**Fu Jen Catholic University**

**Regulations Governing the Grant for Publications of Instructors and Research Fellows in Indexed Academic Journals**

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Article 1

The Regulations were formulated in order to reward instructors and research fellows for actively publishing articles in indexed academic journals.

Article 2

An applicant must satisfy the requirements below:

* + - 1. An applicant must be a full-time instructor (this includes contracted instructors and jointly appointed clinical instructors) or full-time research fellow (hereinafter “full-time faculty member”) at the University; a part-time instructor currently teaching at the University or a full-time contracted research fellow (hereinafter “part-time faculty member”). The published article must show the applicant’s institutional affiliation with Fu Jen Catholic University.
      2. Deadlines: an application must be made within six months of the official publication date (as shown on the journal).
      3. In order to be eligible to apply, an applicant must visit the website of the Center for Taiwan Academic Research Ethics Education, enroll in and complete the Academic Ethics Course, and then present proof that they completed the course and passed the examination, as stipulated in Article 2 of Fu Jen Catholic University Regulations Governing the Management of Academic Ethics.

Article 3: Grant Categories

Each article published in *Nature* or *Science* for which the applicant was the primary or corresponding author will receive NT$200,000.

Category One: Publication in a journal listed on SCI, SSCI, or A&HCI:

1. An article published in a journal indexed in the top 10% of the applicant’s academic field and for which the applicant was the primary author (excluding equal contribution) or sole corresponding author: a full-time faculty member will receive NT$70,000 per article; a part-time faculty member will receive NT$10,000 per article.
2. An article published in a journal ranked in the top 10 to 25% of the applicant’s academic field and for which the applicant was the primary author (excluding equal contribution) or sole corresponding author: a full-time faculty member will receive NT$50,000 per article; a part-time faculty member will receive NT$10,000 per article.
3. An article published in a journal ranked in the top 25 to 50% of the applicant’s field and for which the applicant was the primary author (excluding equal contribution) or sole corresponding author: a full-time faculty member will receive NT$30,000 per article; a part-time faculty member will receive NT$7,000 per article.
4. An article published in a journal ranked outside the top 50% of the applicant’s field and for which the applicant was the primary author (excluding equal contribution) or sole corresponding author: a full-time faculty member will receive NT$20,000 per article; a part-time faculty member will receive NT$5,000 per article.
5. A full-time faculty member who satisfies the requirements listed in (1) to (3) above and wrote the paper with a collaborator overseas (excluding from Hong Kong, Macau, or mainland China) may receive an additional 10%.
6. If the applicant is not the sole corresponding or they made an equal contribution with the primary author, and this is clearly specified in the author information section, the applicant will receive one-half of the values listed above. This does not apply to articles published in a journal ranking in the top 10% of the academic field.
7. If the applicant is not the corresponding or primary author, a full-time faculty member will receive NT$10,000; a part-time faculty member will receive NT$3,000.

Category Two: Publication in a core journal listed on the Taiwan Humanities Citation Index (THCI) or Taiwan Social Sciences Citation Index (TSSCI) (limited to full-time faculty members):

1. An article for which the applicant was the corresponding or primary author: the applicant will receive NT$15,000 per article published in a level-one journal; an applicant will receive NT$10,000 per article published in a level-two journal.
2. An article published in a level-one or level-two journal for which the applicant was neither the primary nor corresponding author: NT$5,000 per article.

Article 4

If the paper was co-authored with another instructor or research fellow at the University, only one author may apply for the Grant.

Article 5

An author who satisfies the application requirements must submit the name of the journal as well as the number/issue, page numbers of their article, and related proof as part of the application. Once approved by the Research Grants Review Committee, the Grant may be approved within the existing budget based on the application date and date of publication.

Article 6

If it is discovered that the article involves a violation of academic ethics, the University may revoke the Grant. The applicant must return the value of the Grant in full, and may not apply for any research grants for a two-year period, effective the date they were notified.

Article 7

The Regulations were passed by the Executive Council and will be promulgated and implemented after the approval of the President. The same procedure will be followed for each amendment.