessary 20 international points. After the seventh semester, only internship (work experience) in English language can be accounted for the missing international points.