

Mentor's declaration of commitment

I commit myself

- to actively support the applicant as the first supervisor of the doctoral project even after the funding has expired;
- to endeavour to obtain further funding after the end of the scholarship from my own funds or from third-party funds, e.g. by employing the applicant as a research assistant, for a maximum of one year or until the doctorate is completed (whichever comes first);
- to submit to the HYT after 18 months an assessment of the current status of the doctoral project and the perspectives for completing the doctorate; and
- to be available, if required, up to once per funding year during the scholarship period of the funded candidate to contribute to the non-material support programme for scholarship recipients (e.g. by giving a lecture or workshop on an interdisciplinary or broadly relevant topic for academic career development, or on a subject related to my own research area).

Name of the applicant (in block letters)

Name of the mentor (in block letters)

Date, signature of the mentor