

**«KROK» UNIVERSITY
KROK BUSINESS SCHOOL
REGULATIONS ON THE ENTREPRENEURSHIP CENTER**

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1. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 1.1. Entrepreneurship Center (hereinafter referred to as the Centre) operates based on the KROK Business School at the higher education institution «University of Economics and Law «KROK» (hereinafter referred to as the University).
- 1.2. The full name of the Centre in Ukrainian is «Центр підприємництва».
- 1.3. The full name of the Centre in English is «Entrepreneurship Center».
- 1.4. The purpose of the activities of the Entrepreneurship Centre is to support, develop, and promote entrepreneurial culture, innovative activities, and the commercialization of the outcomes of the KROK Business School's work, including through business-commissioned research.
- 1.5. The Entrepreneurship Centre carries out educational, consulting, and other activities, engaging international partners, entrepreneurs, students, and graduates in its work.
- 1.6. The Centre is subordinated to and accountable to the KROK Business School.
- 1.7. In its activities, the Centre is guided by the Constitution of Ukraine, the Law of Ukraine «On Higher Education» other legal and regulatory acts, the Charter of KROK University, the Regulations on the KROK Business School, and these Regulations.
- 1.8. To fulfill its functions and objectives, the Centre may interact, within its competence, with other structural units of the University, divisions of the KROK Business School, state and local government bodies, scientific and educational institutions, individuals, enterprises, institutions, and organizations, regardless of their form of ownership.

2. PRINCIPLES OF ACTIVITY AND TASKS OF THE CENTER

- 2.1. The main **principles** of the Centre's activities are:
 - Openness to experience sharing;
 - Integration of the results of practice-oriented research into educational, consulting, and practical activities;
 - Partnership, cooperation, and collaboration.
- 2.2. The main **objectives** of the Centre's activities are:
 - Supporting entrepreneurial culture by creating conditions for developing entrepreneurial skills among master's program students in managerial development;
 - Advancing innovative activities through facilitating the development and implementation of new ideas, technologies, and startups;
 - Commercializing research by ensuring a connection between scientific developments and practical business applications;
 - Building partnerships with businesses and fostering collaboration between the KROK Business School and the private sector;
 - Conducting commissioned research, processing and presenting its results,

- and integrating them into educational and practical activities;
- Creating a case base and identifying the best practices.

3. MAIN DIRECTIONS AND TYPES OF ACTIVITIES OF THE CENTER

3.1. The Centre carries out its activities in the following directions:

Educational Activities:

- Development and implementation of educational courses, seminars, and training sessions on entrepreneurship.
- Preparation of up-to-date educational and methodological materials, descriptions of methodologies, and business cases.
- Conducting workshops and lectures by invited experts.
- Holding business club meetings.

Research Activities:

- Identifying promising areas for research in the field of entrepreneurship.
- Organizing and conducting research in the field of entrepreneurship.
- Preparing and publishing scientific materials, articles, and conference theses.

Innovative Activities:

- Providing consulting services for the development and implementation of startup projects.
- Creating incubation and acceleration programs.

Consulting Support:

- Offering consultations on business creation and development.
- Assisting in drafting business plans, finding funding, and establishing partnerships.

Partnership and Cooperation:

- Establishing connections with the business community, governmental and non-governmental organizations, and professional business associations.
- Promoting collaboration between the KROK Business School and businesses.
- Organizing events to popularize small and medium-sized businesses.

Practical Training:

- Serving as a base for pre-graduation internships for master's program students in managerial programs, as well as for students of other programs whose qualification work topics involve entrepreneurship research.
- Hosting internships for students from other academic and educational institutions interested in conducting research in the field of entrepreneurship.

4. CENTER MANAGEMENT AND ITS ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

4.1. The overall management of the Centre is carried out by its Head, appointed by the Executive Director of the KROK Business School from among the regular academic staff.

4.2. The Head of the Centre has the following powers:

- Manages the activities of the Centre, develops activity plans, determines priority directions for the Centre's development, and ensures their timely implementation.
 - Participates in the implementation of analytical and other projects of the Centre.
 - Represents the Centre before other organizations and institutions.
 - Establishes temporary project groups to conduct specific events and implement projects.
 - Engages teachers and students in the Centre's activities.
 - Is responsible for preparing the Centre's annual activity report.
 - Has the right to sign documents related to the Centre's activities (excluding financial documents).
- 4.3. The Centre may involve academic staff, invited lecturers, and practitioners in its activities.

5. FINANCIAL AND MATERIAL AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT OF THE CENTER'S ACTIVITIES

- 5.1. The Centre operates based on the material and technical resources and infrastructure of the University and the KROK Business School.
- 5.2. Funding for the Centre is provided through the resources of KROK University and funds received from clients of educational and consulting services related to the Centre's activities.
- 5.3. The sources of financial support for the Centre include: Budgetary financing of projects, National and international grants, Agreements for project implementation, Sponsorship and charitable contributions, Other income not prohibited by the current legislation of Ukraine.
- 5.4. Funds allocated to the Centre for financing its projects and programs, as well as for various tasks, are deposited into the University's account and utilized to achieve the goals and objectives of the Centre, including the payment of project performers' salaries.
- 5.5. Payments for the work and projects carried out by the Centre's performers are made after the receipt of targeted funds from clients, grants, budget financing of projects, sponsorship, and charitable contributions within the limits of the provided funding.

6. REORGANIZATION OR LIQUIDATION OF THE CENTER

- 6.1. The issue of reorganization or liquidation of the Centre has been raised upon submission by the Executive Director of the KROK Business School to the Rector of the University.
- 6.2. A decision regarding the reorganization or liquidation of the Centre is enacted by an order of the Rector of the University.

- 6.3. In the event of reorganization/liquidation of the Centre, employees who are dismissed are guaranteed the preservation of their rights and interests in accordance with the legislation of Ukraine.

7. FINAL PROVISIONS

- 7.1. The Regulations come into effect from the moment they are approved by the Rector of the University.
- 7.2. Changes and/or amendments to these Regulations are made by an order from the Rector of the University based on a submission by the Executive Director of the KROK Business School.
- 7.3. These Regulations remain in force until they are revoked or replaced by a new version.