



RULES OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION
“THE AMAZING WORLD OF MEDICINAL PLANTS”



4th edition, 2016

1. The contest is organised by the **Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany** at the Department of Biology and Pharmaceutical Botany of the Nicolaus Copernicus University Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz.
2. The contest is held under the auspices of the dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy, prof. dr hab. Stefan Kruszewski.
3. The contest organisation committee includes 6 members: students – Agata Szramka, Krzysztof Fryska, Marta Oczachowska and Kamil Kajzer, and research club supervisors – dr Dorota Gawenda-Kempczyńska and dr hab. Tomasz Załuski prof. UMK.
4. The competition is addressed to **students and staff members of the Nicolaus Copernicus University Collegium Medicum in Bydgoszcz** and to **secondary school students attending schools in Bydgoszcz**.
5. Awards are given in two categories: “Students and Employees of NCU Collegium Medicum” and “Secondary School Students”.
6. Winners of 1st, 2nd and 3rd award are chosen in both categories.
7. Members of the organisation committee and the jury cannot take part in the contest.
8. **Medicinal plants** are the subject matter of the competition – the photographs should demonstrate their beauty and uniqueness.
9. Each participant submits a **maximum of 3 photographs** which have not been presented in other photography competitions.
10. **Technical requirements:** the photos should be saved in JPG format, their size should be between 1.5 and 6 MB. Panoramic images and photographs showing a date/hour will not be accepted.
11. The photographs and other attachments are to be sent to the email address: rosliny.lecznicze.konkurs@gmail.com. The subject of the email should be as follows: ‘Konkurs fotograficzny’.
12. The name of each photo file should include **the author’s surname and first name and the number of the photograph**.
13. Apart from the files containing photographs, an additional **attachment** is required – it should include descriptions of each photograph (the author’s comments) and information about the author, that is – in case of students: name and surname, the field and year of study, correspondence e-mail address; in case of the university personnel: name and surname, academic title/degree, name of department/administrative unit, correspondence e-mail address.
14. Factual correctness, technical quality, originality of the object’s view and author’s descriptions will all be taken into account when assessing the photographs.
15. The organisers of the competition have the right to reject any photos which do not meet the abovementioned requirements.
16. The competition jury includes:

- dr Bogumiła Kupcewicz (chair of jury) – Vice-Dean for Student Affairs of the Faculty of Pharmacy;
 - dr hab. Tomasz Załuski prof. UMK – head of the Department of Biology and Pharmaceutical Botany, research supervisor of the Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany;
 - dr Dorota Gawenda-Kempczyńska – assistant professor at the Department of Biology and Pharmaceutical Botany, research supervisor of the Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany;
 - dr Dominika Hapka-Żmich – assistant lecturer at the Department of Pharmaceutical technology, founder of and lecturer at the Maturita Educational Centre;
 - Dariusz Gackowski – photographer of the Municipal Culture Centre in Bydgoszcz, member of the Association of Polish Art Photographers, director of documentaries, graduate of the Wajda School;
 - Agata Szramka – student of pharmacy, head of the Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany;
 - Krzysztof Fryska – student of pharmacy, former head of the Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany;
 - Marta Oczachowska – student of pharmacy, former head of the Student Research Club for Pharmaceutical Botany.
17. A person submitting photographs for the contest declares exclusive and unlimited copyright ownership of the pictures.
 18. The organisers reserve the right to publish the submitted photographs on websites and in printed form, in order to popularise the idea of the contest.
 19. Submitting photographs indicates acceptance of the above terms.
 20. The photographs are to be submitted by **31 May 2016**.
 21. The adjudication will take place after **10 June 2016**. The results will be announced on the University's website, and sent to the winners and their schools.
 22. The award ceremony date will be determined and announced after the adjudication of the competition.