



# STER PROGRAMME

## INTERNATIONALISATION OF DOCTORAL SCHOOLS

### WHY STER PROGRAMME?

Systemic support for the internationalisation of Polish doctoral schools within the following scope:

- improving the quality of education in doctoral schools and the quality of research;
- increasing the international mobility of doctoral students;
- activities related to internationalization 'at home';
- supporting long-lasting international cooperation of doctoral schools;
- attracting foreign doctoral students and thesis supervisors from abroad;
- scholarship support for PhD students who carry out doctoral projects in international cooperation and who work towards obtaining a joint or a double degree;

## WHO CAN APPLY?

Entities running a doctoral school.

## HOW LONG DOES THE PROGRAMME TAKE?

Announcement of the call for applications: 19.04.2021 – 30.06.2021

Implementation of the projects: 03.01.2022 – 31.12.2024

## WHAT KIND OF ACTIVITIES ARE COVERED BY THE PROGRAMME?

- payment of NAWA scholarships to the best foreign PhD students and Polish PhD students who carry out doctoral projects in international cooperation and who work towards obtaining a joint or a double degree;
- facilitation of foreign mobility of the best doctoral candidates from Poland and abroad;
- activities related to internationalization 'at home', including in remote form;
- activities related to the development of international cooperation of doctoral schools, including in remote form;
- activities related to recruiting PhD candidates from abroad;
- additional activities involving content-related management of the Project

## WHAT IS THE PROJECT BUDGET?

Maximum funding from NAWA: PLN 2,000,000

**Applicant's own contribution: at least 10% of the amount applied at NAWA.**

Budget of the call for applications: PLN 20,000,0000

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APPLICATIONS

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