

# Academia SeBeana

(academic year 2018/2019, spring semester)

In vino veritas, in cerevisia scientia

## MISSION AND OBJECTIVES

As malt, hops, and water are the main ingredients of every beer, so relentless pursuit of Beer-Driven Research (BDR), dissemination of knowledge and beernovation are the main objectives of Academia SeBeana, which was established in the academic year 2013/14.

We continue to be at the frontier of the state-of-the-brew research, covering a wide range of research areas such as Beertificial intelligence (e.g., processing of potentially infinite beer streams or beer recommendation), Beer-influenced language processing (e.g., analysis of beer-induced sentiment) and Beer Savouring Experience (as a part of a broader beer-human interfaces research). However, Academia SeBeana also pays much attention to scholarship, naturally connected to the requirements of beerdustry and research.

Overall, our mission is to raise a new generation of young beertelligence able to pursue the Holy Grail of beer science – finding the creative and productive peak: the SeBe peak.

Due to the overall changes in beerducation and advances both in the field and in the academia's management body, this year will be the last year for the Academia as we know it.

#### STUDY PROGRAMMES

In the academic year 2018/2019, the following study programmes in all three levels of study in the field of Beergineering are running:

- undergraduate programmes awarding the degree of Bachelor of Beergineering (BBeng.) in: Beerformatics, Brewing technologies, Drink security
- graduate programmes awarding the degree of Master of Beergineering (MBeng.) in: Beertelligent Systems, Brewing technologies
- doctoral programmes awarding the degree of Cerevisiae Doctor (CeD.) in: Applied beerformatics, Bottling systems

The details on graduate profiles can be found here (in Graduate Profile section).

### **GRADUATION**

As the academic year 2018/2019 comes to its end, already enrolled students (see this  $\underline{\text{list}}$ ) that fulfil criteria will be allowed to take their graduation exams. The criteria are:



- for Bachelor of Beergineering degree: acquisition of 4 credits from the studies and state examination in the form of Bachelor thesis defence
- for Master of Beergineering degree: acquisition of 8 credits from the studies and state examination in the form of Master thesis defence with broader discussion of the field

Students that have not been enrolled in the previous semester are allowed to undergo a *fast-track* enrolment. In order to (fast-track) enrol for this academic year or to be allowed to take state exams, students have to prove their exceptional study potential or results (thesis) by presenting a glass **bottle**<sup>1</sup> of **beer**.

Notes: Students *conditionally* enrolled in academic year 2018/19 should provide a vivid evidence of their merits in the field of beer sciences. Otherwise, they may be approached to undergo commissional exams. Already enrolled students should bring their <u>index</u>.

#### STUDY SCHEDULE

March 29th 2019

19:30 Academia SeBeana 2018/19 Spring Semester Welcome
19:45 Fast-track Student Enrolment, Thesis Submission
20:00 Contemplations and discussions about the Beer

Beer'o'clock Semester Evaluation

Bratislava, March 27th 2019

Prof. MBeng. Marián Šimko, CeD., Prof. MBeng. Michal Barla, CeD., Prof. MBeng. Jakub Šimko, CeD., Prof. MBeng. Róbert Móro, CeD.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> A can, though filled with delicious beer, is not a bottle.