

**The scoring system  
used to qualify candidates to the First Doctoral School  
of the Medical University of Gdańsk**

1.	Prequalification interview in the English language	<p style="text-align: center;">max. 50 points, including the score of: 0-15 points – general knowledge in the discipline 0-15 points – scientific value of the project (project goal, project feasibility, i.e. the research methods and financing) 0-10 points – substantive preparation of the candidate to the pursuance of the project 0-10 points – project presentation</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(the average minimum score of 60% for the prequalification interview is required).</p>	
2.	Command of the English language, verified with a test held by the MUG Department of Foreign Languages [SPNJO] or a certificate satisfying the SPNJO requirements	max. 5 points	
3.	The final note of assessment given on the diploma of graduation from studies, rounded up to one decimal place x 3	max. 15 points	
4.	<i>Primus Inter Pares</i> medal or equivalent distinction for the best graduate	10 points	
5.	Documented active participation in a research circle (at least 1 year) confirmed with an opinion from the circle supervisor describing the activity - 2 points	max. 2 points	
6.	Documented organisational activities in university structures (students' or other) – 1 point each	max. 2 points	
7.	Documented original papers presented by the candidate at research conferences as their first author: - oral presentation confirmed with the certificate or programme – 3 points per paper - poster at an international conference confirmed with the certificate or programme –1 point per work	max. points 9	
8.	Awards for the presented papers listed in it. 7 – 1 point per award	max. 4 points	
9.	Awards and scholarships for research activities, granted by institutions other than the University – 2 points per award	max. 8 points	

10.	Rector's Awards for research activities – 1 point per award	max. 2 points	
11.	<p>Research paper publications:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- in journals of quartile Q1: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• as the first or corresponding author – 10 points per publication</li> <li>• as any other author – 3 points per publication</li> </ul> </li> <li>- in journals of quartile Q2: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• as the first or corresponding author – 5 points per publication</li> <li>• as any other author – 2 points per publication</li> </ul> </li> <li>- in journals of quartiles Q3 and Q4: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• as the first or corresponding author – 3 points per publication</li> <li>• as any other author – 1 point per publication</li> </ul> </li> <li>- in journals of the ministerial scoring (outside quartiles Q1-Q4) – 0.5 point per publication (maximum 5 publications)</li> </ul>	max. 50 points	
	monographs/ chapters in books (first or corresponding author) satisfying the Ministerial scoring criteria – 1 point per publication	max. 6 points	
12	<p>Obtaining the financing for the research project the candidate is the manager of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- from University's own funds – 5 points per case</li> <li>- from external funds – 15 points per case</li> </ul>	max 30 points	
13.	<p>Done internship:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- of the scientific nature lasting at least 1 month, which resulted in a scientific publication (Master Degree thesis included) or oral presentation at a scientific conference – 3 points per case</li> <li>- any other scientific internship of at least 1 month, confirmed with an opinion from the internship supervisor – 1 point per case</li> </ul>	max. 9 points	