Transparent Acceptance Criteria 12th UNESCO Janusz Korczak Chair International Summer School

UNESCO fellowship is dedicated to scholars and researchers, whose interests and relevant experiences are closely related to the summer school subject area. This year the topic is: *Equality of gender and children's equality in liberal and conservative discourses. Social and linguistic implications*

Acceptance/Rejection for the program is a 3 stage process:

- 1. Internal UNESCO Janusz Korczak Chair Committee, comprising of 5 people, including a doctoral student, an MA student, 2 doctors and a professor will recommend a list of 12 participants and a reserve list in order of choice, in case anyone cancels their visit to Warsaw.
- Participants are notified by email about the outcome of the first stage recruitment
- 2. The list of recommended persons and the reserve list is sent to Polish Committee for UNESCO and if all formal criteria are accepted:
- 3. The list is presented to Polish Ministry of Science and Higher Education (MNiSW): National Agency for Academic Exchanges (NAWA) and the list is finally accepted.
- Participants are notified by email about their final acceptance.

Acceptance criteria:

- Grant recipients must represent countries from B or C category (based on GDP and categorized by World Bank), including Eastern Europe.
- Paperwork must include all required documents.
- Period of stay must last 30 days: 1st-30th September.
- Application Forms must be signed on page 3.
- Fluency in English.

There are only **12 fellowships** this year and additional criteria must be met:

- Maximum of 2 participants per country.
- Where multiple applications from a single country represent equally relevant and equally strong cases, the decision will be reached based on date of application, in favor of early applicants. The rejected applicants' names may be put on the reserve list.

Please note:

There are also 2 paid places available for the period of 16th-28th September, not covered by UNESCO fellowships. The fee is 500 euro and it includes basic accommodation. Participants must still meet the participation criteria and observe all the rules and regulations.