

Announcement of Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University
Subject: Academic Journal Publication Support Fund for Graduate Students
Enrolled in Graduate Programs of the Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies,
Mahidol University, B.E. 2566

Whereas it is as deemed appropriate to modify the criteria and the rate of the payment for Academic Journal Publication Support Fund for Graduate Students Enrolled in Graduate Programs of the Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University, in an appropriate and practical manner, as well as to support and enhance the quality of research conducted and published by graduate students,

By virtue of Article 22.4 of Mahidol University Announcement on the criteria for the receipt of payments, financial reserves, disbursements, acts of paying as well as payment monitoring and controls, B.E. 2551, the dean, with approval from the standing committee of the Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies in the meeting No. 1/2566, on January 18, 2023, has deemed it appropriate to terminate the Announcement of Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University, on Academic Journal Publication Support Fund for Graduate Students Enrolled in Graduate Programs of the Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University, B.E. 2564, announced on October 20, 2021, and has determined the revised criteria and the payment rates for academic journal publication support fund for graduate students. The details are as follows:

1. Objective

To encourage and support graduate students in publishing parts of their research thesis in national and international academic journals.

2. Qualifications of Applicants

Currently enrolled in a graduate program of Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University, with an approved thesis topic

3. Definition of terms used in the consideration of the support fund application

3.1 International academic journal refers to an academic journal indexed in the Scopus database, classified into Q1, Q2, Q3, and Q4 ranking groups based on the Quartile score in each subject according to the Scimago Journal & Country Rank database. The Quartile value is determined from either the date the article was accepted for publication or the date the article was published.

3.2 National academic journal refers to an academic journal indexed in nationally recognized standard databases as stated in the announcement issued by the civil service commission in higher education institutions, B.E. 2562, for instance, the ones appear in the 1st, or the 2nd group in Thai Journal Citation Index Centre (TCI)

4. Documents required for the support fund application

- 4.1 Order for the approval of the thesis topic and the appointment of the Thesis Advisory Committee
 - 4.2 Digital file of thesis or thesis proposal
 - 4.3 An acceptance letter for publication from a national or international academic journal
 - 4.4 A copy of the published article or the manuscript of the article that has undergone peer-review and been accepted for publication by a journal. However, the applicant must also submit the article file later, once it is published.

5. Fund details

Students who are eligible for the fund can submit the documents listed in the item 4, and the values of the funds are as follows:

Types of Publication	Reward (Baht)
Type 1: A research article published in international	10,000
academic journals indexed in the Scopus database	
in Q1 – Q2	
Type 2: A research article published in international	7,500
academic journals indexed in the Scopus database	
in Q3 – Q4	
Type 3: A research article published in national	2,500
academic journals indexed in the Thai Journal	
Citation Index Center (TCI) database according to	
item 3.2	

6. Conditions

6.1 The support fund application must be submitted after the issuance of the order for the approval of the thesis topic, but no later than 6 months after the thesis defense, following the order for the appointment of the Thesis Defense Committee.

- 6.2 The published article submitted for the support fund must be part of the thesis with the name "Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University" shown as the first affiliation in the article.
- 6.3 In the case the applicant is a student in Doctor of Philosophy Program in Environment and Resource Studies (International Program), the submitted article must be published in an international academic journal only, with the student as the first author.
- 6.4 In the case the applicant is a student in Master of Science Program in Environmental Management and Technology (International Program) (Special or Regular Program), the article must be published in English, in the case that the work was published in a national academic journal.
- 6.5 The published work submitted for the support fund must have been accepted for publication in an academic journal after this announcement becomes effective.
- 7. Once the article is approved for the support fund, it <u>could not</u> be resubmitted for remuneration following the announcement of Faculty of Environment and Resource Studies, Mahidol University, on the criteria for the payment of the remuneration for an academic work published in an academic journal, or an academic work that obtains a patent or petty patent, from the faculty revenue budget, or any other announcements relating to the payments in the same manner, regardless of whether the support fund recipient, or other persons make the resubmission.
- 8. Ongoing support fund payments for students that are not completed as of the effective date of this announcement must continue to be processed following the previous announcement until completion.
- 9. The disbursement of this fund is deducted from the faculty revenue budget (the revenue earned after the investment of the outstanding balances of the programs, allocated by the faculty) that is in accordance with Mahidol University Announcement on the criteria for the receipt of payments, financial reserves, disbursements, acts of paying as well as payment monitoring and controls, B.E. 2551 as well as its rectifications and revisions.
- 10. In case of any issues arising from the implementation of this announcement, they should be reported to the dean on a case-by-case basis. The decision made by the dean after the consideration shall be final.

This announcement shall enter into force as from the date of its announcement.

Announced on January 25, 2023

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