



MERIT Enrollment Expenses Scholarship Agreement 2023-2024

The Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya (UPC) with registered office in Barcelona, Carrer de Jordi Girona 31, called hereafter UPC, and represented for the purposes of signature of this contract by the Rector **Daniel Crespo Artiaga**, of the one part,

and

_____ with
address _____
and (DNI, NIE, Passport) number _____, named hereafter “the beneficiary”, of
the other part, have agreed as follows:

Art. 1: Acceptance

1.1 The beneficiary has been admitted to begin studying during fall semester of 2024 in the Master's degree in Machine Learning and Cybersecurity for Internet Connected Systems taught at UPC (in what follows named MERIT Master's degree).

1.2 Based on official documents and information provided by the student, the beneficiary is eligible to receive the MERIT scholarship funded by the MERIT Consortium.

1.3 The beneficiary accepts this scholarship.

1.3 Both the beneficiary and UPC are fully committed to observe the conditions settled in this agreement.

Art. 2: Purpose of the scholarship

2.1 This scholarship is granted to the beneficiary with the sole purpose of pursuing the MERIT Master's degree.

2.2. The scholarship supports the following expenses:

1. The tuition costs and other fees and rates charged by UPC for a master full semester (30 ECTS) during three consecutive semesters.
2. The cost of issuance of the official title.

Art. 3 : Beneficiary commitments



3.1 The beneficiary undertakes to study for three semesters at the above mentioned university as a full-time degree seeking student. They undertake to follow the courses they are registered for on a regular basis and to take part in all foreseen forms of evaluation for these courses.

3.2 The beneficiary will actively participate in all mandatory activities of the MERIT Master's degree programme to validate at least 30 ECTS in each semester.

3.3 At the end of each semester, the beneficiary undertakes to write a report on the results of their academic progress and results, recommendations for program improvements and successful actions. This report should be submitted to the administrative desk of UPC at Manresa.

3.4 The beneficiary must provide any personal data required for the performance of this Agreement. They must notify the administrative desk of UPC at Manresa of any amendments to be made to their personal data.

Art. 4: Duration

4.1 The present agreement comes into force on the date of the last signature.

4.2 The scholarship lasts for three semesters.

Art. 5: Payment arrangements

5.1 During the academic procedures, the expenses supported will be charged directly to MERIT project by the enrollment desk in such a way that the beneficiary will not be required to pay by itself.

5.2 In the following cases, the beneficiary undertakes to immediately inform the MERIT Master's administrative desk of UPC at Manresa:

- In case they withdraw from the study programme;
- In case they do not validate the required number of ECTS of the academic semester at UPC
- In case they do not complete at least one full semester of study at the university;
- In case their study period at the university ends earlier than expected or in case of any other change in their dates.

In these cases, the scholarship payment will be immediately stopped and reimbursement can be considered depending on the reason for dropping out.

Art. 6: Personal data protection



The beneficiary acknowledges and accepts that UPC processes the personal data related to them at any time before, during, or after being enrolled in the master programme for paying and managing the scholarship.

The categories of personal data processed are the following:

- Contact details (name, surname, physical address phone number, email address).
- Date of birth, nationality and gender.
- Academic career (academic year, study cycle, study field).
- Number of months of the financial support, amount of the financial support, amount per month.

This information could be sent to the following organisations

- MERIT Master awarding universities and partners
- _____ **Joint Undertaking**, in connection with the funding provided by this organisation.

The beneficiary personal data is kept throughout the duration of the programme and for as long as is needed to draw up reports on projects related to the programme. The data will be kept for five years after the final report is published to keep a record of your participation in the event of subsequent problems, evaluations or audits requested by the aforementioned organisations.

The beneficiary may, on written request, gain access to their data and correct any information that is inaccurate or incomplete. They should address any questions regarding the processing of their personal data to UPC. Complete information is provided in Data Protection pages of UPC web site. The beneficiary may exercise these rights by following the procedure described on these web pages or they should go to the following contact

Delegate for Data Protection (Legal Services and Risk Assessment Area),
Plaça de Eusebi Güell 6, Vèrtex Building, Floor 0, 08034, Barcelona. E-mail:
proteccio.dades@upc.edu.

Art. 7: Law Applicable

This agreement is governed by the terms of the contract and, on a subsidiary basis, by the law of Spain with the possibility for the beneficiary to bring legal proceedings before the court in accordance with the applicable national law.

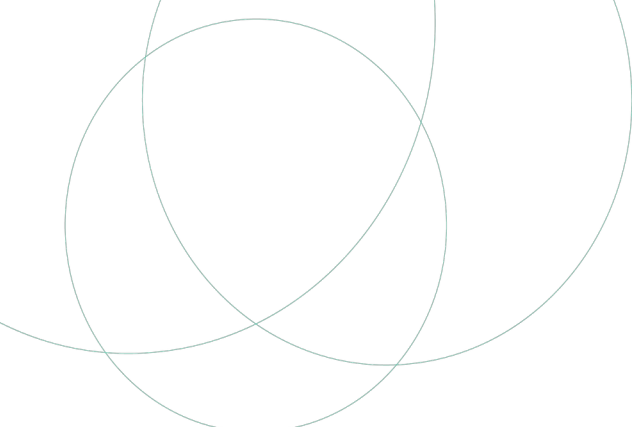
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Signatures:

For the beneficiary

For UPC,

Prof. Daniel Crespo Artiaga



Done at **city**

Date: _____

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Date: _____