

PRESIDENTIAL REPORT

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Humanities Doctoral Students' Union

1 APRIL 2026 – 30 APRIL 2026

1. Calendar of Events

Date	Event	Participants	Notes
09.04.2026.	EDÖK Executive Board meeting	EDÖK leadership	online
16.04.2026.	EDÖK General Assembly	members of the General Assembly	-
20.04.2026.	Preparatory meeting	faculty leadership	-
27.04.2026.	Preparatory meeting	faculty leadership	-

2. Activities

I would like to provide a summary of the main activities and developments from April. During this period, there were fewer events and meetings than usual. This was partly due to the Easter break, as well as the fact that in several committees no agenda items arose that would have justified convening a meeting. At the same time, a significant part of the month was dedicated to organisational work, as several important programmes scheduled for early May required preparation.

1. Bölcsész Napok 2026 (Faculty Festival)

One of the key events is the Faculty Festival (Bölcsész Napok), which will take place between 5 and 7 May 2026. As part of this programme, the Doctoral Students' Union will have an outreach stand in the Trefort Garden on 5 May. The aim of this activity is to increase the visibility of the Doctoral Students' Union and to establish direct contact with interested students. During the preparation phase, we coordinated with the Students' Union regarding the allocation of space and the provision of the necessary equipment (such as tables). In addition, I developed the programme for the stand: we will organise a quiz related to doctoral studies at the university and within the Faculty of Humanities. Students who answer the quiz questions correctly will receive small prizes (such as stickers and sweets). Furthermore, there will be an opportunity to take photos, which we plan to share later on social media in order to strengthen our online presence. A detailed evaluation of the programme will be provided in the May report.

2. Trefort Conference

Another important event is the Trefort Student Conference, which will also be organised as part of the Faculty Festival on 6–7 May 2026. The conference primarily provides an opportunity for undergraduate and master's students to present their work, but doctoral students may also participate. Traditionally, doctoral students serve as session chairs. As one of the main organisers of the

conference and as President of the Doctoral Students' Union, my responsibilities included recruiting session chairs and coordinating the organisational process. Together with my fellow representatives, we successfully ensured that all sections are covered, and the conference programme has now been finalised. A more detailed account of the event and its outcomes will be included in the May report.

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