To All Faculty Members

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Request to Enter APC Payments into the Financial Accounting System

In order to review future electronic journal contracts and open access promotion strategies, Nagoya University is conducting an APC payment survey using the Financial Accounting System.

We kindly ask for your cooperation in entering APC-related expenses into the Financial Accounting System according to the following details.

*APC (Article Processing Charge): A fee paid by the author to the publisher to make an article open access on the publisher website, etc.

Details

1. Survey Subjects

- (a) If you pay an APC or an article publication fee that includes an APC to an open access journal (a journal that is freely available via a publisher or academic society's website)
- (b) If you select an open access option for a subscription-based electronic journal and pay an APC or an article publication fee that includes an APC
- (c) Any other cases where you pay expenses to make an article open access

2. Entry Method

- (1) Select the Product Name Code: APC0001 (APC 論文掲載料).
- (2) The Product Name section will automatically be filled with "APC 論文掲載料". However, <u>you</u> <u>must also add the journal name by hand</u>.

(This is necessary to identify the journal.)

[Example Entry] APC 論文掲載料: Nature Communications

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<References>

- Response to Issues on Scholarly Communication in Japan (summary of deliberations) https://www.mext.go.jp/b_menu/shingi/gijyutu/gijyutu29/001/mext_00650.html
- (2) Basic Policy on Achieving Immediate Open Access of Academic Publications (Integrated Innovation Strategy Promotion Council Decision)

https://www8.cao.go.jp/cstp/oa_240216.pdf (in Japanese)

Specific Measures for the Implementation of the "Basic Policy on Achieving Immediate Open Access of Academic Publications (Integrated Innovation Strategy Promotion Council Decision of February 16, 2024)

https://www8.cao.go.jp/cstp/openscience/r6_0221/hosaku.pdf (in Japanese)

(3) Nagoya University Open Access Policy

https://www.nul.nagoya-u.ac.jp/oap/index_e.html

Also provides information on APC discounts, etc.

Please use your own judgment to assess the quality of journals before submitting.

(4) Reclaiming Scholarly Journals for Academia
<u>https://www.nii.ac.jp/today/82/4.html</u> (in Japanese)

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