

THE WARSAW UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY

Decision No. 73/2026
of the Rector of the Warsaw University of Technology
of 10 April 2026

amending Decision No. 161/2020 of the WUT Rector on the launch of the Open Science programme as part of the implementation of the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project

Pursuant to Article 23 section 1, under Article 389 sections 1 and 2 of the Act of 20 July 2018– Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Laws of 2024 item 1571, as amended) under Agreement No. 04/IDUB/2019/94 of 30 December 2019 concluded between the State Treasury represented by the Minister of Science and Higher Education and the Warsaw University of Technology it is resolved as follows:

§ 1

Regulations of the Open Science programme implemented at the Warsaw University of Technology as part of the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project, constituting an annex to Decision No. 161/2020 of the Rector of the Warsaw University of Technology of 21 July 2020 on the launch of the Open Science programme as part of the implementation of the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project at the Warsaw University of Technology, shall read as specified in the annex to this Decision.

§ 2

The Decision enters into force upon signing.

RECTOR

Professor Krzysztof Zaremba

Regulations of the Open Science programme implemented at the Warsaw University of Technology as part of the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project

1. As part of the Open Science programme within the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project (IDUB), financial support is provided for publications of research papers under the Open Access formula.
2. The programme is targeted at Young Researchers at the Warsaw University of Technology, whose scientific output is included in the evaluation of scientific activity at the Warsaw University of Technology.
3. A Young Researcher, hereinafter referred to as a “WUT Young Researcher” as defined in these Regulations, is a member of staff at the Warsaw University of Technology who holds a doctoral degree awarded no more than 12 years prior to the date of submission of the application for funding. WUT Young Researcher’s status is verified based on the data included in the People of Science database (OPI PIB).
4. The call for applications remains open on a rolling basis until all funds allocated to the 2026 programme have been exhausted. The Rector establishes the deadlines and rules of the programme in the call for applications.
5. Financial aid is provided for publications in which the Young Researcher of the Warsaw University of Technology is the corresponding author or the first author:
 - 1) in a journal from the first decile according to the ranking set for the current index of the CiteScore (Scopus), or
 - 2) in a full-text, post-conference publication with assigned 200 points on the list of the Ministry of Science and Higher Education.
6. The financial support of up to PLN 25 000 net includes:
 - 1) 100% of publication costs if a WUT Young Researcher is the sole corresponding author.
 - 2) 100% of publication costs if all corresponding authors are WUT Young Researchers and are affiliated with WUT.
 - 3) 75% of publication costs if a WUT Young Researcher is the first author but is not a corresponding author.
 - 4) 50% of publication costs if a WUT Young Researcher is one of the corresponding authors, but the remaining corresponding authors include persons who are not WUT Young Researchers or are not affiliated with WUT.
7. Each WUT Young Researcher can obtain funding no more than twice in a calendar year.
8. To be eligible for funding, the paper must be accepted for publication, the author must be affiliated with the Warsaw University of Technology, and the application must be submitted via the online form available on the website www.badawcza.pw.edu.pl, which constitutes an annex to these Regulations.
9. Applications are reviewed by the Committee for Publications appointed by the Rector as part of the implementation of the “Excellence Initiative – Research University” project at the Warsaw University of Technology, hereinafter referred to as “Committee for Publications” within 10 working days. Appeals against the Committee’s decision may be filed within five working days of receiving the decision, in writing, to the Vice Rector for Research, whose decision is binding.
10. The beneficiaries of the programme are obliged to:

- 1) Grant authorisation for WUT to include publications in the evaluation, in compliance with Article 265 section 13 of the Act.
 - 2) Deposit the published paper in the university repository – Base of Knowledge.
11. The Vice Rector for Research is responsible for content-related supervision of the programme implementation.

Wniosek o wsparcie finansowe – Formularz zgłoszenia publikacji do programu Open Science/Application for financial aid – application form for submitting a publication to the Open Science programme

1. Wnioskodawca – Młody Uczony PW (Applicant – Young Researcher Warsaw University of Technology):

Imię i nazwisko (First name and surname):

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nr SAP (SAP number):

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Jednostka organizacyjna (Organisational unit):

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2. Rola wnioskodawcy w publikacji (The applicant's role in the publication):

- pierwszy autor (first author)
- jedyny autor korespondencyjny (sole corresponding author)
- jeden z autorów korespondencyjnych, z których wszyscy spełniają warunek Młodego Uczonego z afiliacją PW (one of the corresponding authors, all of whom meet the Young Researcher criteria and the WUT affiliation)
- jeden z autorów korespondencyjnych, z których pozostali nie spełniają warunku Młodego Uczonego lub nie posiadają afiliacji PW (one of the corresponding authors, the others of whom do not meet the Young Researcher criteria or do not have the WUT affiliation)

3. Autorzy korespondencyjni, z wyłączeniem wnioskodawcy (Corresponding authors, excluding the applicant)

Imiona i nazwiska, ORCID, nr SAP PW (Names and surnames, ORCID, SAP PW number):

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4. Tytuł artykułu (Paper title):

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5. Tytuł, ISSN/ISBN* czasopisma/materiałów konferencyjnych* (Title, ISSN of the journal/conference materials):

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6. Przewidywany termin publikacji (Anticipated date of publication):

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7. Koszty publikacji i wysokość wnioskowanego wsparcia finansowego (Publication costs and amount of the requested financial aid)¹:

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8. Załącznik – decyzja edytora o przyjęciu artykułu do druku np. e-mail (Annex – Editor’s decision on the acceptance of the paper for printing (e-mail):

**Decyzja Komisji ds. Publikacji
(Decision of the Committee for Publications):**

Komisja przyznaje/nie przyznaje wsparcie/a finansowe/go* w kwocie

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Committee for Publications hereby provides/does not provide financial aid amounting to*

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(data i podpis przewodniczącego komisji)

(date and Committee Chairperson’s signature)

¹ W przypadku wsparcia częściowego podać źródła finansowania pozostałych kosztów/In the case of partial funding, please provide the source of other costs.

* zaznaczyć właściwe (tick the appropriate one).”.