Appendix no. 9 to the Ordinance no. 7 of the PK Rector from 27 January 2022

**Principles of granting the Cracow University of Technology Rector Award for the youngest professor**

1. The objective of establishing this award is to activate research and publication activity of employees of the Cracow University of Technology. The award is granted by way of a contest.
2. Contest participants may include employees for whom PK is the sole workplace.
3. The award value (no less than PLN 10,000) is established on an annual basis by the Rector, after consultations with relevant deans. The established amount of the award will be disclosed within the contest announcement.
4. The award will be passed on by way of a decision on granting award from the special purpose funds of the Prorector for Science designated for the development of personnel, to the account of a given faculty. The award amount ought to be used for the purpose of intensifying works of the award winner (conferences, journal, foreign travels, publications, materials for scientific research etc.). The amount will be settled in accordance with the principles of settling grants.
5. Submission may concern an employee who obtained a degree of professor in the year preceding the year of contest announcement.
6. The contest winner will be the youngest employee with obtained professor’s nomination in the period covered by the contest who in the year of obtaining the title did not exceed the age of 50.
7. Each submission should contain the date of birth of the candidate as well as the appointment of title of professor granted by the President of the Republic of Poland.
8. Submissions to the award are conducted by the chairman of the scientific council at the Faculty or the chairman of the scientific council of a given discipline. It is also permitted to submit a candidate to the award directly.
9. The contest is announced by the Prorector for Science until 31 January of a given calendar year.
10. Submissions ought to be made to the Department of Scientific Research on or before 31 March of the year in which the contest was announced.
11. Settlement of the contest will occur on or before 30 April of the year of the contest announcement.
12. Granting of the award will be organized during an official meeting of the Senate at the occasion of the University Festival.
13. More information about the contest may be obtained at the PK Department of Scientific Research.