Election Program

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The motto of the Program –

ImplementAtion of tHe EuropEAn and WorlD Achievements at BSMU) AHEAD BSMU

To maintain achievements and traditions of the previous generations of the University staff and develop modern European type of the University by an evolutionary way on the principles of a wide autonomy is my main goal on the position.

I will do my best to bring the University up to the new quality level, i.e. to obtain the status of the National University, and create the team of those sharing the same ideas in order to fulfil the potential and opportunities for every University staff member.

The future of the University is a student-oriented educational-teaching process. Student is the major core the University life should be arranged around.

I will steadily keep to the current legislation of Ukraine in my work.

Financial-economic sphere.

Objective – to ensure the existence of the University in current realities, to provide financial stability by means of promotion of advanced areas of development and optimization of the unprofitable ones.

Tasks:

1. I consider a long-range planning of incomes and charges for the term no less than 3 years an important mechanism in realization of financial stability.

2. Procurement planning must be carried out exclusively by means of the electronic system of purchasing goods and services.

3. Purchasing should be made in order to create material-technical reserves of consumables and other materials essential for everyday use at the University warehouse.

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4. To enlarge the educational and other facilities I consider it necessary to reduce the amount of rented premises and increase our own ones acquiring them in property. Out own facilities should be used effectively and rationally.

5. Cooperation with private clinics should be expanded at the initial stage before the establishment of our own clinic, in order to ensure educational process on the bases.

6. To purchase educational and diagnostic-therapeutic equipment able to give maximum earnings for the unit of costs invested.

7. To work out an optimal financial mechanism of mutual settlement of accounts with the University clinical bases.

8. To involve the funds of benefactors and sponsors, grants in order to improve the University financial activities.

9. Continuous referral of funds for bonuses and encouragement with the aim of continuous increase of material welfare of all the University staff workers.

10. The University graduates who work in the state and private spheres including medicine are one of the sources to involve finances.

11. To involve service companies to provide the University activity.

12. To direct charges of the trade-union organization for the cultural, public, sport and health work in the amount no less than 0,3% of the wages fund.

Personnel policy.

Objective – to maintain and increase the human potential as a basis of the University functioning.

Tasks:

1. The major approach is realization of professional ability of every staff member irrespective of gender and age.

2. Gender equality must be observed at the University.

3. Combination of the experience of leading figures and energy of young teachers, keeping to generational continuity will make the possibilities for realization of the University potential wider.

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Educational sphere.

Objective – optimization of the educational process by means of making additional free time available in order to open a creative potential of every lecturer and teacher.

Tasks:

1. Student-oriented teaching will promote decrease of a subjective component of education and increase an objective one by means of implementation of "artificial intelligence" technology (establishment of "artificial intelligence" laboratory).

2. To reduce the amount of paper and routine work. Development of mobile apps for students on the smartphones, which contains all the necessary information about a student and for a student (identification, admission to educational buildings and the University library, grades, schedule, electronic record book, electronic communication with the Dean's office etc.).

3. To build a campus of Stomatological Faculty in 3, Ryzka str., by means of a new building construction.

4. To build a sports and fitness center with a swimming pool due to the expansion of the facilities in 2, Bogomolets str.

5. To open the branches of the University abroad, to extend cooperation with foreign universities with the aim to get double Diploma.

6. Introduction of "artificial intelligence" in the process of assessment at the undergraduate and postgraduate levels of education with the purpose to maximum decrease a subjective factor.

7. Regular updating of educational materials considering up-to-date European and world tendencies.

Scientific sphere.

Objective – transition to a mixed system of financing scientific research at the University in order to achieve the world and European level of the scientific results obtained.

Tasks:

1. To enlarge a share of financing the educational-scientific laboratory at the expense of state funds and involving the funds obtained from examination of patients referred to the laboratory by the consultants of BSMU in eHelsi system.

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2. To promote writing theses to obtain degrees of Doctor of Philosophy (PhD), Doctor of Sciences by means of involvement of various funding sources – state budget, local budget, grants, private charges etc.

3. To cover the costs on scientific articles published in foreign journals with indices in the scientometric bases Scopus, Web of Science etc.

4. To provide continuous subscription to electronic versions of foreign leading professional publications.

5. In case a BSMU scientist is invited as a lecturer, moderator of a plenary section of the world or European congress his/her costs for participation should be maximum refunded.

Public health sphere.

Objective – continuous realization of the potential of clinical departments by means of up-to-date diagnostic-therapeutic approaches.

Tasks:

1. Establishing the University clinic based on the facilities in 8a, Pivdenno-Kiltseva str., implementing the principle – "all the services in one institution". The clinic will have all the conveniences to realize the opportunities and experience of every BSMU staff member and a student.

2. To save clinical bases using various methods of cooperation with medical establishments of municipal property.

3. To extend cooperation with private medical establishments.

4. Constant purchase of up-to-date therapeutic and diagnostic equipment, components and consumables for it.

International policy.

Objective – increase of the real University international image.

Tasks:

1. To renew admission of foreign citizens and simultaneously to make geographical composition wider.

2. To fill agreements on cooperation with foreign universities with real content.

3. To establish a separate structural unit in order to intensify and expand the search of grant programs for foreign business trips of the University teaching staff and students with the purpose to participate in conferences, forums, training programs etc.

Prevention of corruption.

Objective – to make the facts of corrupt practices at the University impossible. **Tasks**:

1. Continuous control and organization of work to implement anti-corruption legislation at BSMU.

2. To implement "artificial intelligence" elements in order to prevent corrupt practices.

3. To introduce experience of leading European and world universities on prevention of corrupt practices.

4. "On equal terms" communication with students to obtain information of any manifestation of corrupt practices (introduction of electronic chat "Stop corruption", "Rector's open day for students" etc.).

Steps to support students.

Objective – maximum promotion of many-sided development of student's abilities.

Tasks:

1. To create maximum comfortable environment in order to get additional income by students – agreements with employers etc.

2. To found a non-profitable fund to support students for payment up to 5 annual scholarships for education and up to 15 grants to pay for hostel residence for those students who achieved success in educational, scientific, public, sport activities etc.

3. To improve continuously living conditions at the hostels.

4. To prevent conditions for occurrence of corrupt practices. In case such facts are found, they must be treated according to the current legislation.

5. To make the University Student Government substantially autonomous within the legal regulations, eliminating extra supervision from the side of the University Authority and teachers.

6. To make any signs of bullying at the University impossible.

7. To provide maximum favorable conditions to realize decisions of the University Student Government.

8. To create and maintain pages in social networks for everyday information exchange about student life between teachers and students.

Tutorial sphere.

Objective – formation of a highly qualified medical professional with maximum realization of his/her abilities.

Tasks:

1. To provide maximum opportunities for harmonious development of all the subjects of educational process at the University.

2. To promote an effective autonomy of the time outside regular hours supporting events really interesting for students.

3. To support the principles of academic virtue.

4. To promote communication of the University staff members and BSMU students with their colleagues of Ukrainian and foreign universities outside regular hours.

5. Establish relations with BSMU graduates who work abroad in the medical field and are able to share their life experience of becoming a doctor.

The Program can be implemented only by means of mutual efforts of the whole BSMU teaching staff and students.

In case I am elected to the position of Rector at Bukovinian State Medical University, a step-by-step plan of its realization will be formed on the basis of the Program.

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