

### **UCP ALUMNI FEES DISCOUNT POLICY**

# Offered to UCP alumni and their next of kin (spouses, children and parents)

In recognition of the important role of the Catholic University of Portugal (UCP) to USJ, USJ is delighted to be able to offer the alumni of UCP and their next of kin (spouses, children and parents) a 25% discount on tuition fees for all degree programmes starting from 2020-2021 academic year. This policy defines the details of this specific benefit.

#### **Definitions:**

UCP alumni are graduates who are granted a Bachelor, Master, Doctoral Degree Programmes by the Catholic University of Portugal (UCP).

Programmes are degrees organized solely by the University of Saint Joseph including its Bachelor, Master, Doctoral Degree Programmes and Associate Diplomas (which can be articulated to a Bachelor Degree by studying 2 more years upon successful completion of the Association Diploma).

#### **Discount fees:**

The alumni discount fees only apply to tuition fees for degree programmes; reduction of tuition fee is not applicable to the application fee, fees for retaking courses or subjects, certificates, etc.

### **Requirements:**

Applicants must be should have registered as members of the Alumni Association of the Catholic University of Portugal in Macau, China, and maintain their membership throughout the period of the discount.

To apply, the alumnus/a and/or his/her next of kin must complete the <u>Alumni Tuition Fee</u> <u>Discount Form</u> (online form) when s/he enrols at USJ. Evidence that shows the alumnus/a is a member of AAUSJ and his/her next of kin to show the legal certificate that proves the relationship to the alumnus/a should be submitted along with the form. A confirmation email will be sent to his/her registered email when the application is approved.

## **Expectation:**

Students of the alumni discount fees are expected to be high performers at USJ.

Students qualify to receive tuition discount rates when they:

- 1. Maintain a cumulative GPA equal to or above 14 at the end of each academic year;
- 2. Meet USJ's attendance requirements (for second and subsequent years).



Students are disqualified from receiving discount rates when:

1. They are found guilty of any disciplinary action;

2. Enrol beyond the normal duration of the course, interrupt/suspend, withdraw from studies or change programme.

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