INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE PEER REVIEW PANEL FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF THE FULFILMENT OF STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITATION OF STUDY PROGRAMMES OF DOCTORAL STUDIES OF ART

The aim of the accreditation is to determine that the higher education insitution and study programmes fulfil the standards from atricle 12 paragraphs 13) and 14) of the Law on Higher Education ("Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia", 88/17, 27/18 and 73/18) and that the higher education institution is entitled to issue public documents according to this law.

During the process of the accreditation of the higher education institution, it is to be determined whether standards for accreditation have been fulfilled, whether the institution fulfills the respective conditions from articles 44–48 of the Law on Higher Education ("Official Gazette of the Republic of Serbia" 88/17, 27/18 and 73/18) as well as whether it fulfills the condition regarding the required number of teachers.

The condition regarding the required number of teachers is fulfilled by the higher education institution if it has teachers employed with full-time working hours for the performance of at least 50% of classes of active teaching process within the study programme of doctoral studies of art for which the working licence is required, and at least 20 teachers employed with full-time working hours at the higher education institution.

The process of accreditation is regullary conducted in a seven-year period, or sooner if requested by the higher education institution.

Documentation to be submitted by the institution, as well as the review report, are based on the following documents

- 1. Regulations on Standards and Procedures for Accreditation of Study Programmes
- 2. Instructions and Standards for Preparation of Documentation for Accreditation of Doctoral Studies of Arts

The enlisted documents are available at the website www.nat.rs.

Members of the Peer review panel are acquainted with the National Entity for Accreditation and Quality Assurance in Higher Education of Serbia Code of Ethics and they conduct review in accordance with the Code and the according documents.

Peer review panel, depending on the object of review, follows the standards, instructions and documentation submitted by the institution, upon which it makes the REVIEW REPORT.

It is mandatory for the Peer review panel to make the report both in the electronic and paper form. Peer review panel is obliged to file the review report in both forms before the deadline enlisted in the review contract.

Members of the Peer review panel receive:

- documentation in electronic form,
- Regulations on Standards and Procedure for Accreditation of Study Programmes
- Instructions for Preparation of Documentation for the Accreditation of Doctoral Studies of Arts
- Standards and Instuctions on Accreditation of Doctoral Studies of Arts
- Regulations on the list of professional, academic and scientific titles
- Regulations on scientific, art or applied areas within educational-scientific/educational-artistic field

Peer review panel analyses each standard relevant for the submitted study programme of the third degree.

It is determined in the instructions that the institution proves the fulfilment of standards by an according description, as well as attachments and tables in which according data which document the fulfulment of given standard are depicted. The institution can prove fulfilment of a standard in a different way as well, by additional attachments and tables that are not enlisted in the Regulations on Preparation of Documentation for the Accreditation.

Reviewers follow the Regulations for the Peer review panel, which are organised in the same manner as Regulations on Preparation of Documentation for Accreditation. Instructions for review are given in textual descriptions along with each standard, whereby reviewers can open the according files related to the tables and attachments submitted by the institution in its documentation.

After the insight in the submitted documentation, Peer review panel analyses the fulfilment of each

individual standard.

Peer review panel prepares a preliminary report on the review form based on the previous analysis and assesses:

- whether self-evaluation is conducted in accordance to the Standards on Self-evaluation and Quality Assessment of Higher Education Institutions;
- which standards are, during the self-evaluation and quality assessment, fulfilled entirely, which ones partially, and which ones have not been fulfilled;
- which areas of the higher education institution functioning are satisfactory quality-wise, which are partially satisfactory and which are dissatisfactory.
- which standards have been, during the acreditation of the institution, fulfilled entirely, which ones partially, and which ones have not been fulfilled.
- whether the institution acted in accordance with the recommendations from the previous decision on accreditation and the report on external quality assessment.

Peer review panel for accreditation of higher education institution, establishes additional facts relevant for the making of the decision on the request for accreditation via direct insight into the work of the higher education institution, while the information on its arrival to the higher education institution is to be provided by the coordinator 15 days prior to the planned visit at the latest.

During the visit, the higher education institution is obliged to provide the Peer review panel for accreditation of higher education institution with all the requested data, free access and insight into the teaching process as well as management process, insight into the useful space, encounter with teachers, students, non-teaching staff, self-evaluation commission, alumni organisation, as well as everything else relevant for the process of accreditation.

After the insight into the submitted documentation and the direct insight into the work of the institution, Peer review panel analyses and assesses the fulfilment of each individual standard and gives a numerical grade on the scale from 5 to 10 as well as a descriptive grade, comments and recommendations which are incorporated in the report.

Peer review panel delivers the review report to the coordinator. The coordinator delivers the report to the higher education institution that can give, within 15 days form the delivery of the report, potential remarks regarding facts emlisted in the report.

After the expiration of the 15-day deadline, Peer review panel makes the final report, in Serbian, and an abstract in English, based on the report and the accepted remarks of the higher education institution and files it to the subcommissions for consideration.

Based on the final report of the Peer review panel for the accreditation of the higher education institution, subcommission adopts a proposal of the Decision on Accreditation of the Higher Education Institution and delivers it to the Commission for Accreditation within 30 days from the day of the delivery of the final report of the Peer review panel for accreditation of the higher education institution.

The final report is to be delivered along with the proposal of the Decision on Accreditation of the Higher Education Institution.

At its first session after the reception of the proposal of the Decision on Accreditation, the Commission takes the delivered proposal into consideration, requests additional clarifications of the Peer review panel if necessary, after which it renders the decision on accreditation.

Technical instruction for the Peer review panel is organised so that in:

- part one, the depicted item is: Standard
- part two: Description of the institution of the given standard according to the Instructions for Application of Standards as well as the Instructions for Application of Standards,
- part three: Record: Attachments and Tables
- part four: Instructions for Peer review panel for Fulfilment of Standards Assessment.

REQUEST FOR ACCREDITATION and THE INTRODUCTORY TABLES

In the process of accreditation of study programmes of the third degree, it is to determine the fulfilment of standards for accreditation, respective legal conditions and conditions regarding the required number and competency of teachers.

The condition regarding the required number of teachers is fulfilled by the higher education institution if it has teachers employed with full-time working hours for the performance of at least 50% of classes of active teaching process within the study programme of doctoral studies of arts for which the working licence is required, at least 80% of total number of teachers employed with full-time working hours must have teaching titles within the following categories: docent, associate professor and full professor, and at least 20 teachers employed with full-time working hours at the higher education institution.

Study programmes are realised within one or more educational-scientific, or educational-artistic fields:

- 1) Natural sciences and mathematics;
- 2) Social studies and the humanities;
- 3) Medical science;
- 4) Technical and technological sciences;
- 5) Art;
- 6) IMT studies

Scientific, artistic or applied areas within the fields are determined by the Regulations on Scientific, Artistic and Applied Areas Within Educational-scientific, or Educational-artistic Fields, which is in accordance with the law and the decisions of the National Council.

The aim of the academic studies is to perform academic study programme, which enables students to develop and implement scientific, artistic and applied accomplishments.

Study programmes for obtaining joint diploma (JD)

IMT study programmes

Instruction for the preparation of documentation for accreditation:

Introductory tables:

Table INTRODUCTION – Institution, includes basic data on the higher education institution:

- 1) Name of the higher education institution in which the study programme is performed.
- 2) Educational-scientific/educational-artistic field enlisted in accordance with the law.
- 3) Number of accredited students in the higher education institution by each degree of studies.
- 4) Classes of active teaching on all programmes of the institution from the united electronic form (lectures+tutorials) by each degree of studies.
- 5) Space (space, library and space, total amount of sqare meters); Proportion of total amount of sqare meters /total number of students; Total number of library units from the area in which the teaching process is performed (base of electronic units) and Tptal number of computers in computer classrooms.
- 6) Number of teachers /titles of teachers and number of associates/titles of associates).

Table INTRODUCTION – Study programme, includes basic data on the study programme for which the accreditation is requested:

- 1) Data on the higher education institution in which the study programme is performed and the name of the study programme.
- 2) Educational-scientific/educational-artistic field enlisted in accordance with the law
- 3) Scientific, applied or artistic area enlisted in accordance with the list of areas determined by the National Council.
- 4) Extent, type and length of studies in accordance with the law.
- 5) Name of the diploma enlisted in accordance with the list of titles determined by the National Council.

It is required to attach a line of appropriate tables and attachments for each standard, which need to be marked and attached. Textual descriptions used to elaborate the fulfilment of the given standard are within the enlisted number of words. Apart from the mandatory attachments, the institution can attach other types of attachments which document the fulfilment of the given standard.

Along with enlisted attachments, the institution delivers the united electronic form and electronic forms of all study programmes

- which were accredited in the previous period with the date of accreditation, for which accreditation is not requested (cancelled study programmes),
- study programmes currently in force accredited in the previous period with the date of

- accreditation, for which accreditation is not requested
- which were accredited in the previous period, for which accreditation is requested (in case the name of the study programme has changed, a remark is needed),
- new study programmes for which accreditation is requested,
- duration, total number of accredited students by each study programme (number of students enrolled for the first time, times the number of years of the duration of studies), number of points, educational-scientific or educational-artistic field, IMT studies for each study programme
- total number of accredited students.

Record

Attachment 1: The united electronic form and electronic forms of all study programmes realised in the higher education institution)

Table INTRODUCTION – Study programme

Attachment 2. Study programmes

- study programmes currently in force accredited in the previous period, for which accreditation is not requested,
- study programmes which were accredited in the previous period, for which accreditation is requested,
- new study programmes for which accreditation is requested

Instruction for Peer review panel for the assessment of standard fulfilment:

Via insight into the request for accreditation and the introductory tables, Peer review panel checks whether the higher education institution provided basic data requested, data on establishment, data related to the scope of accreditation:

- data on the higher education institution in which the study programme is performed.
- names of all study programmes with the duration period:
 - o which were accredited in the previous period with the date of accreditation, for which accreditation is not requested (cancelled study programmes),
 - o study programmes currently in force accredited in the previous period with the date of accreditation, for which accreditation is not requested
 - o which were accredited in the previous period, for which accreditation is requested (in case the name of the study programme has changed, a remark is needed),
 - o new study programmes for which accreditation is requested,
- duration, total number of accredited students by each study programme (number of students
 enrolled for the first time multiplied with the number of years of the duration of studies),
 number of points, educational-scientific or educational-artistic field, IMT studies for each study
 programme
- total number of accredited students.
- educational-scientific/educational-artistic field enlisted in accordance with the law
- Scientific, applied or artistic area enlisted in accordance with the list of areas determined by the National Council
- Name of the diploma enlisted in accordance with the list of titles determined by the National Council
- extent, type and length of studies in accordance with the law.

Peer review panel checks whether the study programme is accepted by the appropriate bodies of the higher education institution and the independent higher education institution whose part it is. Peer review panel checks whether the data provided in the Request are identical to the documentation submitted by the institution.

If a study programme is being accredited for the first time, Peer review panel checks whether the higher education institution is being accredited for the first time as well and states this separately so that the Commission for Accreditation and Quality Assurance would keep in mind other segments of accreditation (higher education institution,...).

If accreditation of a study programme is being accredited for the first time as well as accreditation of a higher education institution, it is being done simultaneously with the accreditation of a higher education institution with all the submitted study programmes for accreditation.

Peer review panel states and inserts as a comment spesifics of the relation between study programmes on different degrees of studies (e.g., if there is a study programme at all degrees of studies. If not, to be elaborated separately.).

Each study programme is accredited for a certain number of students. Total number of students at a study programme is calculated as a number of students enrolled in the first year multiplied with the number of years of the duration of the study programme. Peer review panel checks whether the data provided in the Request are identical to the rest of the documentation submitted by the institution, as well as the data the commission receives before/during/after the visit to the institution.

Peer review panel inserts these data as well as the educational-scientific or educational-artistic fields in which the institution intends to accredit a study programme in the report.

All the data from the Introductory tables and the Request for Accreditation of Study Programme, are inserted by the Peer review panel in the review report within the appropriate fields. In case that the aforementioned is not in accordance with the law and the decisions of the National Council, Peer review panel inserts that in the concluding comment of the report, and in the comment along the standard.

Special standard: Competency of higher education institution for realization of doctoral studies of arts

Higher education institution proves its readiness for the performance of doctoral studies of arts based on the indicators related to the artistic, artistic-research and theoretical work

Instruction for the preparation of accreditation documents:

Description (100 words maximum)

Instruction for the application of the special standard:

- 1. Higher education institution has a short-term and a long-term working agenda.
- 2. Competency of higher education institution is also measured via:
 - a. number of doctoral artistic projects and magisterial or master theses in the field of arts successfully defended in the higher education institution for the area for which the study programme is being accredited, taking into consideration the proportion of doctoral artistic projects and magisterial theses in the field of arts and the number of graduated students and students having graduated master studies, or integrated studies in the previous five-year period;
 - 6. proportion of the number of teachers and the number of teachers involved in the artistic and artistic-research projects.
 - B. accomplished cooperation with similar institutions and institutions of culture and arts in the country and abroad.
- 3. The institution has teachers with appropriate references and working experience, as well as other resources at the level appropriate for the education of the highest degree.
- 4. Higher education institution has teachers employed with full-time working hours who were mentors in the process of production of magisterial or master theses in the field of arts and doctoral artistic projects in the arts field for which the study programme is being accredited.
- 5. The institution realizes master and basic studies form the arts field for which the study programme is being accredited.

Record

- **Table II.1.** Summary overview of the number of defended theses, doctoral artistic projects and published publications.
- **Table II.2.** Summary overview of scientific-research and artistic-research projects currently being realized at the university.
- **Table II.3.** List of scientific-research and artistic-research projects currently being realized at the higher education institution.
- **Table II.4.** List of staff of the higher education institution involved in scientific-research and artistic-research projects.
- Table II.5. Summary overview scientific-research and artistic-research results in the institution in the

previous academic year.

Table II.6. List of institutions in the country and abroad the higher education institution cooperates with **Table II.7.** List of teachers employed with full-time or non-full-time working hours who were mentors in the process of production of doctorates.

Record:

Attachment II.1. Programme of scientific-research and artistic-research work

Instruction for the Peer review panel for the assessment of standard fulfilment:

Peer review panel checks whether there are Attachments 1 and 2 and fills in the space for the comment. Reviewer inserts the number of teachers, the number of teachers included in the scientific-research projects, numbers referring to publications, projects and the number of students. General numerical grade and elaboration is given, with a consideration of the number of defended theses, published publications, the number of scientific-research projects, number of teaching staff included in projects.

If there were no doctoral dissertations previously defended at the institution, the institution can express its readiness to realise doctoral studies by giving data through the table II7. List of teachers employed with full-time or non-full-time working hours who were mentors in the process of production of doctorates. At that point, reviewer gives a General numerical grade and textual elaboration by inserting the number of teachers and the number of theses in which the teachers were mentors into the comment.

Apart from the assessment of standard fulfilment, Peer review panel provides elaborations of grades which refer to the fulfilment of this standard, based on the attachments given along the request for accreditation, facts it established during the visit and the documents that the institution provided at the request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.

Standard 1: Structure of the study programme

Doctoral studies of art have at least 180 ECTS points with a previously completed study scope of at least 300 ECTS points in basic academic and master academic studies, or at completed integrated academic studies. The art project is the final part of the study programme of doctoral studies of art.

Instructions for prepariation of documentation for accreditation:

Description (up to 300 words):

Instructions for implementation of the standard 1:

- 1.1. Each study programme contains clearly stated following elements (which are detailed in the relevant standards):
- a. the title of the study programme;
- b. objectives of the study programme;
- c. the outcome of the study programme;
- d. title of diploma;
- e. conditions for enrollment in the study programme;
- f. a list of compulsory and elective study areas, or subjects, with a framework content;
- g. method of conducting studies the score of each subject expressed in accordance with the European Credit Transfer System;
- h. the value of the doctoral dissertation expressed in ECTS points;
- i. preconditions for enrollment of certain subjects or groups of subjects;
- j. the method of selecting subjects from other study programmes at the same or another university;
- k. conditions for moving from other study programmes within the same or related fields of study;
- 1. other issues of relevance to the performance of the study programme.

Documents

Attachment 1.1. Publication of the institution (in printed or electronic form, website of the institution) ...

Instructions for the Peer review panel for the Standard Compliance Assessment:

The Peer review panel checks whether the study programme contains all the elements envisaged by the Law and standards. If the structure of the study programme is such that it contains the modules, the Peer review panel fills it in into the comment space assessing the scope, content, and outputs of the modules.

The Peer review panel evaluates whether the structure of the study programme meets the requirements of the standards in relation to title, objectives, learning outcomes, enrollment conditions, manner of performance, conditions of transition from other study programmes.

The study programme of doctoral studies has at least 50% ECTS points envisaged for the realization of the doctoral artistic project. This number of points corresponds to elective subjects, study research work and elective modules related to the doctoral artistic project.

In addition to the assessment of the compliance with the standard, the Peer review panel provides explanations of the assessment related to the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments to the application for accreditation, the facts established during the visit and the documents provided by the institution on request of the Peer review panel before / during / after the visit.

Standard 2: The purpose of the study programme

The study programme of doctoral studies of art has a clearly defined and published purpose and role in the education system.

Instructions for prepariation of documentation for accreditation:

Description (up to 300 words):

Instructions for implementation of the standard 2:

- 2.1. The purpose of the study programme is clearly formulated.
- 2.2. The purpose of the study programme of doctoral studies is the development of art, critical and theoretical thinking, and the education of professionals who are capable to independently conduct artistic research, contributeing to the general development of society, and critical evaluate the research of others.
- 2.3. The purpose of the study programme must be in accordance with the mission and objectives of the higher education institution in which the programme is conducted

Documents

Attachment 1.1. Publication of the institution (in printed or electronic form, website of the institution) ...

Instructions for the Peer review panel for the Standard Compliance Assessment:

The Peer review panel assesses whether the purpose is clearly defined, in accordance with the tasks of the institution and whether it ensureses the acquisition of competencies.

In addition to the assessment of the compliance with the standard, the Peer review panel provides explanations of the assessment related to the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments to the application for accreditation, the facts established during the visit and the documents provided by the institution on request of the Peer review panel before / during / after the visit.

Standard 3: The objectives of the study programme

The study programme of doctoral studies of art has defined and published objectives..

Instructions for prepariation of documentation for accreditation:

Description (up to 300 words):

Instructions for implementation of the standard 3:

- 3.1. The objectives of the study programme include aquisition of artistic abilities and academic skills, development of creative abilities and mastering the specific practical skills necessary for future career development.
- 3.2. The goals of the study programme of doctoral artistic studies are in accordance with the contemporary trends in the development of the appropriate artistic field in the world.
- 3.3. The objectives of the study programme must be in accordance with the objectives of the higher education institution in which the programme is conducted.

Documents

Attachment 1.1. Publication of the institution (in printed or electronic form, website of the institution) ..

Instructions for the Peer review panel for the Standard Compliance Assessment:

The Peer review panel compulsorily comments the Attachment 1.1.

In addition to the assessment of the compliance with the standard, the Peer review panel provides explanations of the assessment related to the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments to the application for accreditation, the facts established during the visit and the documents provided by the institution on request of the Peer review panel before / during / after the visit.

Standard 4: Competencies of graduated students

By mastering the study program of doctoral art studies student acquire general and specific research skills that are subordinate to the quality of performing artistic, theoretical and professional activities.

Instructions for preparing documentation for accreditation:

Description (up to 300 words)

Instructions for the application of standard 4:

- 4.1. The programme of doctoral studies of art should enable students to possess knowledge, skills and highly developed abilities after completing their studies to:
- a. originaly contribute to art and to improve the cultural and civilizational environment;
- b. to engage in the realization of international art projects;
- c. to develope new technologies and procedures within the frameworks of their artistic areas and understand and use the most contemporary knowledge in this artistic field;
- d. to govern sovereignly with the methods, procedures and processes of artistic and theoretical expression and research;
- e. to write in academic style, forming consistent arguments and articulating ideas;
- f. to develop the critical and self-critical thinking and approach;
- g. to develope the communication abilities and skills, as well as cooperation with a narrower social and international environment;
- h. to respect the principle of professional ethics.
- 4.2. By mastering the study programme, the student acquires the following subject-specific abilities:
- a. to be creative and independent in actioning and critical thinking;
- b. basic knowledge and understanding of the discipline of the relevant profession;
- c. to solve specific problems using artistic methods and procedures;
- d. to link basic knowledge from different fields and their applications;
- e. to monitor and apply new development in the profession;
- f. to develope skills and abilities in the use of knowledge in the appropriate field;
- g. to use information and communication technologies in mastering knowledge from the appropriate field.
- 4.3. The competencies acquired by mastering the study programme enable students to further

professional development in the arts, education, economy and the public sector.

4.4. Learning outcomes are described according to descriptors of the learning outcomes of the *national qualifications framework*, proposed by the National Council for Higher Education and adopted by the Ministry.

Record

Attachment 4.1. Diploma Supplement.

Instructions for the Peer review panel for compliance assessment:

The Peer review panel assesses the compliance of the standard by providing a numerical assessment and explanation. The Peer review panel analyzes the described competences taking into account the content and outcomes given in the curriculum. Particularly assesses whether the general and specific competences are precisely defined and whether they are in accordance with the structure and content of the study programme and whether they are precisely described and aligned with the outcomes.

The Peer review panel assesses whether the defined conditions and procedures necessary for completing the studies and obtaining a doctoral degree are available to the public, and whether they are in line with the goals, content and scope of the study programmes. The Peer review panel is obliged to determine whether there is an Diploma supplement, analyzes and comments it.

In addition to the assessment of compliance with the standard, the Peer review panel provides an explanation of the appraisal regarding the fulfillment of this standard on the basis of the attachments along with the request for accreditation, the facts that were determined during the visit and the documents provided by the institution upon request of the Peer review panel before / during / after the visit.

Standard 5: Curriculum

Curriculum contains a list and a structure of compulsory and optional subjects and modules with descriptions, as long as doctoral art project which is a final part of the Study Programme of doctoral studies of art

Instructions for preparation of accreditation documents:

Description (within 300 words)

Instructions for application of standard 5:

- 5.1. Structure of a curriculum is contained of a timetable of courses per semester, number of classes of active courses and number of ECTS credits.
- 5.2. Curriculum contains defined basics for individual artistic research of students.
- 5.3. Curriculum defines the compulsory and optional courses and modules by scope, content and method of realization.
- 5.4. Description of a course contains the name, type of the course, year and semester of studies, number of ECTS credits, names of teachers, the purpose of the course with expected results (knowledge and skills), preconditions for course attendance, course content, recommended literature, methods of lecturing, methods of knowledge testing and evaluating and other important information.
- 5.5. Number of credits for optional courses must be in the amount of at least 20% of the total amount of credits for all courses included in the study programme.
- 5.6. The structure of the study programme of art studies contains the following groups of courses expressed by number of ECTS credits: artistic, theoretically artistic and others, which are present in percentage that is suitable for different artistic fields.
- 5.7. A doctoral artistic project is a concluding part of the study programme of doctoral artistic studies. Doctoral artistic project is an independent original artistic piece and is contained of an artistic project and a written paper. Artistic project represents an artistic piece publicly shown at an exhibition, public performance, publication or any other kind of artistic achievement. Written part represents a result of detailed interpretation of researched artistic project and theoretical topic that is in connection with the artistic achievement. The artistic project and the written paper along with all attachments must be

publicly shown and defined in accordance with achievements and experiences in education in different artistic fields, like: dramatics and audiovisual art, fine arts, music, applied art and design.

5.8. At least half of ECTS credits intended for realization of doctoral studies is reserved for doctoral artistic project.

Record

Tables for standard 5:

Table 5.1. Specification of courses in the study programme of doctoral studies.

Table 5.2. Timetable of courses per semester and per year of studies.

Table 5.3. Requests for preparation of doctoral artistic project.

Table 5.4. List of courses on doctoral studies.

Attachments for standard 5:

Attachment 5.1. Statute (attachment is identical as the one included in documents regarding the institution).

Attachment 5.2. Book of courses (in documentation and on institution website).

Attachment 5.3. Doctoral studies rulebook.

Instructions for the Peer review panel for evaluation whether the standards are fulfilled:

Total amount of active course classes on doctoral studies cannot be lower than 600 classes per academic year (20 classes per week). The study programme of doctoral studies is constituted of active courses and working on doctoral artistic project. In documents for accreditation, active courses are divided into two categories, as it is recommended: 1. Lectures, 2. Study research work, which are numerically expressed as classes. Study research work covers all forms of courses that are in the function of directly enabling students to research, write papers and finish doctoral artistic projects. Through the descriptions in the book of courses, the institution highlights the specifics in regard to active courses on doctoral studies, within the specifics of fields and areas of the study programme of doctoral studies. Generally, lectures should amount 25% of the total amount of active courses of the study programme of doctoral studies. During the first year of studies, active courses can include, among others, individual study research work which is in the function of artistic-research work, attending conferences, publishing of art works that are connected with working on doctoral artistic project. During the second year of studies, active courses can include, among others, individual study research work which is in the function of artisticresearch work, attending conferences, publishing of art works that are connected with working on doctoral artistic project. In the last year of studies, active courses can only be constituted of artistic research work – study research work that is directly in the function of working on doctoral artistic project. Active courses are expressed in number of classes and number of ECTS credits. Doctoral artistic project is the final part of doctoral studies, Preparation and defence of doctoral artistic project is expressed in other classes and ECTS credits. Methods and procedure of preparation and defence of doctoral artistic project are prescribed by the general act of the higher education institution.

Doctoral artistic project is presented as a course of a study programme that is common to all modules. Doctoral artistic project is presented through two positions:

- 1. Courses Doctoral artistic project UIR that are directly connected to the realization of the doctoral artistic project and are presented as active courses (CIR)
- 2. Doctoral artistic project preparation and defence of doctoral artistic project which are presented as other courses.

Number of credits given for the doctoral artistic project shall be included in the total amount of credits that are necessary for completion of doctoral studies and shall be counted in the position of compulsory and optional ECTS. At least half of ECTS credits intended for realization of doctoral studies is reserved for doctoral artistic project. The maximum of optional ECTS is 18.

The Peer review panel evaluates the fulfillment of the standard by giving a numeric grade and an explanation.

The Peer review panel analyzes the structure and the content of the curriculum thoroughly. It evaluates whether the recommendations on number and timetable of classes on the study programme have been taken into account. It especially evaluates the content, purpose and results of courses in the curriculum, estimating modern art knowledge, art methods and procedures which prepare students for independent research work. Alongside with numeric, the reviewer also gives a descriptive evaluation.

The Peer review panel establishes whether the number of ECTS credits intended for the thesis and courses that are in the direct relation with preparation of the thesis goes beyond the amount of 50% of the total amount of ECTS credits. The Peer review panel grades the requests for preparation of doctoral dissertation.

The Peer review panel gives a numeric evaluation and explains it, estimating, based on content and structure of the curriculum, achieved art knowledge, adopted art methods and request for preparing the doctoral artistic project, whether the candidate is ready for independent artistic research work.

The Peer review panel, alongside with the evaluation on fulfillment of the standard, also gives an explanation of the evaluation on fulfillment of this standard, based on attachments enclosed to the request for accreditation, facts determined during the visit and documents that the institution had provided on Peer review panel's request before/during/after the visit.

Standard 6: Quality, modernity and international conformance of the Study Programme

Instructions for preparation of accreditation documents:

Description (within 300 words):

Instructions for application of Standard 6:

- 6.1. The study programme offers obtaining latest knowledge in art and art theory to students.
- 6.2. The study programme is complete, universal and in conformity with other Programmes of the higher education institution.
- 6.3. The study programme is substantially and formally in accordance with strategies of development of education, art and culture in Republic of Serbia.
- 6.4. The study programme is comparable with at least three accredited foreign programmes, of which there are at least two from european educational space.
- 6.5. The study programme is in conformity with european standards in regards to conditions for admission, duration of studies, conditions for transition to the next year of studies, obtaining a diploma and ways of studying.

Record:

Attachment 6.1, 6.2, 6. 3. Documents on at least three accredited foreign programmes with which the programme is in conformity with.

Attachment 6.4. PDF file of curriculums of accredited foreign study programmes with which the study programme is in conformity with (the list of courses).

Instructions for the Peer review panel for evaluation whether the standards are fulfilled:

The Peer review panel, alongside with evaluation, ascertains whether attachments 6,1,2,3 are available on internet, especially evaluating the comparable advantage of the programme that is being accredited. The Peer review panel checks whether the PDF file of curriculums of accredited foreign study programmes with which the study programme is in conformity with is attached (list of courses).

These attachments do not imply the full identity of the programmes, but courses and fields that are important for comparison of finished students. The Peer review panel questions this attachment from web pages and gives comments on fulfillment of standards. If the institution has enclosed other attachments like for example references or compatibility with corresponding good research practice in european institutions that successfully realize doctoral study programmes in corresponding field of art, the Peer review panel analyzes these data also and makes a conclusion on comparable advantages of the institution.

The Peer review panel, alongside with the evaluation on fulfillment of the standard, also gives an explanation of the evaluation on fulfillment of this standard, based on attachments enclosed to the request for accreditation, facts determined during the visit and documents that the institution had provided on Peer review panel's request before/during/after the visit.

Standard 7: The enrollment of students

In accordance with the needs of the society and the needs of artistic, educational and cultural development and the higher education institution's resources, the institution shall provide enrollment of students on study program of doctoral studies.

Instruction for preparing accreditation documentation:

Description (up to 300 words):

Instruction for the application of Standard 7:

- 7.1. The number of students enrolled at a study programme shall be determined on the basis on disposable space and personnel resources of the institution and its other resources, the priorities of the state and estimated needs of the society.
- 7.2. Candidates who have obtained at least 300 ECTS credits during the course of basic academic and master academic studies, i.e. at least 300 ECTS credits during the course of completed integrated academic studies, as well as on the basis of the results achieved during these studies and the tests of their knowledge, inclinations and skills, are elligible for enrolment.
- 7.3. In order to enroll at doctoral studies, the candidate shall need to know at least one foreign language which shall be determined by the higher education institution.
- 7.4. The enrolment procedure is open to the public and competitive.
- 7.5. Necessary knowledges, inclinations and skills which shall be tested during enrolment competition, as well as the form of the testing, shall be published in the terms of contest.

Evidence

Table 7.1. The number of students to be enrolled on the study programme (from the accreditation request)

Annex 7.1. The terms of contest for enrolment at doctoral studies (if their realization has commenced)

Instruction for Peer review panel regarding the rate for fulfillment of standards

In the case of introducing a new study programme, it shall be sufficient that the institution specifies terms of enrolment and candidate-ranking, as well as the data provided in the Table 7.1, besides citing planned number of students.

The Peer review panel specificly constates enrolment terms in accordance with the Law on higher education, credits of doctoral artistic project expressed in ECTS, the terms of transfer from other study programmes within the framework of the same or likely fields of study, the recognition of ECTS obtained during master studies and/or other academic specialist study programmes.

One and the same mentor can tutor five students of doctoral studies simultaneously, which is directly connected to the number of students enrolled at the study programme of doctoral studies. The maximal number of students for which a study programme of doctoral studies shall be accredited equals the number of mentors multiplied by five and divided by the number of years of a study programme's duration.

Besides the rate for fulfilling this standard, the Peer review panel provides the motivation on the rate regarding fulfillment of this standard, judging whether the number of planned students is in accordance with the number of teachers elligible for mentors.

In addition to rating fulfillment of standards, the Peer review panel provides motivation of rates in terms of fulfillment of this standard, based on supplements filed with the application form, of facts determined during its visit and the documents provided by the institution at request of the Peer review panel before/ in the course of/after the visit.

Standard 8: Student-grading and the progress of students

Students shall be graded by constantly following their work and on the basis of credits obtained by completing pre-examination obligations and by passing examination. Doctoral artistic project shall be graded on the basis of indicators of its scientific contribution.

Instruction for preparing accreditation documentation:

Description (up to 300 words):

The instructions for the application of standard 8:

- 8.1. The students complete study programme by passing exams, for which they obtain certain number of ECTS credits.
- 8.2. Grading shall be carried out by the critiria published in advance.
- 8.3. The progress of every student shall be graded once yearly and it makes an integral part of the report on self-evaluation of study programme.
- 8.4. Doctoral artistic project is the final part of study programme of doctoral studies. Doctotal artistic project is a self-made genuine artistic work. The realized scientific contribution shall be graded by the number of scientific publications, patents or technical advancements. The conditions that the candidate shall fulfill in order to defend doctoral artistic project shall be determined within the field.
- 8.5. The manner of preparation of doctoral artistic project and its defence shall be regulated by the general act of the higher education institution that defines the acceptance of the topic, project-grading and the fulfillment of conditions for oral public dissertation defence.
- 8.6. As a rule, the mentor shall be a member of the commission for the assessment of doctoral artistic project.

Evidence

Table 8.1. The list of defended doctoral dissertations and doctoral artistic projects at the institution in three previous academic years with published results or the results accepted for publication.

Annex 8.1. The statute (the part referring to doctoral studies).

Annex 8.2. The rulebook of independent and higher institution education on the assessment of doctoral artistic project.

Annex 8.3. The rulebook on doctoral studies

Instruction for Peer review panel regarding the rate for fulfillment of standards:

The Peer review panel shall judge on the fulfillment of standards by awarding numerical grade and motivation, taking into consideration the terms defining procedure in connection with the realization of doctoral artistic project, annexes 8.1. and 8.2. and defence, the accordance with requests of the standard and whether the conditions determining the evaluation of doctoral artistic project's artistic value and whether the requests are in accordance with the requests of the artistic field.

Based on the data provided in the table 8.1. the Peer review panel shall comment whether the realized artistic contributions are evaluated with the number of artistic publications.

In addition to rating fulfillment of standards, the Peer review panel provides motivation of rates in terms of fulfillment of this standard, based on supplements filed with the application form, of facts determined during its visit and the documents provided by the institution at request of the Peer review panel before/ in the course of/after the visit.

Standard 9: Teaching staff

The teaching staff having necessary artistic and expert abilities shall be provided for the realization of study programme on doctoral studies in the field of arts.

Instruction for preparing accreditation documentation:

Description (up to 300 words):

The instructions for the application of standard 9:

- 9.1. The higher education institution with doctoral studies shall have:
 - a. the manager of the study programme who is responsible for the organization of enrolment, the

realization of instruction, abiding by legal norms and procedure of realization of studies from enrolment to doctoral dissertation defence.

- b. defined criteria for the election of teachers with full-time working hours in the higher education institution and developed system for the election of teachers from other scientific institutions who participate in the realization of doctoral studies, which is in accordance with the law.
- c. teachers whose competences for performing instruction on doctoral studies shall be proved with the list of scientific papers and the data on participation in national and international scientific projects;
- d. defined procedure for the nomination of mentor, in which shall be checked whether the mentor fulfills the conditions of the standard.
- 9.2. The mentor shall be the person elected in the teaching position of assistant professor, associate professor, full professor, professor emeritus, i.e. scientific positions of scientific associate, higher scientific associate and scientific advisor, as well as the full or correspondent member of Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts who holds or held teaching or scientific position.
- 9.4. At least five teachers who participate in study programme of doctoral studies shall be employed in the higher education institution with full-time working hours.

At least 50% of the total number of the teachers shall be employed in the higher education institution with full-time working hours. At least 50% of the total number of the mentors shall be employed in the higher education institution with full-time working hours.

- 9.5. Professor emeritus may participate in all forms of instruction doctoral academic studies, he/she may be mentor and the member of commissions in the process of the preparation and defence of doctoral artistic projects.
- 9.6. Full or correspondent member of Serbian Academy of Sciences and Arts who held teaching or scientific position prior to retirement may participate in all forms of instruction on doctoral academic studies.
- 9.7 The person elected for scientific position in the fashion and according to the procedure prescribed by the law regulating scientific-research activity may participate in all forms of instruction on doctoral academic studies.
- 9.8 If the person mentioned in the previous paragraph is not employed at the higher education institution at which the programme is carried out, the institution shall conclude the instruction contract with him/her.
- 9.9 The visiting professor who participates in the realization of study programme shall be considered a teacher performing additional work.

Annotation:

- The higher education institution's acceptances for the work of the teaching staff on an other higher education institution for the purpose of accreditation. The acceptance should contain the name of the study programmes and subjets for which the acceptance is given and the accreditation burden, i.e. at the institution giving acceptance, at the institutions at which the acceptance has been already given and the institution requesting for acceptance. Besides the acceptance, the statement of the worker on accepting the data provided in the acceptance shall be annexed.
- The acceptances for the accreditation for work of the teaching staff engaged on the other basis (additional work...) from all the higher education institution at which the worker is employed. The acceptance should contain the name of the study programmes and subjets for which the acceptance is given and the accreditation burden, i.e. at the institution giving acceptance, at the institutions at which the acceptance has been already given and the institution requesting for acceptance. Besides the acceptance, the statement of the worker on accepting the data provided in the acceptance shall be annexed.

- All burdens of the teaching staff cited in the acceptance shall be filled in the columns of the electronic form for the study programme: O- the classes of active instruction in other hilger education units in Serbia and S the name of other higher education unit in Serbia at which the teacher is engaged.
- The aggregate burden of teachers in Serbia shall be checked by the Commission for the accreditation and quality-verification. The burden must not be greater than 12 classes of active instuction. As for the teaching staff who signed the statement of the accordance with the data cited in the acceptance and the verification shows that the burden is greater than 12 classes, the Ministry of Sceience and Technological Development of Serbia shall be informed, and the CAQV shall take measures against the teacher, i.e. associate. At the same time, CAQV shall inform the institution on the circumstance and the institution is obliged to deliver corrected documentation in 15 days term.
- The teachers whose competences for performing instructions on doctoral studies shall be proved by the list of references (ten most significant references realized for the past ten years, of which three shall be categorized as UM10/UD10/UL10. The references from the categories UM10/UD10/UL10 may be replaced, namely with the references categorized as UM2O, UD20, UL20 one for one. In the field of musical art the replacement shall be also realized with the references categorized as UM40, whereas one reference categorized as UM10 may be replaced with three references categorized as UM40 and the data on participation in national and international artistic projects.
- Mentor shall have at least ten references realized for the past ten years, whereby at least of the them shall be categorized as UM10/UD10/UL20. The references from the categories UM10/UD10/UL10 may be replaced, namely with the references categorized as UM2O, UD20, UL20 one for one. In the field of musical art the replacement shall be also realized with the references categorized as UM40, whereas one reference categorized as UM10 may be replaced with three references categorized as UM40 and the data on participation in national and international artistic projects. One and the same mentor can tutor five students of doctoral studies simultaneously.

Evidence

Table 9.0. Total data on teaching staff at the institution (the list shall be formed when inputing the data in an electronic form, the institution is obliged to input all requested data in this table).

Table 9.1. The list of teachers engaged in realization of the study programme of doctoral studies with full-time working hours

Table 9.2. The list of teachers engaged in realization of the study programme of doctoral studies with part-time working hours

Table 9.3. The list of teachers engaged in realization of the study programme of doctoral studies – additional work

Table 9.4. The list of the teachers participating in scientific-research projects

Table 9.5. The list of the teachers participating in aristic-research projects

Table 9.6. The competence of the teachers

Table 9.7. The list of the mentors engaged in the realization of the study programme of doctoral studies (only teaching staff involved in the instruction on the study program of doctoral studies may be mentors) **Table 9.8.** The competence of the mentors

Attachment 9.1. Excerpts from electronic database of tax administration of the Republic of Serbia with signature and seal in both paper and electronic form as an annex to the application.

Attachment 9.2. Employment contracts, elections in the position, acceptance, statement, MA and M1/M2 for the teachers with full-time working hours on study programs of doctoral studies.

Attachment 9.3. Employment contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptance, statement, MA and M1/M2 for the teachers with part-time working hours on study programs of doctoral studies.

Attachment 9.4. The engagement contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances and statement, for teacher / additional work at study program of doctoral studies.

Attachment 9.5. The rulebook on the election of the teachers.

Attachment 9.6. The decision of the expert body of the higher education institution on the engagement

of personnel not holding teaching position according to the Law on higher education (the persons with scientific position)

Attachment 9.7. The list of the personnel not holding teaching position according to the Law on higher education (the persons with scientific position), adopted by the expert body of the higher education institution.

Attachment 9.8. The decision of the Senate on the election (engagement) of visiting professor

Attachment 9.9. Contracts on the engagement of foreign teachers for the study program.

Annex 9.10. The proof of residence for full-time employed foreign citizens, issued by the competent authority.

Attachment 9.11. The descision of the competent body on the nomination of mentor.

Remark

Tables and annexes for the higher education institution (i.e. Standard 6. Teaching staff, Table 6.1 - 6.7 and Annex 6.3 - 6.8) should be delivered in a separate folder

Instruction for Peer review panel regarding the rate for fulfilment of standards:

One and the same mentor can tutor five students of doctoral studies simultaneously, which is directly connected to the number of students enrolled at the study programme of doctoral studies. Workers in science of scientific institutes holding the positions equivalent to the teaching positions at the University may take part engage in doctoral studies for the programmes of doctoral studies at faculties, departments and interdisciplinary centers of the University. The worker in science who is not employed in the higher education institution shall be counted as an additionally employed teacher.

The Peer review panel shall determine whether the institution has 50% of teachers working full-time who are engaged in the study programme of doctoral studies and if their number is larger than five. The Peer review panel shall also determine whether at least half of the total number of teachers who participate in instruction on study programme of doctoral studies are engaged in scientific-research projects.

The Peer review panel shall determine whether the institute has the criteria for the election of teachers and whether the criteria are in accordance with the recommendations of the National Council and whether they have been applied in the elections of the teachers.

The Peer review panel analyzes the Book of the teachers and it shall determine whether the teachers fulfill the standards within the framework of the scientific, i.e. artistic field. On the basis of the annexed references and the list of the subjets that the teachers lectures, the reviewer shall determine whether the teacher has the competence in the subjects he/she lectures, taking into consideration that at least one reference must belong to the narrower scientific field.

The Peer review panel shall judge whether the number of proposed mentors would be sufficient for the planned number of the students on the study programme and whether the references of the mentor meet the standards within the framework of the scientific, i.e. artistic field.

The Peer review panel mandatorily provides the number of competent teachers and mentors and general descriptive rate of competence of teachers and mentors on the study programme.

The Peer review panel judges whether the number of competent teachers and specifically mentors shall enable the students of doctoral studies for independent scientific-research work.

The Peer review panel shall establish whether the higher education institution has submitted Tables 6.1 - 6.7 and Annexes 6.3 - 6.8 and provides necessary data on the teachers and associates engaged at the higher education institution. The competence of the teachers and associates shall be particularly analyzed and the following shall be checked:

- The excerpts (EBR PURS) and the number of teachers with full working hours in excerpt
- Employment contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances, statement, MA and M1/M2 for the teachers with full-time working hours.
- Employment contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances, statements, MA and

- M1/M2 for the teachers with full-time working hours on the study programme/all programmes/other higher education institution
- Engagement contracts, elections in the position, acceptances and statements of the teachers additional work on the study programme/all programmes/other higher education institution
- Employment contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances, statements, MA and M1/M2 for the associates with full-time working hours on the study programme/all programmes/other higher education institution
- Employment contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances, statements, MA and M1/M2 for the associates with part-time working hours on the study programme/all programmes/other higher education institution
- Engagement contracts, elections in the position, diplomas, acceptances, statements, MA and M1/M2 for the associates additional work on the study programme/all programmes/other higher education institution

By viewing the institution's website or other published documents, the Peer review panel shall determine whether the data on teaching staff are publicly accessible, and it marks its constatation in the commentary.

In addition to rating fulfillment of standards, the Peer review panel provides motivation of rates in terms of fulfillment of this standard, based on supplements filed with the application form, of facts determined during its visit and the documents provided by the institution at request of the Peer review panel before/ in the course of/after the visit.

Standard 10: Organizational and material resources

For the purpose of realization of the study programme there shall be provided adequate human, spacial, technological resources, library and other resources suitable for the character of the Ph.D. study programme in arts and for the number of enrolled students.

Instruction for the preparation of the documentation for accreditation:

Description (up to 300 words):

Instructions for the application of standard 10:

- 10.1. The higher education institution has a short-term and long-term plan and a budget envisaged for the realization of artistic and research work.
- 10.2. Resources for the realization of doctoral studies could be provided in cooperation with other higher education institutions, cultural institutions and international organizations.
- 10.3. The higher education institution provides for students the use of the equipment that is necessary for artistic-research work, which is documented with the list of equipment with appropriate characteristics.
- 10.4. The higher education institution provides for students the use of equipment or approach to the equipment which is necessary for the artistic-research work on the basis of the agreement on cooperation with other corresponding institutions.
- 10.5. The higher education institution provides the use of a library resources from its own or other sources (books, monographs, scientific journals, other periodicals, video and sound recordings, etc.) to the extent necessary for the realization of Ph.D. studies of arts. Ph.D.students have access to databases that are necessary for the preparation of doctoral art projects and for artistic-research work.
- 10.6. For the realization of the study programme there shall be provided an appropriate space for the realization of teaching, appropriate laboratory space necessary for the practical work, as well as equipment based on modern information and communication technologies.

Record

Table 10.1. List of equipment which is in use for the scientific work.

Table 10.2. Space for the realization of teaching at Ph.D. studies and appropriate space necessary for work

Attachment 10.1 - Plan and budget for the realization of the scientific research and artistic research work.

Attachment 10.2 - Agreements on cooperation with other high education institutions and accredited institutions and international organizations.

Attachment 10.3 - Attachment concerning available databases and library resources.

Remark:

It should be delivered in separate folder tables and attachment for the higher education institution as follows: Standard 9. Space and equipment (Table 9.1 and Attachment 9.1-9.2)

Instruction for the Peer review panel for the assessment of the fulfilment of standard:

On the basis of the data provided in tables and attachments the reviewer determines whether the institution has space for the realization of the study programme in accordance with the standard. Quadrature of the space where the teaching is conducted and the number of students enrolled in the study programme shall be stated in the report.

The Peer review panel determines whether the higher education institution has submitted Tables 9.1-9.3 and Attachments 9.1-9.2 and in the Report submitted the quadrature of the space in which the teaching is conducted as well as the number of students in the higher education institution.

The entire number of students enrolled in the study programme is counted as a number of students enrolled in the first year of studies multiplied with the number of years of duration of the study programme. The institution is in obligation to provide a place to each student in the teaching process, thus in documentation has the obligation to provide that it has the space capacities shown in quadrature as well as the number of available places, which the reviewer fills in the Report. The Peer review panel determines on the basis of data filled in tables and attachments whether the institution has at its disposals the equipment necessary for the realization of the study programme. The Peer review panel fills in the Report the number of library units which the institution has at disposal, relevant for the realization of the study programme, assesses the level of coverage of subjects by the class book literature and its availability to students.

The Peer review panel fills in the Report the data concerning informational resources which are available for the realization of the study programme. The Peer review panel assesses the space, equipment and library and informational support for the study programme, dependent on the field of science from the perspective of possibilities for Ph.D. students to conduct the research activities in the institution which accreditations corresponding study programme, where the Peer review panel takes into account and cooperation with other organizations for scientific research in the realization of the programme.

The Peer review panel apart from the assessment on the fulfillment of standard provides an explantion of evaluations related to the fulfillment of this standard, on the basis of the attachments submitted with the request for accreditation, facts which it has determined during the visit and documents which the institution has provided on the request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.

Standard 11: The control of the quality

For each study programme, the higher education institution on regular basis and systematically implements the control of the quality by self-evaluation and external check of the quality.

Instruction for the preparation of documentation for accreditation:

Description (not more than 100 words):

Instructions for the application of standard 11:

- 11.1. The control of the quality of the study programme implies regular and systematic monitoring and undertakes measures for improvement of quality in the following of its elements: curriculum, lecturing, lecturers and mentors and the efficiency of studies.
- 11.2. The institution by its documents ensures the monitoring of the quality of Ph.D. art projects and prevention of plagiarism.
- 11.3. The control of the quality of programme is conducted within periods of time which are set in advance in accordance with the law.
- 11.4. In the control of the quality and evaluation of the study programme, active participation of students is ensured.

Record

Table11.1. List of members of the commission organizational units responsible for the quality (commission for the quality...)

Table 11.2.List of boards for the quality – if it exists.

Attachment 11.1. The report on the results of self-evaluation of the higher education institution.

Attachment11.2. The report on the results of self-evaluation of a particular Ph.D. study programme.

Attachment 11.3. Publicly available document – The Quality Assurance Policy.

Attachment 11.4. The rule book on textbooks.

Attachment 11.5 The excerpt from the Statute of the institution which regulates the establishment and scope of activities of organizational units in charge of quality (quality commission...).

Instruction for the Peer review panel for the assessment of the fulfillment of standards

The Peer review panel analyzes in detail the attachments which the institution has submitted for the assessment of this standard, baring in mind results of the Report on self-evaluation of the institution and the Report on self-evaluation of the study programme. In its report the Peer review panel includes the list of documents related to the quality and control check which the institution adopted and attached.

The Peer review panel especially assesses whether the higher education institution provides continuous modernization of curriculum content and its comparability with curriculums of corresponding foreign higher education institutions.

Based on the submitted documentation the Peer review panel assesses measures and procedures of realization of the quality control on study programmes. There shall be an obligatory comment on whether the higher education institution provides participation of students in evaluation and ensures the quality of study programmes.

The Peer review panel controls attachments from web sites and comments on the fulfillment of standards.

The Peer review panel, apart from the evaluation on the fulfillment of standards, provides the explanation of the evaluation in relation to the fulfillment of this standard. The Peer review panel evaluates whether the Commission for Accreditation and Quality Assurance has considered the Report on self-evaluation of the higher education institution and the Report on self-evaluation of the study programme as well as composition of the Commission.

The Peer review panel controls whether the management body of a higher education institution has adopted a quality assurance strategy and whether this document is available to the public. Evaluation on the fulfillment of this standard shall be stated in the space for a comment. The Peer review panel evaluates strategic planning of the Institution in higher education and resources necessary to achieve those aims. The Peer review panel gives a descriptive evaluation assessing commitment of the higher education institution to build an organizational culture of quality.

If the institution attached other documents related to the standard of quality control such as: Code of Ethics of good scientific practice, and publicly available document on politics of assuring quality, the Peer review panel analyzes those attachments and on based on them, as well on the basis of the report on self- evaluation of the study programme of Ph.D. studies evaluates this standard.

The evaluation on fulfilment of standards and explanation of the evaluation are given based on the attachments with the request for accreditation, facts that Peer review panel has determined during the visit and documents which the institution has provided on the request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.

Standard 12: Public in work

The higher education institution provides public availability of the study programme and Ph.D. thesis in art as final work of Ph.D. studies in art.

Instruction for preparation of documentation for accreditation:

Description (not more than 100 words):

Instructions for application of standard 12:

- 12.1. The institution is obliged to establish a digital repository in which electronic versions of defended Ph.D. art thesis are permanently stored, a written part with accompanying documentation (photodocumentation, video or audio documentation), together with the report of the commission for evaluation of work, data about mentor and the composition of the commission and data about scientific articles of a candidate which were publically presented and that were prerequisite for defending the Ph.D. thesis, as well as to make all the data publicly available on its official website.
- 12.2. The institution is obliged to provide data about study programme, mentors together with data concerning their competence and previous mentoring, make publicly available on its official website.

Record

Attachment 12.1 - Digital repository – website of the institution.

Attachment 12.2 - Data about mentors – website of the institution.

Instruction for the Peer review panel for the assessment of fulfillment of standard

The Peer review panel controls whether the institution made publicly available all the data envisaged by this standard.

The Peer review panel, apart from the assessment on fulfillment of standard, provides the explanation of assessment related to fulfillment of this standard.

The Peer review panel, apart from the assessment on fulfillment of standard, provides the explanation of assessment related to fulfillment of this standard, on the basis of the attachment with the request for accreditation, facts which it has determined during the visit and documents which the institution has provided on the request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.

Standard 13: Studies in the world language

The higher education institution may organize a study programme of doctoral studies in the world language for each field and every educational-scientific field, provided that it has human and material resources that enable the teaching content to be accomplished in accordance with the standards.

Instructions for preparing documentation for accreditation:

Description (maximum 300 words, indicating whether the study programme is being accredited in both the Serbian and in world language - indicate which one, or only in the world language - indicate which one):

Instructions for the application of the standard 13:

- 13.1. When the teaching is conducted in the world language, teachers and associates must have appropriate competences for teaching in that language.
- 13.2. When the teaching is being performed in the world language, the institution shall provide at least 100 library units in that language.
- 13.3. The institution provides teaching materials and handbooks or other sources of knowledge in the language of instruction.
- 13.4. Student services office that work with students must be able to provide services in the world language.
- 13.5. Public and administrative documents shall be issued on the form printed in bilingual, in Serbian language in Cyrillic script and in the language and script in which the lessons are being delivered.
- 13.6. Students must possess satisfactory language competencies from the world language in which the

study programme is being conducted.

- 13.7. The study program in the world language is accredited as a special study program, if it is being performed only in that language.
- 13.8. If the study program is accredited for teaching in Serbian and in one world language, in the calculation of the teachers' and associates' workload, as well as when determining the required space, the total number of students in both languages shall be taken into account. Such programs shall be treated as one study program.
- 13.9. The institution for accreditation of the study program which is conducted in the Serbian and in the world language shall submit translation of all standards, a diploma supplement, a course book and a teacher's book in the world language.

Record

Attachment 13.1. Documentation in the world language (point 13.9 of the Instruction).

Attachment 13.2. Documentation in the Serbian and in the world language (if accredited in both languages).

Attachment 13.3. Evidence that the requirements of the Instruction for the Application of Standards 13 have been fulfilled.

Attachment 13.4. Evidence of the appropriate competencies of teachers and associates for teaching in that language.

Level of language competence:

- Level Advanced Certificate = C1 according to the Common European Reference Framework for Languages (CEFRL). For English: Cambridge Advanced Certificate in English (CAE) / IELTS (International English Language Testing System), or:
- accomplished any degree of university education in a given language,
- completed study stay or mobility in a duration of one semester in a given language,
- that he/she delivered a lecture upon invitation at an international conference where the official language was the language in which the lectures are held,
- that he/she held a guest lecture in a given language (enclosed certificate),
- that he/she held a lecture upon invitation at an international conference where the official language was the given language,
- that he/she held a guest lecture in a given language (enclosed certificate),
- that he presented at least three papers at an international conference where the official language was the given language,
- that he held an accession lecture in a given language,
- -that he obtained a school certificate of a given language for a level that equals B2,

Attachment 13.5. Evidence of student competencies of the world language in which the study programme is being conducted.

Level of language competence:

- Upper intermediate level Certificate = B2 according to the Common European Reference Framework for Languages (CEFRL).
- For English: Cambridge Advanced Certificate in English (CAE) / IELTS (International English Language Testing System / or completed high education in that language.

Compliance assessment instructions for the Peer review panel:

The Peer review panel shall check whether all the standards of the Regulations on the Accreditation of Study Programmes are fulfilled. It shall check in which language the accreditation is being sought and if the study program is only being accredited in the world language (in which case, the documentation is submitted only in the required world language), or in the Serbian and English language (in which case two sets of accreditation documents shall be submitted, both in Serbian and in the world language). It shall verify if all the conditions for accreditation of the study program in the world language are fulfilled.

In addition to the standard compliance assessment, the Peer review panel shall provide a justification of its assessment regarding the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments filed together with the application for accreditation, facts established during the visit and the documents provided by the

institution upon request of the Peer review panel before / during / after the visit.

Standard 14: Joint study programme

A joint study programme (JS-programme) referrs to a study programme aimed at acquiring all forms of joint degrees that are organized and carried out by several higher education institutions with the status of a legal entity. Joint study programmes lead to the acquisition of a joint diploma, a double (two) diploma(s), or a single diploma issued by an institution determined by a mutual agreement of the participating institutions.

Instructions for preparing documentation for accreditation:

Description (maximum 200 words):

Instructions for the application of the standard 14:

- 14.1. JS programmes can be organized in one or more fields (IMT study programmes). Joint study programmes can be conducted by accredited higher education institutions. If one of the higher education institutions is registered in another country, it must be accredited in that country.
- 14.2. Higher education institutions that organize and perform the JS-programme shall conclude an agreement which shall govern all the elements necessary for the realization of the study programme.
- 14.3. Two or more higher education institutions may submit an application for accreditation of the JS-programme if together they can ensure that more than 50% of the active teaching hours within that study programme shall be held by full-time employed teachers. The accreditation material shall be unique, so that the accreditation application is submitted jointly by all the involved higher education institutions. The documentation for accreditation should mention all the elements that define the participation of each higher education institution in the realization of the study programme.
- 14.4. JS programmes are realized in the headquarters of accredited higher education institutions, while precisely defining where (at which individual headquarter) each part of the study programme shall be realized.
- 14.5. The open call (contest) for the enrollment of the students in JS-programmes is jointly announced by accredited higher education institutions.
- 14.6. Diploma and Diploma Supplement shall be issued on the prescribed form in the Serbian language in Cyrillic script, in the language of the joint programme organizer and in the English language.
- 14.7. Diploma and Diploma Supplement shall be signed by the authorized persons of accredited higher education institutions participating in the realization of the JS-programme in the case of a joint diploma, or by persons authorized to sign a double degree, or by an authorized person of the institution which, according to the agreement of the participating institutions, issues one diploma.

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- **Attachment 14 1.** Agreement on the realization of the study programme.
- Attachment 14.2. Student Enrollment Contest.
- Attachment 14.3. Diploma Supplement.
- **Attachment 14.4**. Evidence that the requirements of the Instruction for the Application of Standard 14 have been met.

Compliance assessment instructions for the Peer review panel:

The Peer review panel shall assess the fulfillment of all accreditation standards. It shall particularly give its comments on the Agreement between higher education institutions with the status of a legal entity on the implementation of the JS programme.

In addition to the standard compliance assessment, the Peer review panel shall provide a justification of its assessment regarding the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments filed together with the application for accreditation, facts established during the visit to the higher education institution which enroll students and which perform the teaching activities and based on the documents provided by the institution upon request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.

Standard 15: IMT study programme

IMT study programmes refer to the interdisciplinary, multidisciplinary and transdisciplinary study programmes that include subject matters from two or more domain within the field of art.

Instructions for preparing documentation for accreditation:

Description (maximum 300 words),

Instructions for the application of the standard 15:

- 15.1. The final work of the IMT art studio programme is a doctoral art project.
- 15.2 The IMT doctoral art project is a work that consists of an art project and a written work. The art project represents the artwork publicly displayed in the form of an exhibition, public performance, publication or some other type of artistic achievement. Written work is the result of a thoroughly researched theoretical theme which is in a dialogical relation to the artistic achievement.
- 15.3. An application for the accreditation of an IMT study programme may be submitted by one or more higher education institutions that ought to possess an accreditation certificate.
- 15.4. Prior to the accreditation of the study programme, the appropriate IMT professional, academic and/or scientific title shall be formulated, which shall be determined by the National Council for Higher Education at the proposal of the Conference of the University of Serbia and the Conference of Academies of Applied Studies of Serbia.
- 15.5. When formulating professional, academic and scientific titles which may be acquired after completing the IMT studies, a combination of the whole or parts of the two most important areas that make up an interdisciplinary programme is being used.
- 15.6. The two most important areas and their order in the title are determined based on the number of ECTS points that the given areas have in the study programme.
- 15.7. The study programme is referred to as an IMT study program if each of the two main artistic areas contain at least 25% ECTS points for subject matters in the given area. These two areas should be represented by at least 70% of the ECTS points of a given study program.

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Table 15.1. List of subjects from the first main field.

Table 15.2 List of subjects from the second main field.

Attachment 15.1. Documentation on the fulfillment of conditions for the two most important areas.

Attachment 15.2. Evidence that the requirements of the Instruction for the Application of Standards 15 have been fulfilled.

Attachment 15.3. Statute of the University in which the realization of the IMT SP within the HU (higher education unit) is defined.

Attachment 15.4. Agreement with the higher education institutions within the university whose resources are used for the realization of a study programme, which defines the mutual rights and obligations of the HEU and these institutions.

Attachment 15.5. Student Enrollment Contest.

Attachment 15.6. Diploma Supplement.

Compliance assessment instructions for the Peer review panel:

The Peer review panel shall establish if the study programme can be regarded as an IMT study programme. The study programme is shown as IMT study programme, if each of the two main areas contains at least 25% ECTS subjects in the given area. These two areas should represent at least 70% of the ECTS of a given study programme.

In addition to the fulfillment of all accreditation standards, the Peer review panel shall establish to which fields belong the given study programme and which are the two scientific fields most represented by the number of ECTS. The Peer review panel checks whether both areas hail from the same field or not. The Peer review panel shall verify if the institution fulfills all the conditions prescribed for accreditation of

the specific study programme.

In addition to the standard compliance assessment, the Peer review panel shall provide a justification of its assessment regarding the fulfillment of this standard, based on the attachments filed together with the application for accreditation, facts established during the visit and the documents provided by the institution upon request of the Peer review panel before/during/after the visit.