

S E C O N D C I R C U L A R



6th Jagiellonian Symposium on Advances in Particle Physics and Medicine

Collegium Novodvorscianum, Kraków July 5-10 2026

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Dear Colleagues,

Thank you for your interest and enthusiasm following the first announcement of the **6th Jagiellonian Symposium on Advances in Particle Physics and Medicine (JS2026)**. The symposium will take place from **5 to 10 July 2026** at the Collegium Novodvorscianum, Jagiellonian University in Kraków, Poland. As the symposium dates are approaching, we would like to share the latest updates on the confirmed keynote and invited speakers, opening and public lectures and events highlights.

The scientific scope remains as outlined in the First Circular, focusing on advances at the interface of particle physics and medicine, with particular emphasis on technologies close to clinical application. The symposium brings together speakers from over 15 countries across Europe, North America, and Asia.

The abstract submission portal is now open!

Submit your abstract at: indico.koza.if.uj.edu.pl/event/21/abstracts/

Abstract Submission Deadline: 15 April 2026

Early Bird Registration Deadline: 10 May 2026

Key Dates

Event	Date
Abstract Submission Deadline	15 April, 2026
Decision on Abstract Acceptance	01 May, 2026
Early Registration Deadline	10 May, 2026
Payment Deadline	21 June, 2026
Conference Dates	05 – 10 July, 2026
Satellite Workshops	See Conference Webpage

Early rate applies to registrations completed by 10 May 2026. Payment deadline: 21 June 2026.

Opening Talk



Prof. Habib Zaidi

University of Geneva, Switzerland

The symposium will open with the lecture: *“Advanced Computational Models for Theranostic Digital Twins”*. Prof. Zaidi is a leading expert in PET instrumentation, medical imaging, and computational modelling.

Events and Highlights

Public Lecture



Prof. Simon R. Cherry

UC Davis, USA

JS2026 will feature a public lecture entitled *“Seeing is Believing: Total-Body Metabolic and Molecular Imaging”*. The lecture will explore the development of total-body PET technology and its transformative impact on whole-body metabolic and molecular imaging.

Gala Dinner

The conference gala dinner will take place at [Dwór w Modlnicy UJ](#), a historic manor house located just 11 km from the center of Kraków.

Music Concert

As part of the symposium’s cultural programme, participants are warmly invited to a **Music Concert** on **7 July 2026** at the historic [St. Anne’s Collegiate Church](#) (ul. Św. Anny 11, 31-008, Kraków). The program features early music performed by **Tomasz Potaczek** (flute), **Anna Śliwa** and **Elżbieta Górka** (violin), **Konrad Górka** (cello), and **Filip Presseisen** (organ).

Satellite Workshops

JS2026 will be accompanied by two satellite workshops, each with its own dedicated programme. Participation in these workshops is included for attendees registered for the full symposium; no additional fee is required. More information can be found [here](#).

1. Workshop on Quantum Entanglement

This workshop will focus on entanglement-based observables in positron emission tomography and related imaging techniques, covering both fundamental and applied aspects. Its aim is to bring together researchers working in fundamental physics and medical imaging for a productive exchange of ideas.

2. COST Action Workshop

The second satellite workshop is organized under the COST Action framework, aimed at building European research networks around shared scientific interests in the areas covered by the symposium.

Registration and Fees

Registration for JS2026 is handled through the conference Indico page. The fee structure is summarized below:

Type of Registration	Conference Fee	Accompanying Person
*Early Registration (Before May 10, 2026)	550 € / 2500 PLN	150 € / 700 PLN
Late Registration (After May 10, 2026)	600 € / 2700 PLN	150 € / 700 PLN

***Early registration provides a discounted rate if you register before the deadline.**

The conference fee covers scientific sessions, conference materials, lunches, coffee breaks, Book of Abstracts, the concert of Baroque and Classical music, conference dinner, access to exhibitions, and proceedings.

Financial support for young researchers: A limited number of grants are available for master's and doctoral students on a competitive basis. If you would like to apply, please contact the organizing committee at jagiellonian.symposium@uj.edu.pl.

Accommodation

Several rooms in Jagiellonian University guest houses, located in the city center within walking distance of the conference venue, are available upon request. Please note that accommodation is **not covered by the conference fee** and must be arranged and paid for individually. Availability is limited and cannot be guaranteed. For inquiries, please contact: lukasz.kaplon@uj.edu.pl.

Venue

The symposium will take place at the Collegium Novodvorscianum (Św. Anny 12, Kraków), situated in the historic city center near the Main Market Square. Kraków is one of Poland's leading academic cities and home to Jagiellonian University, one of the oldest universities in Europe. Practical information about the venue, accommodation options, and airport transfers is available on the [conference website](#).

Contact

For any questions regarding the symposium, abstract submission, registration, please write to us at: jagiellonian.symposium@uj.edu.pl.

For the most up-to-date information, please visit: <https://indico.koza.if.uj.edu.pl/event/21/>



We look forward to welcoming you in Kraków in July 2026.

With kind regards,



Prof. Paweł Moskal
Chair of JS2026



Prof. Ewa Stępień
Chair of JS2026

Jagiellonian University, Kraków, Poland

