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FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND PSYCHOLOGY
DOCTORAL STUDENT COUNCIL
DÖK

Edina Beáta Makszim - PPK DÖK Presidential Report

2026.02.01-2026.02.28

1. EVENT CALENDAR

Date	Event	People
02.03.2026. 6 p.m	PPK DÖK Assembly	ELTE PPK DÖK assembly representatives
02.10.2026. 4 p.m.	NDI Leadership meeting	NDI leadership
02.11.2026. 5 p.m.	EEB meeting	EEB members
02.13.2026 11 a.m.	EDÖK Board of Presidents - consultation	Board members
02.20.2026 10:30 a.m.	EDÖK Board of Presidents - meeting	Board members, invited guests
02.24.2026. 3 p.m.	PPK Faculty Leadership meeting	ELTE PPK leaders
02.24.2026. 5 p.m.	Consultation	EET – Participation, advocacy, communication working group
02.26.2026. 2 p.m.	NDI DIT Meeting	NDI DIT members

2. ACTIVITIES

On February 3, 2026, I took over the duties of president from Krisztina Tothné Vesztergombi. The president of EDÖK also attended the meeting, and we discussed reaching out to international students and involving them in representative work. We discussed the schedule and organization of office hours for the second semester.

A week later, on February 10, I attended the NDI Leadership Committee meeting, where I had the opportunity to introduce myself to the members of the Leadership Committee and we talked about the experiences of the MAB panels, about which my fellow representatives and the outgoing president informed me in a written report, as I was not yet the president of the Student Union at the time of the panels.

On February 11, 2026, I attended the EEB meeting, where the president informed us of the need to draft a new equal opportunities plan. At the meeting, working groups for the various chapters were mostly formed, and we also set the first deadlines.

At the EDÖK Board of Presidents consultation and meeting, I introduced myself to the members and reported on the latest developments at the faculty. We jointly approved the Board's half-year work plan, decided on the appointment of a presidential representative responsible for international integration, and decided to look for a presidential representative responsible for communication and participation. The Board was very welcoming towards me, everyone is helpful, and communication is very easy.

On February 24, I attended the faculty leadership meeting, where I had the opportunity to introduce myself and talk personally with the Student Union President, who was also very helpful, understanding that taking over the presidential duties during the academic year is no small feat.

Also on February 24, we had an online consultation with the EET working group, where we divided up the tasks related to the development of the chapter on participation, interest representation, and communication.

On February 26, I attended the NDI DIT meeting, where I had the opportunity to introduce myself and get to know the DIT members. We discussed the role of the Doctoral Student Council in reviving the Doctoral Student Mentoring Program, which I will consult with my fellow Doctoral Student Council representatives on in March.

3. Other matters

During February, I endeavored to keep up with my presidential duties, and I was delighted that everyone was very helpful and supportive.

I actively exercised my right to vote in the PPDT and NDI DIT postal votes.

Throughout the month, we held in-person office hours every Tuesday and Wednesday, as well as online office hours on Fridays.

I wrote the Faculty Community Building Report for last year.

We had the opportunity to make suggestions for the Student Needs and Satisfaction Survey, into which we also incorporated our questions regarding satisfaction with the Student Council.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or comments you may have. Thank you for reading my report.

March 3, 2026

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