



ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE CZECH REPUBLIC

Based upon Act No. 283/1992 Coll., on the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, as subsequently amended, and upon Act No. 341/2005 Coll., on public research institutions, and in accordance with the Statutes of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic issued on 24 May 2006, the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic (hereinafter ASCR) hereby issues

the Foundation Deed of the Institute of Psychology of the ASCR, v. v. i.

I.

(1) The Institute was established by a resolution of the twenty-first session of the Presidium of the Czechoslovak Academy of Sciences (hereinafter CSAS) held on 23 February 1967, which took effect on 1 April 1967, under the name the Institute of Psychology of the CSAS. Under section 18 (2) of Act No. 283/1992 Coll., the Institute became an entity of the ASCR as of 31 December 1992.

(2) Under Act No. 341/2005 Coll., the legal status of the Institute of Psychology of the ASCR will be transformed from a state contributory organisation into a public research institution (abbreviated as v. v. i.) from 1 January 2007.

II.

(1) The Institute of Psychology of the ASCR, v. v. i., (hereinafter IPS) is established for an indefinite period as a legal entity with identification number 68081740, and is headquartered in Brno, Veveří 967/97, Postal Code 602 00.

(2) The founder of the IPS is the ASCR, an organisational body of the state, identification number 60165171, headquartered in Prague 1, Národní 1009/3, Postal Code 117 20.

III.

(1) The purpose for which the IPS has been established is to carry out scientific research in the field of psychology, to contribute to the utilisation of its research results, and to provide a research infrastructure.

(2) The principal activity of the IPS is scientific research focused on selected key problems in the field of psychology, particularly in the psychology of personality, general psychology, social psychology, psychology of health and methodology. The IPS contributes to raising the level of knowledge and education and to utilising the results of scientific research in practice. It acquires, processes and disseminates scientific information, issues scientific publications (monographs, journals, proceedings, etc.). It provides scientific assessments, professional opinions and recommendations, consulting and advisory services. In cooperation with universities, the IPS carries out doctoral study programmes and provides training for young



scientists. Within the scope of its activity, the IPS promotes international cooperation, including the organisation of joint research projects with foreign partners, participation in exchange programmes for scientists and the exchange of scientific information, as well as the preparation of joint publications. The IPS organises scientific meetings, conferences and seminars at the national and international levels and provides the infrastructure for research. It pursues its aims both independently and in cooperation with universities and other research and professional institutions.

IV.

(1) The director, the Board and the Supervisory Board are the bodies of the IPS. The director is the statutory body of the IPS and is entitled to act on behalf of the IPS.

(2) Basic organisational units of the IPS are scientific departments responsible for research and development, and service departments responsible for provision of the infrastructure.

(3) The detailed organisational structure of the IPS is regulated by rules of organisation issued by the director after being approved by the Board.

V.

The foundation deed will become effective on 1 January 2007 and will supersede the foundation deed of the Institute of Psychology of the ASCR dated 1 September 1993, as subsequently amended by modifications dated 15 March 1995 and 25 May 1998 and Addendum No. 1 dated 19 April 2004 (the full text having been issued on 20 April 2004).

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