

# Postgraduate degrees at the Faculty of Pharmacy

At the Faculty of Pharmacy it is possible to pursue the following degrees:

- Doctor of Philosophy in Pharmacy
- Doctor of Philosophy

The student is qualified to pursue a Doctor of Philosophy in Pharmacy -degree if her/his Master's degree is from a pharmaceutical field. The students from other fields, e.g. biosciences or medicine pursue a Doctor of Philosophy –degree.

## Degree requirements for the doctoral students - valid until 31 July, 2020

Degree requirements for the doctoral students starting 1.9.2014 - 31.7.2017

- Theoretical studies, 60 ects

- 5-20 ects general scientific postgraduate studies
- 40-55 ects studies in the student's own research field and supporting disciplines of which compulsory credits are
  - preliminary examination, 4 credits (590381)
  - two presentations of the dissertation research project, 2 credits each (I - 590382 ja II - 590383)

- Write a dissertation and defend it at a public examination

Degree requirements for the doctoral students starting 1.8.2008 – 31.8.2014

- Theoretical studies, 60 ects:

- 5-20 ects general scientific postgraduate studies
- 40-55 ects studies in the student's own research field and supporting disciplines of which compulsory credits are:
  - preliminary examination, 5-8 credits and defending the research plan 3 credits

- Write a dissertation and defend it at a public examination

Degree requirements for the doctoral students starting earlier than 1.8.2008

- Theoretical studies, 60 ects

- Write a dissertation and defend it at a public examination