



ADAM MICKIEWICZ UNIVERSITY, POZNAN

ANNOUNCES

A COMPETITION

PhD student - scholarship holder

at the Faculty of Chemistry

in the project “Design, characterization, and the performance mechanism description of heterostructured semiconductor materials in photocatalytic systems and dye-sensitized photovoltaic cells”

number 2024/53/B/ST5/01357

Requirements:

The aim of the competition is to select a PhD student who will conduct scientific research within the framework of the OPUS 27 project entitled “Design, characterization and elucidation of the mechanisms of action of heterostructured semiconductor materials in photocatalytic systems and dye-sensitized photovoltaic cells” (NCN OPUS27 No. 2024/53/B/ST5/01357).

Detailed requirements:

completed second-cycle (Master’s) studies in Chemistry (preferred) or Physics, or a related field

English language skills at least at a communicative level

practical experience in at least one of the following areas of chemistry:

inorganic synthesis (preferably preparation of mesoporous materials), physicochemical characterization of materials, materials chemistry, electrochemistry, photochemistry, photovoltaics

(DSSC), catalysis (preferably heterogeneous), organic synthesis, ability to work with scientific literature and to search for scientific information, resourcefulness and independence in laboratory work

Additional advantages will include:

- internships completed at national and/or international research institutions
- authorship and/or co-authorship of scientific publications
- participation in national and/or international scientific conferences
- experience in writing scientific publications in English
- participation in and awards from scientific competitions.

Description of tasks:

- Preparation of working electrodes for DSSC cells
- Modification of the surface of semiconductor electrodes
- Synthesis and characterization of dye-sensitized hybrid materials
- Assembly and testing of photovoltaic devices

Type of competition: OPUS 27

Application deadline: 22 March 2026

Form of application submission: e-mail (maciej.zalas@amu.edu.pl)

E-mail subject line: PhD student OPUS 27

Scholarship amount: PLN 3000,00 / month

Employment conditions:

A necessary condition for applying for the scientific scholarship is being a PhD student in the Doctoral School of Exact Sciences at Adam Mickiewicz University (AMU).

The selected candidate will receive a scientific scholarship of PLN 3000 net, in addition to other scholarships received from sources other than NCN projects.

The scientific scholarship will be awarded for a maximum period of 34 months.

Additional information

The scientific scholarship will be granted to a candidate for work within the project "Design, characterization and elucidation of the mechanisms of action of heterostructured semiconductor materials in photocatalytic systems and dye-sensitized photovoltaic cells" (NCN OPUS27 No. 2024/53/B/ST5/01357), in the part concerning research on DSSC-type photovoltaic cells, supervised by dr hab. Maciej Zalas, AMU prof.

The recruitment process and candidate evaluation will be conducted in accordance with the Regulations for awarding scholarships in the NCN-funded research projects, available on the NCN website (https://ncn.gov.pl/sites/default/files/pliki/uchwaly-rady/2024/uchwala25_2024-zal1_ang.pdf).

The following required documents: application for the competition, CV, document confirming the status of a full-time PhD student at the Doctoral School of Exact Sciences, AMU, and consent for the

processing of personal data, should be submitted exclusively in electronic form to the project leader's e-mail address (maciej.zalas@amu.edu.pl) no later than September 20, 2026.

RODO Information Clause:

Pursuant to Article 13 of the General Data Protection Regulation of 27 April 2016. (Official Journal of the EU L 119 of 04.05.2016) we inform that:

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2. The personal data controller has appointed a Data Protection Officer overseeing the correctness of the processing of personal data, who can be contacted via e-mail: iod@amu.edu.pl.
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Date and signature

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Recruitment: Positions and Competitions for Academic Teachers: Information on the internal reporting procedure referred to in the Act of 14 June 2024 on the Protection of Whistleblowers (Journal of Laws, item 928), announced by Regulation No. 5/2023/2024 of the Rector of Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań of 17 September 2024 concerning the introduction of the Internal Reporting Regulations regarding the breach of law and follow-up actions at Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań. Below are links to the regulation together with its annexes:

https://amu.edu.pl/__data/assets/pdf_file/0034/605968/ZR-5-2023-2024.pdf

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