



**Agreement No. ....**  
**regarding electronic editions of journals published on the AMU Open Access**  
**Journals – PRESSto platform**

hereinafter referred to as the “Agreement”, concluded in Poznań on .....,  
entered into by and between:

Uniwersytet im. Adama Mickiewicza w Poznaniu, ul. Wieniawskiego 1, 61-712 Poznań,  
represented by Rector/Pro-rector – Prof. dr hab. ....

hereinafter referred to as the “**University**”,

and .....,  
street ....., ..... Poznań,

represented by .....

further on in the Agreement referred to as the “**Co-Publisher**”,

concluded in presence of the Editor-in-Chief of the journal entitled  
”.....” – .....

hereinafter jointly referred to as the “**Parties**”, and separately “**Party**”.

**1**

1. The parties declare that are the co-publishers of the journal entitled  
“.....”, hereinafter referred to as the Journal, whose the Editor-in-  
Chief is .....
2. The University declares that it is the owner of the AMU Open Access Journals Platform –  
PRESSto, hereinafter referred to as the PRESSto Platform that distributes electronic  
versions of research and scholarly journals.

**2**

The Co-Publisher declares that under this Agreement it expresses its consent and  
authorises the University to distribute the electronic version of the Journal on the PRESSto  
Platform in this respect.

**3**

The parties agree that the names of each of the co-publishers of the Journal will have to  
appear on the PRESSto Platform as follows:

”Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań – Faculty ..... of the Adam  
Mickiewicz University in Poznań (*appropriate name of the publisher representing the  
University*),

in co-edition with ..... (*name of the Co-Publisher*)”.

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1. As part of the implementation of this Agreement, the University undertakes to:
    - a) set up and administer an individual web-page for the Journal on the PRESSto Platform;
    - b) verify and validate metadata in published issues of the Journal in line with international standards;
    - c) store and ensure the safekeeping of full-text contents of the Journal on the PRESSto Platform;
    - d) export metadata to the databases indicated in legal recommendations and regulations and, should the technical capabilities become feasible, to other indexing databases as far as possible ;
    - e) assign and activate appropriate DOI identifiers;
    - f) counsel and provide support in aligning the Journal with the international standards for electronic scientific publications and to the requirements of the leading indexing databases.
  2. Under this Agreement the Co-Publisher undertakes:
    - a) to provide the University with the content of the Journal at its disposal free of charge, in electronic form, saved in separated files in the indicated format for each item (article);
    - b) to prepare and deliver metadata in an editable file, in relation to the content of the Journal at its disposal, containing the following data:
      - article's title,
      - author of the article,
      - affiliation,
      - language of the article,
      - abstracts,
      - key words,
      - the number and arrangement of pages;
    - c) with regard to individual applicable items (articles) at its disposal, to which material copyrights belong to the authors, to act as an intermediary in the conclusion of copyright agreements and transfer to the University of copyright agreements for granting a free license to works (articles) with the right and obligation to grant further sub-licenses in accordance with the model of a specified, selected Creative Commons license or another language version of this license or any later version of this license, published by the Creative Commons organisation in accordance with the template available on the PRESSto platform; in the case of submitting an item (article) by the PRESSto Platform, the author signs the copyright agreement via electronic means, accepting its provision by selecting the appropriate options;
    - d) with regard to individual items (articles) at its disposal, to which the material copyrights belong to the Co-Publisher, to conclude agreements with the University for granting of free licenses to works – items (articles) with the right and obligation to grant further sub-licenses in accordance with a model of a specific, selected, CC license or
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another language version of this license or any later version of this license published by the Creative Commons organisation, in accordance with the agreement template available on the PRESSto Platform and to provide the University with a copy of the Agreement on the transfer of the material copyrights to this item (article) concluded by the Co-Publisher with the author of a given item (article), including the fields of use necessary for the item (article) to be placed on the PRESSto Platform in accordance with generally applicable legal principles in which the agreement was constructed and concluded with the author of a given item (article); in the case of submitting an item (article) by the PRESSto Platform, the author signs the copyright agreement via electronic means, accepting its provisions by selecting the appropriate options.

3. All costs related to the implementation of this Agreement shall be covered by the Parties on their own.

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The parties agree that with regard to the Journal, they undertake to apply the provisions of Ordinance No. 238/2021/2022 of the Rector of the Adam Mickiewicz University in Poznań of June 24, 2022 on the scientific journals of Adam Mickiewicz University of the AMU – the PRESSto Platform, as well as the provisions of the rules of operation of the AMU Open Access Journals Platform – the PRESSto platform.

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1. In matters not covered by this Agreement and the regulations indicated in Section 5 of this Agreement, generally applicable provisions of Polish law shall apply.
2. Any changes, additions or amendments to this Agreement, as well as its dissolution, termination or withdrawal from it shall be made in writing under pain of nullity.
3. Any dispute arising in connection with the implementation of this Agreement shall be submitted by the Parties to the substantively competent common court of law in Poznań.
4. This Agreement has been drawn up in two identical copies, one for each party.

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date and signature (University)

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date and signature (Co-Publisher)

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