

Collaboration Protocol Scholarship Programme "tb.lx"

Between

DTB Tech & Data Hub, Unipessoal Lda, hereinafter referred to as "tb.lx", with Tax Identification Number (NIPC) 515020303, having its registered office at Rua Mouzinho da Silveira 32, 5th floor, 1250-096 Lisbon, Portugal, herein represented by Christian Lessing, as Chief Executive Officer, Daniela Moczjdlower, as Chief Financial Officer.

And

INSTITUTO SUPERIOR TÉCNICO, hereinafter designated as IST, with Tax Number 501507930, endowed with administrative autonomy, located at Avenida Rovisco Pais, Lisbon, represented by Professor Rogério Anacleto Cordeiro Colaço, in his capacity as President.

Preamble

Considering that:

- a) The determining role that is attributed to universities, both in the knowledge economy and in the preparation of human resources capable of facing the challenges of competitiveness on a global scale;
- b) Some students with a relevant academic performance may not be able to continue their studies due to their financial difficulties
- c) tb.lx recognizes the importance that Portuguese higher education has in its success;
- d) tb.lx intends, under its Social Responsibility Policy, to support students in higher education courses in areas of knowledge close to its activity, who show recognised merit and whose social situation justifies the attribution of a scholarship;

The present Protocol Scholarship Programme is hereby entered into between IST and tb.lx and shall be governed by the following clauses:

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Clause One

Object and Scope

1. This Protocol aims to define the rights and obligations of each of the parties in the context of the tb.lx IST Scholarship Programme, whose Scholarship Regulations are an annex to this Protocol and form an integral part thereof.
2. The Scholarship programme is intended to contribute towards the training of students with relevant academic performance and, simultaneously, with financial needs, in accordance with the conditions referred to in the Regulation.
3. tb.lx will award scholarships, valid for one year, with the possibility of renewal for the following year under the terms defined in the Regulations.
4. The Regulations detail the implementation of the said Programme for the 2021/2022 academic year. For each renewal year, a new Regulation shall be drawn up and signed by the representatives of the parties.

Clause Two

Obligations between the parties

1. tb.lx undertakes to:
 - a) Deliver, when signing this protocol, and after receiving an invoice from IST, a donation in the total amount corresponding to the agreed Scholarships, without prejudice to the provisions of al. c) of paragraph 2 of this clause;
 - b) Cooperate in the selection of candidates for the award of the scholarships;
 - c) Monitor the process of implementation of the "tb.lx" Programme at IST, according to the Scholarship Regulations.
2. IST commits itself to:
 - a) Manage the whole process related to the "tb.lx" Grants Programme, from the dissemination, reception of applications, pre-selection, information to tb.lx, selection of candidates, information to the candidates, signing of the Grant Contract, payment of the grants and monitoring of the grantees, according to the conditions defined in this Protocol and in the Regulations of the respective academic year;

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- b) To deliver a report, after the end of each academic year, about the academic performance of the scholarship holders and the financial execution of the scholarships paid;
- c) To return to tb.lx the amount delivered and not attributed to any student, under the terms of the Scholarship Regulations;
- d) To issue, for the attention of tb.lx, the valid discharge document for tax purposes;
- e) To practice the acts imposed by the tax administration so that this donation may be included in the Statute of Tax Benefits related to patronage.

Clause Three

Competition procedure

1. Within the scope of this Protocol and of the "tb.lx" Scholarship Programme, the steps to be considered, the respective responsibilities, means and deadlines are as follows:

Stage	Responsibility and Means	Deadlines
Dissemination of the call	IST e tb.lx website, social networks, local display and other means of communication	From the date of entry of the Regulations until the deadline for receipt of applications
Receipt of applications	IST	30 days prior to the deadline for receipt of applications
Selection of candidates	IST e tb.lx	15 days after closing date for receipt of applications
Communication of results	IST	15 days after the deadline for selection of candidates
Signature of the Grant Holder contract	IST	15 days after the deadline for communication of results

2. The conditions for awarding the scholarships and the respective deadlines, as well as the

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composition and duties of the Jury are defined in the Scholarship Regulations of the respective year.

Clause Four

Monitoring Committee

This Protocol shall be promoted and managed by the following members

- a) CEO of tb.lx, or whomever he/she may appoint;
- b) President of IST, or whomever he/she may designate;
- c) The head of IST's Academic Development Unit (NDA), as manager of this Protocol.

Clause Five

Amendments and omissions

1. Any amendment to this Protocol shall only be valid if reduced to writing and signed by the parties, with express reference to the clauses eliminated, altered or added.
2. Any omissions to the present Protocol shall be considered and decided upon by the Parties.

Clause Six

Validity

The present Protocol shall come into force as of the date indicated, if signed by the parties involved, and shall remain valid until 31 July 2022, being considered renewed for periods of one year whenever the Scholarship Regulation for that year is signed and approved by both Parties.

Clause Seven

Termination and revocation

1. The present Protocol may be terminated at any time, by either party, by means of a registered letter with acknowledgement of receipt sent to the other party with a minimum notice period of 30 (thirty days) prior to the date on which it is intended to take effect.
2. Revocation by agreement of the Parties may take place at any time and produce immediate effects and shall be set out in a document drawn up for this purpose.

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Clause Eight

Donation

The Grantors consider that the amounts used by the Second Grantor for the attribution of scholarships, supported by the donation granted by the First Grantor under the present Protocol, can fit, for due legal purposes, within the scope of the provisions of subparagraph a), of the point 1 of article 62 of the Tax Benefits Statute.

Done in duplicate, with one original for each of the signatory parties, together with the respective translation into English, but in full faith.

Lisbon, 25, 03 2022

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