



DATA PROCESSING NOTICE

Concerning the Processing of Personal Data
for the JATE Award Nomination and Evaluation Procedure

This Data Processing Notice provides information on how your personal data is used and protected in connection with the nomination and evaluation procedure for the JATE Award, in accordance with the provisions of the European Union's General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

About the JATE Award

Professor Katalin Karikó, a former student of József Attila University (JATE) – one of the legal predecessors of the University of Szeged (SZTE) – and currently a professor at SZTE, donated the replica of her 2023 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine, along with the accompanying monetary award of over \$500,000, to her alma mater. Using the donated funds, Professor Katalin Karikó and the University of Szeged have established the **JATE Award**.

The award is presented annually at the University of Szeged during the ceremony held on the occasion of University Day (November 11). It may be granted to three individuals:

- a current student of the University of Szeged (SZTE),
- a current instructor of the University of Szeged (SZTE), and
- a former student or former instructor of SZTE or its legal predecessor (JATE).

In each of the three categories, the JATE Award includes the following:

- a unique work of art and a presentation case;
- a certificate of honor; and
- a monetary prize.

1. Who can you contact in matters concerning data processing?

The data controller for the data processing activities described in this Data Processing Notice is the University of Szeged, with the actual processing of data being carried out by the following organizational unit:

University of Szeged

Directorate for International and Public Relations

Website: <https://u-szeged.hu/nki>

Designated contact for data processing matters:

Dr. Ilona Pászkané Ujszászi

Work address: Dugonics tér 13, Szeged, H-6720

Phone number: +36 (62) 543-143, +36-70-333-8654

Email address: paszkane.ujaszzi.ilona@szte.hu



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The name and contact details of the University of Szeged's Data Protection Officer are provided in Section 11.1 of this Data Processing Notice.

If you have any questions regarding the processing of data, please feel free to contact us using the contact information indicated above.

2. Which principal legal regulations govern our data processing activities?

Please be informed that your personal data is processed in accordance with the following legal regulations:

- Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council (GDPR) on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC,
- Act CXII of 2011 on the Right to Informational Self-Determination and Freedom of Information (Infotv.),
- Act CCIV of 2011 on National Higher Education (Nftv.).

3. Does the University of Szeged have a Data Protection Policy?

The University of Szeged maintains an institutional Data Protection Policy, which is accessible at: <http://www.u-szeged.hu/szabalyzatok>

4. What types of data processing are carried out in connection with the JATE Award?

The following data processing activities are performed in connection with the JATE Award:

1. Processing of the nominator's personal data
2. Processing of the nominee's personal data
3. Processing of the nominee's personal data during the evaluation procedure
4. Processing of the award recipient's personal data as part of the decision notification process



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4.1. Processing of the nominator's personal data:

Types of Data Processed	Purpose of Data Processing	Legal Basis for Data Processing	Duration of Data Storage
Name	For identification purposes	Voluntary consent in accordance with GDPR 6(1)(a)	No longer than a period of 1 year following the evaluation of the nomination
Birth name			
Place and date of birth			
Mother’s maiden name			
Address	For contact purposes		
Contact details (phone number, email address)			
Declaration of whether the nominator is <ul style="list-style-type: none">• a current student of SZTE,• a current instructor of SZTE, or• a former student or instructor at SZTE’s legal predecessor (JATE). <i>For current or former student:</i> name of university program, period of university studies <i>For current or former instructor:</i> name of workplace (department), period of employment	For identification purposes		
Signature	For the purpose of verifying the nominator’s submission of the nomination, the accompanying statement of reasons, and the information contained in the Declaration Form.		



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4.2. Processing of the nominee's personal data:

Types of Data Processed	Purpose of Data Processing	Legal Basis for Data Processing	Duration of Data Storage
Name	For identification purposes	Performance of a task carried out in the public interest, in accordance with GDPR 6(1)(e)	Retained for a period of five years
Birth name	For identification purposes		
Address	For contact purposes		
Contact details (phone number and email address)	For contact purposes		
Personal data included in the statement of reasons for the JATE Award nomination	For the purpose of determining eligibility for the award		

4.3. Processing of the nominee's personal data during the evaluation procedure:

Types of Data Processed	Purpose of Data Processing	Legal Basis for Data Processing	Duration of Data Storage
Name	For identification purposes	GDPR 6(1)(e): Performance of a task carried out in the public interest	Retained for a period of five years
Birth name	For identification purposes		
Contact details (phone number and email address)	For contact and notification purposes		
Personal data included in the statement of reasons for the JATE Award nomination	For the purpose of evaluating eligibility for the award	Section 12(3)(h)(hc) of Nftv.; Annex 3 of Nftv., part I/A on <i>Employee data</i> , Section 1(c)(cd) on <i>awards, prizes and other types of recognition, titles</i> ; and part I/B on <i>Student data</i> , Section 1(b)(bm) on <i>data necessary for the exercise of rights and fulfilment of obligations arising from student status</i>	
Award category	For the purpose of accurately identifying the category in which the award recipient is placed	GDPR 6(1)(e): Performance of a task carried out in the public interest	Retained for a period of five years



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4.4. Processing of the award recipient's personal data as part of the decision notification process:

Types of Data Processed	Purpose of Data Processing	Legal Basis for Data Processing	Duration of Data Storage
Name	For identification purposes	Performance of a task carried out in the public interest, in accordance with GDPR 6(1)(e))	Retained for a period of five years
Contact details (phone number and email address)	For contact and notification purposes		

5. Who is authorized to access your personal data?

Regarding the data processing outlined in this Data Processing Notice, your personal data may be accessed by the organizational unit specified in Section 1, as well as by entities to whom we transfer your personal data.

5.1. Data transfer within the organization

Data transfer to the five-member committee chaired by Prof. Dr. Katalin Karikó in her capacity as Donor:

Data transfer within the University of Szeged, serving as the administering organization, is carried out as follows:	
Recipient of data:	The five-member committee responsible for deciding on the conferment of the JATE Award
Scope of data transferred:	Personal data of the nominator and the nominee as stated in Section 4 of this Notice
Purpose of data transfer:	Decision-making regarding the conferment of the JATE Award
Legal basis for data transfer:	Performance of a task carried out in the public interest in accordance with GDPR 6(1)(e)

5.2. Do we involve a data controller in data processing?

We do not involve any data controllers to manage or oversee the processing of your personal data.

5.3. Data transfer outside the organization:

We do not transfer data to any third parties within or outside of Hungary.



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6. Do we collect personal data from other sources?

We only obtain personal data from the nominator.

7. Does data processing involve automated decision-making?

Data processing for the JATE Award Nomination and Evaluation Procedure does not involve any automated decision-making processes.

8. What are the legal implications for you if you choose not to provide the requested data?

Please note that the legal basis for data processing for the JATE Award Nomination and Evaluation Procedure is neither the fulfillment of a legal obligation (GDPR 6(1)(c)) nor a contractual requirement (GDPR 6(1)(b)).

Generally, failure to provide the requested data, as outlined in this Data Processing Notice, will not result in any disadvantages for you. However, please be informed that without nominators providing the required information, nominees will not be eligible to receive the JATE Award.

9. What legitimate interests do we have in processing the data?

The data processing activities outlined herein are not based on legitimate interests. Instead, our data processing is carried out based on other legal grounds.

10. What rights do you have in connection with data processing?

You have the following rights in connection with the processing of your data:

1. Right to be informed: You may request information about how your personal data is being processed. This right is ensured through the creation and distribution of this Data Processing Notice.
2. Right of access: You are entitled to obtain a copy of the personal data we hold in relation to you, along with details on how this data is being processed.
3. Right to rectification: If you become aware of any inaccuracies in your personal data, you have the right to request the necessary corrections.
4. Right to object: For reasons related to your specific situation, you have the right to object – at any time – to the processing of your personal data when the processing is based on public interest. In such cases, the data controller will cease processing your personal data for the disputed purpose unless they can demonstrate compelling legitimate grounds that override your interests, rights, and freedoms, or if the processing is necessary for asserting, exercising, or defending legal claims.



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5. Right to withdraw voluntary consent: You have the right to withdraw your voluntary consent to data processing at any time. Please note that withdrawing your consent does not affect the lawfulness of any data processing conducted prior to the withdrawal.
6. Right to erasure: If the processing of your personal data is solely based on voluntary consent and no other legal grounds apply, you have the right to request the deletion of your data.
7. Right to restriction of processing: You may request that we limit or restrict the processing of your personal data, for instance, if you contest the accuracy of the data – and restriction is to be applied until the data is verified by the data controller – or if restriction is necessary in connection with the exercise or defense of legal claims.
8. Right to remedies: In the event of a violation of your rights, you are entitled to seek appropriate legal remedy.

11. What legal remedies are available to you?

11.1. You may contact the Data Protection Officer of the University of Szeged using the following contact details:

Dr. Dóra Lajkó
University of Szeged, Rector's Office
(Szegedi Tudományegyetem, Rektori Hivatal)

Address: Dugonics tér 13, Szeged, H-6720 (3rd floor, room 303)

Phone number: +36-62-342-376; +36-62-544-000, ext. 2376

Email address: dpo@szte.hu

11.2. You may also contact the Hungarian National Authority for Data Protection and Freedom of Information (NAIH) using the following contact details:

Hungarian National Authority for Data Protection and Freedom of Information
(Nemzeti Adatvédelmi és Információszabadság Hatóság)

Address: Falk Miksa utca 9–11, Budapest, H-1055

Mailing address: Budapest, Pf. 9, H-1363

Phone number: +36-1-391-1400

Email: ugyfelszolgalat@naih.hu



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11.3. You have the right to bring proceedings before a court.

Depending on the nature of the unlawful data processing you have experienced, you may also pursue legal action, including against the Authority itself if necessary. Information on how to proceed – covering the methods, procedures, and forums for initiating legal action – can be found on the following website: <https://birosag.hu/birosagi-szervezetek>

12. Does the University of Szeged have a Data Protection Officer?

The University of Szeged does have an appointed Data Protection Officer. You can find the contact details of the Data Protection Officer in Section 11.1 of this Data Processing Notice. The Data Protection Officer serves as the designated point of contact between you and the University of Szeged.