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NOTICE OF SELECTION OF POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

PSP «SYNTHESIS, NATURAL PRODUCTS AND CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS»

The School of Chemistry of the Faculty of Sciences of AUTh organizes and operates for the **academic year 2026-2027** a Postgraduate Studies Program (PSP) entitled: "Synthesis, Natural Products and Contemporary Applications", in accordance with Government Gazette 5684/issue B'/27-10-2025 and the provisions of Law 4957/2022 (Government Gazette A'141/21-07-2022).
Related webpage: https://websites.auth.gr/synnatprod/

A. DEGREE DIPLOMAS

The PSP awards a Postgraduate Diploma with the title "Synthesis, Natural Products and Contemporary Applications".

B. NUMBER OF ADMISSED POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS

The number of admitted postgraduate students for the academic year 2026-2027 is twenty-five (25).

C. DURATION OF STUDY AND COURSES

The minimum and maximum study time for obtaining the Postgraduate Diploma is 3 and 5 semesters, respectively. To obtain the Postgraduate Diploma, 90 ECTS are required (60 ECTS from postgraduate courses + 30 ECTS from master thesis).

D. ADMISSION OF CANDIDATES

The PSP accepts graduates of HEI Departments (Universities and Technical Educational Institutions) in Greece and recognized equivalent institutions abroad, with a related subject. Final year students of the aforementioned institutions who owe up to 3 courses for the September examination (including possibly the thesis) will be also admitted. These courses are necessarily calculated with a conventional grade of "5.0", and until the end of the selection process, the temporarily calculated degree grade that is awarded does not change. Their registration in the PSP, if selected, requires their successful examination in these courses during the September period, at which time they must present a relevant certificate to the Department Secretariat upon registration.

The interested students should submit an application **from 22/06/2026 to 24/07/2026**. The application is submitted **ONLY ELECTRONICALLY** within the aforementioned deadline to the e-mail: mkafantari@chem.auth.gr with the subject of the e-mail «APPLICATION FOR PSP "SYNTHESIS, NATURAL PRODUCTS AND CONTEMPORARY APPLICATIONS"_NAME».

The **Application** must be accompanied by the following supporting documents in digital format (pdf):

MANDATORY (from 1 to 6):

1. Copy of the Police Identity Card (both sides on one page).
2. Certificate of Detailed Grades (or copy of Degree accompanied by Diploma Supplement).
3. Short CV.
4. Proof of good knowledge of at least one foreign language (level B2 and above) or the Greek language in the case of foreigners.
5. Cover and one-page summary of the thesis (for graduates outside the Department of Chemistry of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, the full text of the thesis in digital format is also required).
6. Recognition by DOATAP or certificate of submission of supporting documents in case the degree was obtained abroad.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION (if any)

7. Abstracts of published works and/or announcements at conferences.
8. Certificates of relevant research and/or professional experience.

ATTENTION: The application that is not accompanied by the MANDATORY supporting documents will be considered incomplete and will be automatically rejected.

Candidates who are going to receive a degree during the swearing-in ceremony in July 2026 must, by 10/9/2026, additionally send a Certificate of Detailed Grades, stating that they are graduates.

The selection of students will take place in September, based on the Algorithm of Awarding Points described in the Regulation of the PSP and includes the following criteria (the maximum quota for awarding points is in parentheses):

- Bachelor's Degree (40%)
- Courses related to the subjects of the PSP (35%)
- Thesis (10%)
- Publications in journals/announcements (3%)
- Professional/Research Experience related to the major (2%)
- Interview (10%)

Interviews are scheduled to be conducted by the Three-Member Selection and Examination Committee in September on specific dates, which will be announced in due time on the School and the PSP website.

The final selection list will be ratified by the School Assembly and the successful candidates will be invited to register and select the courses of the first semester.

Postgraduate students must have sufficient knowledge in the basic courses of the School of Chemistry that are relevant to the postgraduate program they are going to attend, or if required, be successfully examined in courses of the Undergraduate Program of Studies (UPS) of the School that will be determined for each student by the Three-Member Selection Committee. These courses must be attended in parallel, during the first two semesters of their postgraduate studies.

The Director of PSP
Professor **ALEXANDROS KOUMBIS**

The President of the School
Professor **THEODOROS KARAPANTSIOS**