

# Newsletter 1/2016

For international students of the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry



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## 1. Palacký English Programme Association



- An annual ball was arranged by PEPA, and held at BEA campus Olomouc on April 09, 2016. As many of you were there, you already know it was a great success. Almost 200 people attended.
- PEPA also held football and badminton tournaments recently and is planning to arrange tutorials, where senior students will help their younger colleagues with whatever problematic study areas they might have.

## 2. Summer internships

Just like last year, students have an opportunity to claim financial contribution from the faculty if they complete their internships outside the Czech Republic, provided the following criteria is met:

- A contract with the hospital, where you will be completing your training, must be delivered to the faculty BEFORE starting your training
- The training must be minimum 30 days long, completed without interruption

For more information and the amounts you could be eligible for, see the following webpage: <http://www.lf.upol.cz/en/groups/studying/master-degree-programmes/general-medicine/internships-abroad/>

## 3. Graduation ceremony

Graduation ceremony will be held at “Hradisko” Military Hospital on Wednesday June 22, 2016. The graduation is likely to be carried out in two batches; specific timings will be provided later.

## 4. Student research projects

Student research (“SVOČ”) conference is scheduled for Wednesday May 18, 2016.

## 5. Evaluation of teaching

Do not forget you are given an opportunity to evaluate quality of teaching, as well as other issues such as how your study issues are handled at the faculty, how is information communicated to you, etc.

Final year students can fill out the questionnaires after completion of their last state exam.

Evaluation questionnaires for all other students are best submitted at the Student Department once they come to register in September.

Evaluation questionnaires can be downloaded from the links below or collected from the Student Department:

General Medicine: <http://www.lf.upol.cz/en/groups/studying/master-degree-programmes/general-medicine/evaluation-of-teaching/>

Dentistry: <http://www.lf.upol.cz/en/groups/studying/master-degree-programmes/dentistry/evaluation-of-teaching/>

## 6. Attendance of classes

Please note that students' attendance of seminars and practical classes is now checked regularly. Under no circumstances is it acceptable for a student who is not registered for a particular class, to be attending it.

## 7. New Directive of the Dean

New directive of the Dean to Study and Examination Code of Palacký University: [http://www.lf.upol.cz/fileadmin/user\\_upload/LF/ENGLISH/guidelines/2016\\_Dean\\_s\\_Directive\\_to\\_SE\\_C\\_UP.pdf](http://www.lf.upol.cz/fileadmin/user_upload/LF/ENGLISH/guidelines/2016_Dean_s_Directive_to_SE_C_UP.pdf)

### Important deadlines reminder:

**May 30 to June 30, 2016** – examination period in the summer semester

**September 5, 2016** – completion of all courses

### Useful link:

**Study and Examination Code of Palacký University in Olomouc:**

[http://www.lf.upol.cz/fileadmin/user\\_upload/dokumenty/2013/Consolidated\\_Version\\_of\\_Study\\_and\\_Examination\\_Code\\_of\\_PU\\_as\\_of\\_9\\_july\\_2013.pdf](http://www.lf.upol.cz/fileadmin/user_upload/dokumenty/2013/Consolidated_Version_of_Study_and_Examination_Code_of_PU_as_of_9_july_2013.pdf)

If you would like to contribute to the next issue of the newsletter, please contact the Student Department by October 31, 2016 at the latest.

***We wish you much success with your upcoming exams!***