

TALLINNA VESI DOCTORAL STUDIES SCHOLARSHIP

AS Tallinna Vesi is the largest water company in Estonia, providing water and sewerage services to almost a third of the Estonian population. In Tallinna Vesi, we create a better life with clean water every day by applying engineering knowledge and we contribute to the balance of the natural environment.

1. **Tallinna Vesi Doctoral Studies Scholarship** is intended for one successful TalTech doctoral studies student studying **construction and architecture, specializing in water and environmental engineering** at the School of Engineering, who meets the following requirements:
 - Matriculated at TalTech and not on academic leave as at the moment of submitting the application;
 - Doesn't have a valid employment relationship (including contractual agreement) with AS Tallinn Vesi and/or Watercom OÜ (except internship);
 - An outstanding PhD student, who actively takes part in scientific conferences or seminars and writing scientific publications;
 - An active attitude to life and a fan of their area of specialisation;
 - Has not been granted a scholarship by AS Tallinn Vesi while studying on the current doctoral specialty;
 - Readiness to cooperate with Tallinna Vesi AS in at least one project, during which a task in the specialty is solved.
2. The source of the scholarship is the amount transferred to the TalTech Development Fund by the scholarship sponsor.
3. The amount of the doctoral study scholarship is **4000 EUROS**. The scholarship shall be paid in one lump sum payment.
4. The scholarship shall be applied for and awarded by way of public competition. The competition shall be announced via various information channels of TalTech and at least one national newspaper.
5. In order to apply for the scholarship, applicants shall have to submit the following to the Management Board of the Development Fund:
 - A motivation letter or a 1–2 minute video on the topic:
 1. Option: "The Impact of Climate Change on Water Resources and My Role in Their

Protection”

2. Option: “Water Quality Monitoring and My Role in Its Improvement”

- *Curriculum Vitae*;
- An extract from study results (from the Dean’s Office);
- A recommendation from a lecturer or a previous employer.

6. The Management Board of the Development Fund shall register the applications submitted for the scholarship and organise the forwarding of the documents to the sponsor. Upon its wish, the sponsor may meet with the scholarship applicants before selecting the receiver of the scholarship.
7. The final decision on the selection of scholarship holders and whether or not to appoint a scholarship is made by the scholarship sponsor.
8. The receiver of the scholarship shall be approved by the Management Board of the Development Fund on the basis of the sponsor’s proposal. The scholarship shall be paid to the bank account notified to the Management Board of the Development Fund by the receiver of the scholarship.
9. The Management Board and the Supervisory Board of the Development Fund shall settle any possible problems related to awarding the scholarship.

APPLY