



**TYPES OF CERTIFICATES OF COMPETENCE LINGUISTICS\***  
**for admission TO studies university of PHD**

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| No. | Type of document                                                                                  | Accepted by the SNSPA Doctoral School secretariat, as part of the application file |
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| 1.  | First Certificate in English (FCE)                                                                | Yes                                                                                |
| 2.  | Certificate in Advanced English (CAE)                                                             | Yes                                                                                |
| 3.  | Certificate of Proficiency in English (CPE)                                                       | Yes                                                                                |
| 4.  | Cambridge English: Vantage (BEC Vantage)                                                          | Yes                                                                                |
| 5.  | Cambridge English: Higher (BEC Higher)                                                            | Yes                                                                                |
| 6.  | International English Language Testing Systems (IELTS): minimum Band 6.0                          | Yes                                                                                |
| 7.  | TOEFL: minimum 87                                                                                 | Yes                                                                                |
| 8.  | English language certificate issued by the Foreign Language Center of the University of Bucharest | Yes                                                                                |
| 9.  | Graduate documents (bachelor's, master's) completed within a program conducted in English         | Yes                                                                                |
| 10. | Highschool diploma issued by high school mentioning that the program was conducted in English     | Yes                                                                                |

**\*Minimum Level B2**