



LITHUANIAN SPORTS UNIVERSITY PROMOTION PROCEDURE FOR HIGH-LEVEL SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENTS

I. General regulations

1. Lithuanian Sports University's promotion procedure for high-level scientific achievements (hereinafter referred to as the procedure) regulates the promotion of academic staff for scientific publications.
2. The procedure applies to academic staff members who work at LSU on 0.5 posts or higher and exceed the tuition fee points required for part-time posts.
3. The Commission is the evaluation committee of the Lithuanian Sports University Promotion for High-Level Scientific Achievements, which decides on the assignment of scientific publications and the awarding of a prize to a scientist.

II. Promotion procedure

4. The academic staff with the highest scores for scientific publications will be rewarded (scores are calculated and ranked according to the criteria set out in point 5):
 - no more than three researchers from the LSU Institute of Sport Science and Innovation;
 - no more than three lecturers in the social sciences;
 - no more than three lecturers in the life, medical and health sciences.
5. Rankings are based on the following criteria:
 - The scores calculated by the Department of Research and Doctoral Studies for scientific publications, taking into account the staff member's primary position (lecturer or researcher);
 - points are only given for scientific publications that are based on research in the University's strategic research program and are relevant to the study programs (the relevance is assessed by the committee);
 - the publication has been included in the LMT Research Assessment System "Vieversys";

- according to the researcher's leadership, under the author's position in the bibliographic list (first author in the social sciences; first or last author in the life sciences, medicine, and public health).
6. From 2022 onwards, €20,000 will be allocated to the promotion each year. In 2021, the size of the promotion fund will be €8,000. Bonuses for the previous year's results will be paid by December of the current year.
 7. The amount of the bonus to be awarded to a staff member is determined by the Commission. The members of the Commission are: the Vice-Rector of Science (Chairman of the Commission), the Vice-Rector of Studies, the Director of the Department of Science and Doctoral Studies, and the heads of the LSU working group of evaluation units.
 8. If LSU has compensated the researcher for the publication and or editing fee, this amount is deducted from the prize (the compensated costs are distributed equally among all LSU authors).
 9. The whole process is coordinated by the Vice-Rector of Science.

V. Concluding provisions

10. The Regulations take effect upon their publication following the procedures laid down by the University.
11. These regulations may be modified, supplemented, or deleted by the decision of the Senate.

Senate chairman

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