



STUDENT CONFERENCE OF SERBIAN UNIVERSITIES

Support Letter to SHI

To whom it may concern,

The Students Conference of Serbian Universities (SKONUS), the highest representative body of students of Serbian Universities, would like to express its support for Icelandic students in their fight against the new governmental change.

SKONUS expresses its deepest concern about the new governmental proposal. We believe that this particularly affects those students who have children, students with disabilities and students from lower socio-economic background.

We consider that it is very important to encourage young people to continue advancing, and not to set up barriers to them. SKONUS candidly believes that education is a public good and as every public good it should be accessible for almost everyone. Students are the most assailable class of society and they are very sensitive to every change.

We express our concern that this change will result in a reduced number of applicants of higher education and in an increase of students failing to complete their studies.

We would like to appeal to the authorities responsible for education in Iceland to withdraw the new proposal and to find an appropriate solution.

Sincerely,

Danilo Jeremić, President
Danijela Varat, International Officer

Belgrade, 26.07.2013.