

## STUDY CONTRACT

concluded between

Name

Date of Birth:

Address:

Social Insurance Number:

(hereinafter referred to as the student)

and

Sigmund Freud PrivatUniversität Wien GmbH as legal entity of Sigmund Freud  
PrivatUniversität Wien, Freudplatz 1, 1020 Vienna, Austria  
(hereinafter referred to as the University)

Start of Studies:

### § 1

#### Subject matter of the contract

(1) This contract regulates the mutual rights and obligations of the contracting parties with the aim at achieving the educational goal in the duration of study specified in the curriculum of the university course **Master of Laws in Public International Law** with the corresponding academic degree.

(2) The University declares that it has been accredited as a university in private ownership in accordance with the Austrian Private Universities Act and that it is thus able to guarantee, within the framework of this accreditation, that academic degrees are accorded the same status as those of a university run by the State (Art. 81c B-VG).

(3) Part of this contract shall be the notification to the Federal Minister of the establishment of the university course, in accordance with Sec. 10a para. 9 of the Private Universities Act, the curriculum and any regulations of the University.

### § 2

#### Duties of the University

(1) The University undertakes to implement the curriculum in the adopted form. Thereby, it has the reserved right to make changes to this curriculum or to make necessary changes as regards to the teaching staff, when these changes do not jeopardise the study objective.

(2) Should the University, for whatever reason, not (or no longer) be in a position to (further) implement the curriculum, it shall support the student in the recognition of the qualifications/examinations acquired to that date within the framework of the European Credit

Transfer System (ECTS).

### **§ 3 Duties of the student**

- (1) The student undertakes to actively participate in the courses of the curriculum and to comply with any regulations of the University.
- (2) The University shall have an unrestricted and royalty-free right of use all work and research results of the student, or all such results in which the student is involved and which are obtained within the framework and in connection with the course of study.
- (3) The student declares that he/she acknowledges the obligation to pay the tuition fees and that he/she is able to do so. If a third person joins the debt, § 12 of the contract must be completed and signed by this third person.

### **§ 4 Place of performance**

The place of performance for all claims arising from this contract is the location of the training facility.

### **§ 5 Duration of contract / Early termination**

- (1) The contract is concluded for the time period until the training objective is achieved.
- (2) Early termination is possible at the end of each semester (31.01. and 31.8.) subject to two months' notice.
- (3) The student may terminate the contract without giving any reason.
- (4) Termination by the university may be effected by decision of the Rectorate, in particular in the following cases:
  - a. Presence of a serious or repeated violation of university regulations;
  - b. Failure of the student to achieve the educational objective or a partial educational objective as specified in the respective curriculum;
  - c. Failure to pay in full the due tuition fees. In this case, the University's claim to the tuition fees remains valid.

### **§ 6 Place of jurisdiction**

The parties agree that the place of jurisdiction shall be the city of Vienna. The parties agree on the exclusive application of Austrian law.

### **§ 7**

### **Severability clause**

Should one or more provisions of this contract be or become invalid, this shall not affect the validity of the remaining provisions. The contracting parties are obliged to replace invalid provisions as soon as possible with new valid agreements that come as close as possible to the original purpose of the contract. The same applies to a loophole.

### **§ 8**

#### **Written form**

Contract amendments and supplements as well as the cancellation of the contract are only permissible and valid in writing. The amendment of the written form requirement must also be in writing.

### **§ 9**

#### **Tuition fees and payment modalities**

- (1) The tuition fees for the university course Public International Law amount to EUR 16,000, which, taking into account the standard duration of study of two semesters, corresponds to EUR 8,000 per semester.
- (2) Creditable prior learning reduces the amount of ECTS credits to be earned and leads to a reduction in tuition fees. The imputed value of approximately EUR 290 per ECTS credit is not applied, but an amount reduced by 20% in the amount of EUR 232 per ECTS credit. The reduction compensates for the special effort to be made by the University with regard to the credits to be assessed on a case-by-case basis and the associated individual adjustments to the curricular requirements.
- (3) On the basis of the crediting plan, the planned duration of studies is determined together with the student in accordance with a forecast.
- (4) If ECTS credits are completed within the framework of a mobility programme, this does not lead to a reduction in tuition fees.
- (5) The regular semester fees are payable in advance for each semester on September 1 and March 1 of each year. If the semester-based tuition fees for the entire academic year are paid in advance, a discount in the amount of 1 percent shall be granted. If quarterly payment is agreed on September 1, December 1, March 1 and June 1, the tuition fee shall be increased by 1 percent. In the case of monthly payment in advance on the first day of each month, the tuition fee increases by 2 percent. If a contract is concluded after the stated due dates, outstanding amounts and partial payments are due within two weeks of the conclusion of the contract. In this case, the above-mentioned discounts and surcharges also apply.
- (6) Exceeding the standard duration of study by a maximum of two semesters does not result in an increase of the total tuition fee. If the duration of studies is exceeded beyond this, the University reserves the right to charge further tuition fees. Special reasons, such as pregnancy or illness, will be taken into account. Falling short of the standard duration of study does not result in a change in the tuition fee.

- (7) The University is entitled to increase the tuition fees if the index based on the Consumer Price Index 2015 has increased by more than five percent compared to the index value applicable at the time of conclusion of the contract. The amount shall be commercially rounded to the nearest ten euros. Such an adjustment shall take effect at the beginning of the next semester.
- (8) If due tuition fees are not paid despite reminders, the University may prohibit admission to courses and examinations until the outstanding tuition fees have been paid or secured.

**§ 10**  
**Contract execution**

The contract shall be drawn up in two copies, of which the student and the University shall each receive one copy.

Enclosure: Conditions sheet

Vienna \_\_\_\_\_

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For the University

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of future student

Supplementary agreement to the study contract of \_\_\_\_\_

**§ 11**  
**Accession of debt**

The undersigned, by signing this Agreement, agrees to be bound by the obligations of the student as set forth in Section 9 Tuition and Payment Procedures of this Agreement, so that the student and the undersigned, by making this declaration, shall be jointly and severally liable for all payment obligations of the student arising out of this provision.

Vienna, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
the Acceding Party  
First name and surname in block letters

\_\_\_\_\_  
the Acceding Party  
Signature

Please fill in:  
Address of the acceding party/parties

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