STATUTE OF HONORARY FELLOWSHIP OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TARTU

Adopted based on clause 3 of the Regulations for Giving Recognition, adopted by the University of Tartu Senate Regulation no. 5 of 27 April 2012 and amended by Senate Regulation no. 30 of 18 December 2015, and pursuant to clause 12 (2) 16) of the Statutes of the University of Tartu, adopted by the Senate Regulation no. 11 of 21 July 2014 and approved by the Council Resolution no. 18 of 29 July 2014. [effective as of 1 January 2016]

1. An honorary fellowship of the University of Tartu may be conferred on a natural person or corporation who has made a significant contribution to the attainment of the aims enshrined in the Statutes of the University of Tartu, including by means of a gift whose value exceeds 250,000 euros.

2. The granting of an honorary fellowship is resolved by the Senate.

3. The right to make nominations for honorary fellowships may be exercised by any member of the University of Tartu Council or the Senate, by a faculty council or council of a non-faculty institution, and by legal persons registered in Estonia. [effective as of 1 January 2016]

4. As a token of recognition, the university issues each honorary fellow with a medal and a certificate. The medal is engraved with the name of the honorary fellow. The certificate bears the name of the honorary fellow and lists the merits for which he or she has received the title. The text on the certificate is both in Estonian and in Latin. The certificate is signed by the Rector.

5. The names of honorary fellows are placed on the Honour Roll of Honorary Fellows which is kept by the Academic Secretary. The Honour Roll is signed by each honorary fellow.

6. The Rectors presents honorary fellows with their medals and diplomas on 1 December in the ceremonial meeting dedicated to the anniversary of the Estonian national university.

7. Honorary fellows are invited to participate in festive events of the university as guests of honour. They receive a copy of the university yearbook.

8. The Statute of Honorary Fellowship of the University of Tartu adopted by the Council of the University of Tartu Regulation of 29 September of 1995 is hereby repealed.

9. This regulation takes effect on 1 May 2012.