Announcement No .. of the Dean of the Faculty of Physics, Astronomy and Applied Computer Science of the Jagiellonian University of April 21, 2021



Re: financial support in the internal competition procedure of scientific research projects or development works and related tasks proposed by <u>doctoral students and young scientists up to 35 years of age</u> at the Faculty of Physics, Astronomy and Applied Computer Science.

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This is to inform you that, as in previous years, the Faculty subsidy for year 2021 provides special funds allowing interested applicants to submit a request for financial support of their scientific activities under the program MNS2021 grants.

MNS2021 funds will be distributed in the form of a competition on the basis of applications submitted by participants in doctoral studies and young post-doc researchers, undertaking specific research projects in 2021.

Support will be given to highly rated research projects that make significant contributions to the development and implementation of research topics carried on by the Faculty.

Application for funding

Each **application** submitted in the competition should contain:

- 1. Information about the **Applicant**, incl. name, surname, year of birth, academic title / degree, telephone number and e-mail address.
- 2. **Place of project implementation** (name of the Institute/Department where the applicant is affiliated).
- 3. Title of the research project.
- 4. **Meritorious description** of the research project (up to 2 pages of text) including:
 - a) determination of the **purpose** of the research and the **scope** of the research planned to be performed personally by the applicant (important if the research concerns group work),
 - b) plan and sequence of research tasks,
 - c) precise justification of the necessity to undertake the proposed tests, specification of the **expected results**,
 - d) if the Applicant has received a grant from the Ministry of Science and Higher Education in previous years, information: when and with what results those grants were completed (publications with proper acknowledgements for the funding agency; conferences, etc.) - max 0.5 pages of text.
 - e) linking the project to the topic of the doctoral dissertation (applies to doctoral students).
- Schedule and detailed cost estimate of the project (justifying the advisability
 of implementing individual items) to be implemented in the period June 1,
 2021 December 31, 2021, without the possibility of extending the spending
 period.
- 6. Specification of the **requested funding amount**.

In the case of an application including a **foreign business trip**, the applicant should specify the place and justified purpose of the travel, along with the method of

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possible presentation / publication of the results achieved. It is recommended that short trips abroad should be justified either by a prior invitation to finish a paper, deliver a talk / poster presentation during a conference, or by the uniqueness of the facility/equipment necessary in the study and supported by an institution in the destination country.

Note: The research proposal submitted under this scheme may include the purchase of the Notebook / PC / software or construction of research equipment. Open Access publishing costs cannot be supported.

The **valid application form** (handed in Appendix 1 to this announcement) can be downloaded from the call website at www.fais.uj.edu.pl.

Applications in the form of a single file in .pdf or .doc format containing the form (MNS2021 APPLICATION), proposal description (point 4), as well as the schedule and estimated expenditures (point 5) will be accepted **only in the electronic form until May 24, 2021, 12.00** at fais.dsc@uj.edu.pl. Only applications from e-mail addresses with the extension *@uj.edu.pl will be registered.

Applications will be evaluated by the appointed Faculty Committee which will prepare a list of projects recommended for funding and present them to the Dean.

The reconsideration procedure is not forseen.

Final report

After completing the project, the applicant is required to submit the **final report** (see Annex 2 to this notice) **in the form of a file** sent to <u>fais.dsc@uj.edu.pl</u> by **February 1**, **2022**.

The following rules apply:

- 1. The final reports will be analysed in terms of the **results achieved** (implementation of project tasks, publications, conference reports).
- 2. Publications resulting from the project implementation should include standard **acknowledgements** along with the affiliation of the Jagiellonian University in Kraków.
- Incurred costs should be scrupulously documented, consistent with the cost estimate presented in the application and with the funding agreement received. The Department Leaders shall supervise the correctness of the subsidy spending.
- 4. Obtained results and accuracy of their report in the final report will have an impact on approving the grant and grantee's opportunities for future endowment of that type.

Attachments (can be found on the Faculty of Physics, Astronomy and Applied Computer Science website fais.uj.edu.pl):

- 1. **Application** form for financial support from the MNS2021 subsidy.
- 2. MNS2021 final report form.

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