Regulations for the Evaluation of Applications and Awarding of Funding in the "Grants for Grants" Call of the Excellence Initiative at the Faculty of Philosophy of the Jagiellonian University

1. The call fund covers the costs of preparing an application for research funding from external sources within the framework of international grants.
2. The call applies to grant applications intended to be carried out at the Faculty of Philosophy of the Jagiellonian University (UJ) and submitted by individuals employed at the Faculty in academic teacher positions.
3. The funding may cover activities aimed at strengthening the grant application, including:
   3.1 Visits and trips for consultations with members of research teams,
   3.2 Research trips,
   3.3 Access to databases,
   3.4 Remuneration for the formal preparation of the application,
   3.5 Graphic and editorial design of the application,
   3.6 Substantive consultations and training related to the grant topic (e.g., statistical training, expert consultations),
   3.7 Substantive support, consultations, and training on acquiring funding within a specific grant,
   3.8 Participation in summer schools, workshops, conferences related to the grant topic (e.g., for team building or skills development),
   3.9 Purchase of resources necessary for preparing the application (e.g., books, databases),
   3.10 Research needed to strengthen the grant application – including remuneration for study participants, fees for research panel service providers, remuneration for lab staff/interviewers, procedure development costs, etc.
4. The result of the funded activity should be the submission of a grant application as an independent applicant, consortium leader, or work package (WP) leader in competitions for external funding (e.g., Horizon Europe, ERC, ERA-NET programs, and other international competitions).
5. Applications for funding will be subject to individual quality evaluation by the Faculty IDUJ Committee, taking into account the following criteria:
   5.1 Justification of the planned costs in terms of increasing the likelihood of obtaining a grant,
   5.2 Significance of the competition (priority for research and applied projects, role in the project – leader vs. partner, amount of funding for UJ),
   5.3 Progress of work (applications should be submitted when project work is already underway),
   5.4 Membership in an international consortium (research network) interested in submitting an application,
   5.5 Role in the project (leader/partner),
   5.6 Interdisciplinarity of the Polish team (for team-based grants),
   5.7 Involvement of early-career researchers.
6. The competition will not fund additional remuneration for individuals employed in academic teacher positions at UJ; however, it is possible to plan remuneration for individuals employed at UJ in other roles.
7. The funding amount for a single application may not exceed 50,000 PLN.
8. The final report should be submitted immediately after the grant application is submitted, but no later than 12 months from the date of the funding decision. In justified cases, this deadline may be extended at the request of the applicant.
9. Within 14 days of receiving the decision of the Faculty Excellence Initiative (IDUJ) Committee, the applicant has the right to appeal to the Appeals Committee, citing a violation of these Regulations. The Appeals Committee will issue a decision within 21 days of receiving the appeal, and this decision is final.