

General terms and conditions for Amgen Scholars summer programme students at ETH Zurich

Commitment

I am aware that the application is binding and that I am obliged to inform ETH immediately should I have to withdraw from the application process or the mobility stay. I confirm that I remain matriculated/enrolled as a degree-seeking student at my home university during my entire duration of stay at ETH.

Financial certification

I am aware that living costs in Switzerland are very high, especially in Zurich. The Immigration Office of the Canton of Zurich defines CHF 1,750 per month as the financial means necessary to support oneself. In case of acceptance into the programme, I will receive a stipend of 4000 CHF in total to cover my living and housing costs, which fulfills these conditions.

Health and accident insurance

I am aware that I am responsible for my own health and accident insurance coverage during my stay in Switzerland. In the framework of the Bilateral Agreements between the EU and Switzerland, students from EU and EFTA countries are covered by the insurance in their country of residence, provided that they obtain the European health insurance card from their health insurance. Students staying in Switzerland for less than three months (90 days) are also strongly urged to make sure they have sufficient health and accident insurance covering their stay in Switzerland. Students are not insured for accidents by ETH. ETH has no obligation to insure students against illness and accident.

Personal liability insurance

ETH is insured against material and property damage, although with a high franchise (amount paid by the person involved). If students damage instruments and equipment belonging to ETH through negligence (e.g. in practical courses, during semester projects, while conducting thesis work), ETH has the right to hold the persons involved accountable for the costs.

I acknowledge that ETH therefore highly recommends its students to take out a personal liability insurance to cover unintentional damage caused to third parties both inside and outside ETH. Not having personal liability insurance may result in considerable expenses, e.g. damage to property in rented rooms or flats, injury or other damage to a person's health, etc. It is also recommended to take out a full household insurance which covers theft, e.g. stolen laptops, bicycles, etc. ETH has no obligation to insure students against liability damages.

Correctness and verification

I authorise ETH to undertake those verifications required to assess the correctness of the details and documentation submitted, as far as this should be necessary for the evaluation of my application. I understand that submission of incomplete information, misinformation or unofficial documentation may lead to my exclusion from the admission process or – if discovered later – to revocation of my admission and that any fees paid in this case would be forfeit. I understand that ETH reserves the right to take further steps regarding misinformation or the submission of falsified documents.

Data privacy

I have noted the general [data privacy statement](#). I am aware that ETH will process my personal data and the academic data generated during my summer programme studies for the purposes of my summer programme studies. I give permission for ETH to pass this data to my home university where required. I am also aware that ETH is required to submit the data of participants to Amgen Foundation, Center & Education Policy at Indiana University and Amgen Scholars Global Office at Harvard University. ETH may disclose or share my personal information with any Swiss authorities (e.g. Federal Statistical Office) where required by Swiss law.

Surveys

I understand that I have to complete the following surveys for the programme on behalf of the Sponsor Amgen Foundation:

- Presurvey: All Amgen scholars receive a presurvey within two days of the programme's start.
- Symposium Survey: All scholars will receive a symposium survey the day following their respective symposium.
- Postsurvey: In the final days all Amgen Scholars receive a postsurvey.
- Alumni: CEEP collects data from Amgen Scholars alumni on an annual basis.

I hereby declare that I have read the above information and that I agree with these terms and conditions. All information provided in this application is complete and represents the truth.

Date: «current_date», Name: «bew_vorname_amtlich» «bew_nachname»

Signature:

Amgen Scholars Program: Code of Conduct

During the course of your participation as an Amgen Scholar, you must comply with all applicable ETH Zürich policies and procedures. You will receive further information about ETH Zürich policies and procedures during the summer program orientation.

Your behavior both in the lab and outside the lab, at academic and social events, and at the regional symposium reflects not only upon you, but also on your home and summer program universities, and the Amgen Foundation. ETH Zürich and the Amgen Foundation therefore expect you to treat your peers and supervisors and members of the community with consideration and respect. In addition, ETH Zürich and the Amgen Foundation require you to act responsibly at the housing facilities provided by ETH Zürich for the summer program and those provided for the regional symposium, whether you are a resident in the housing facilities or a visitor to the housing facilities. This includes abiding by all local, regional, and federal or national laws, including those prohibiting persons under the legal age from consuming alcoholic beverages, driving while intoxicated, and use, possession, or trafficking of illegal drugs. Furthermore, at the regional symposium ETH Zürich and the Amgen Foundation expect you to participate fully in scheduled programming for the duration of the symposium.

If ETH Zürich and/or the Amgen Foundation determine that a student has acted in an unprofessional or irresponsible manner or exercised poor judgment in a way that reflects negatively on the Amgen Scholars Program or the Amgen Foundation, appropriate disciplinary measures will be taken, up to and including immediate termination from the program. At ETH Zürich the standard disciplinary process will be followed in accordance with applicable campus policies and procedures.

If you have any questions about the Code of Conduct, please contact Nicole Tobler at nicole.tobler@akd.ethz.ch

I acknowledge that I have received and read the Code of Conduct.

Signature: _____ Date: _____, _____

Print Name: _____