

Resolution No. 225/LI/2026
of the Warsaw University of Technology Senate
of 25 February 2026

amending Resolution No. 363/XLIX/2019 of the WUT Senate on adoption of the Academic Regulations at the Warsaw University of Technology

Pursuant to Art. 28 section 1 point 2 and Art. 75 section 5 of the Act of 20 July 2018 – Law on Higher Education and Science (Journal of Acts of 2024 item 1571, as amended) it is resolved as follows:

§ 1

In the appendix to Resolution No. 363/XLIX/2019 of the Warsaw University of Technology Senate of 26 June 2019 on the adoption of the Academic Regulations at the Warsaw University of Technology, the following amendments are introduced:

- 1) in § 2 in section 1:
 - a) point 5 shall read:

”5) individual organisation of study – approved by the dean at the request of the student, method of organisation of study including individual registration requirements which enable a change of the pace of study, individual rules of passing courses and, if possible, an individual study plan,”,
 - b) point 19 shall read:

”19) registration – the dean’s decision on admitting a student to a successive study stage and enrolling the student for it, i.e.:

 - a) full registration, which means that the student has acquired the number of ECTS points required at this study stage and that the student has met the detailed registration requirements,
 - b) conditional registration, which means that the student had acquired the minimum number of ECTS points required at this study stage and that the student has met the detailed registration requirements.

Registration may be carried out for a given semester, which is referred to as semester registration, or for the following academic year, which is referred to as annual registration.”,
 - c) a new point 26 is added, reading as follows:

”26) resumption – a procedure under which a person removed from the University’s register of students may, with the consent of the dean, resume their interrupted studies in the same field of study, at the same level and profile as previously pursued,”;
- 2) in § 7:
 - a) section 1 shall read:

”1. Study at the University shall be conducted in the full-time mode and in the part-time mode. Part-time study may be organised in the distance-learning mode.”,
 - b) in point 2 the introductory sentence to the list shall read:

”For the full-time study option, the academic year shall include two semesters: the winter semester and the summer semester, while:”,
 - c) in section 3:
 - the introductory sentence to the list shall read:

”For the part-time study option, the academic year shall include two semesters: the winter semester and the summer semester, while:”,
 - a new point 3 is added, reading as follows:

- ”3) in part-time studies conducted in the distance-learning mode, the dean may, by decision, establish a different organisation of class meetings and the examination period in each semester.”;
- 3) in § 8:
- a) section 2 shall read:
- ”2. In order to conduct examinations, the following shall be set in the examination period:
- 1) in the winter examination period – at least two dates for each course of the winter semester ending with an examination;
 - 2) in the summer examination period – at least two dates for each course of the summer semester ending with an examination;
 - 3) in the autumn examination period – at least one date for each course of the winter and summer semesters ending with an examination, subject to section 3.”;
- b) sections 3 and 4 shall read:
- ”3. A student has the right to take an examination on three selected dates from those scheduled in the examination sessions. In the case of a course conducted in the winter semester and ending with an examination, the student is entitled to a date in the autumn session, provided they have obtained registration for the following summer semester.
4. A student may take the examination on additional dates if provided for in the course regulations. Any additional examination date in the examination session must be scheduled in consultation with and with the consent of the dean.”;
- c) new points 5 and 6 are added, reading as follows:
- ”5. A student’s absence from the scheduled examination dates does not require the organisation of an alternative examination date.
6. An exam may not be held at a time when other classes are being conducted according to the class schedule.”;
- 4) in § 10 after section 3, a new section 3a is added, reading as follows:
- ”3a. Classes may be conducted using distance learning methods and techniques.”;
- 5) in § 11:
- a) in section 2:
- point 1 shall read:
- ”1) recommendations on student participation in a course resulting from the required sequence in which the courses should be followed in line with the study plan, and prerequisites;”;
- point 4 shall read:
- ”4) schedule of partial and/or final verification of learning outcomes achievement, in particular the dates of written and oral tests and deadlines for submission of reports on completed laboratory work and projects, including additional deadlines, if the specifics of the course allow for it;”;
- b) section 8 shall read:
- ”8. A student with a disability may apply to the dean to have a faculty supervisor appointed. The supervisor may be the dean’s proxy for persons with disabilities or an academic teacher appointed by the dean. The dean takes the decision after consultation with the relevant University organisational unit responsible for matters concerning persons with disabilities. The role of the supervisor shall be to specify and present to the dean special needs of the student in terms of organisation and completion of the education process, including study and learning adjustments in accordance with the type of their disability.”;
- 6) § 15 shall read:

”§ 15

1. A person removed from the University’s register of students may apply for resumption of studies if, prior to removal, they had fulfilled the requirements for full registration for the second year of first-cycle studies or long-cycle Master’s studies, or for the

second semester of second-cycle studies. No more than two resumptions of studies are allowed.

2. Resumption takes place in the field of study in which the applicant previously studied and according to the study programme in force at the time of resumption.
 3. The application for resumption of studies must be submitted no later than one month before the start of the semester. In the case referred to in section 6, the dean shall determine the deadline for submission of the application.
 4. Resumption of studies takes effect from the beginning of the semester, based on the dean's decision, in which the dean:
 - 1) decides on the recognition of learning outcomes achieved prior to removal from the register of students;
 - 2) designates the semester from which the student will continue their studies;
 - 3) determines any programme differences as well as the conditions, deadlines, and methods for their completion, aimed at ensuring that the student achieves all learning outcomes required by the applicable study programme.
 5. A person resuming studies confirms the taking of the oath by signing it in the University's IT system.
 6. A person removed from the register of students due to failure to submit a diploma thesis or take the diploma examination may be allowed to resume studies, based on the dean's decision, for the last semester of the study programme for the time necessary to submit the diploma thesis and prepare and take the diploma examination, but not longer than until the end of that semester. Such resumption is possible if the study programme has not changed since the finalization of the last decision on striking off from the register of students, and there is no need to make up programme differences. In the case of required programme adjustments, resumption shall proceed in accordance with section 4.
 7. A student resuming studies is obliged to pay:
 - 1) for retaking courses that were not passed due to unsatisfactory academic performance before striking off, and whose completion is necessary to fulfil the applicable study programme upon resumption;
 - 2) for studies, if they are tuition-based, in accordance with the Rector's decision applicable to students of the given cycle of education which the student is joining.
 8. Resumption of study is not possible in the following situations:
 - 1) after 5 years have elapsed from the date of finalization of the first decision on striking off from the register of students;
 - 2) if the total period of study in full-time programmes would exceed the nominal duration of studies specified in the study programme, extended by the additional period referred to in § 22 section 2;
 - 3) in case of unsettled financial or material obligations towards the University;
 - 4) if the given field of study is no longer offered;
 - 5) if the person was struck off from the register of students as a result of a disciplinary penalty of expulsion from the University.
 9. Section 8 point 2 does not apply to persons applying for resumption who were struck off from the register of students due to failure to submit a diploma thesis or take the diploma examination, provided there is no need to make up programme differences.”;
- 7) in § 17:
- a) section 1 shall read:

”1. An examination is one of the methods of verification of the learning outcomes achieved by a student within the scope defined by the syllabus for a given course. An examination shall be conducted by the course leader, who may be replaced by an academic teacher authorised by the dean.”,
 - b) sections 6-8 shall be repealed,
 - c) sections 10 and 11 shall read:

”10. The dean or course leader may recognize the learning outcomes achieved by the student as a result of completing other study programmes and microprogrammes,

or through participation in research, development and implementation work, a research camp, work in student research, artistic and sports groups, national and international educational programmes or student internship, as the achieved learning outcomes of a given course, and may fully or partly exempt the student from participation in the classes of this course.

11. The dean, at the request of a student holding a certificate of disability, a medical diagnosis, or a specialized medical certificate, should, to the extent possible, modify the method of assessing the achievement of learning outcomes to accommodate the educational needs arising from the student's health condition. This possibility may be requested by students:
 - 1) with disabilities or chronic illnesses;
 - 2) experiencing mental health disorders or crises;
 - 3) with developmental disorders.”
- d) a new section 12 is added, reading as follows:

”12. The application referred to in section 11 should be reviewed by the relevant University organisational unit responsible for matters concerning persons with disabilities.”;
- 8) in § 19 sections 1 and 2 shall read:
 - ”1. The course tutor shall provide students with the results from the verification of learning outcomes achievement within no more than two weeks from the date of the verification but no later than 48 hours prior to the date of the verification of learning outcomes.
 2. At the student's request, the course tutor shall promptly provide the student with access to their graded written work, indicating the mistakes made and the manner in which the assigned problem can be correctly solved. The request may be made until the end of a given academic year.”;
- 9) in § 22:
 - a) sections 1 and 2 shall read:
 - ”1. The dean, after consulting the Faculty Council, shall determine the detailed rules for registration for a given stage of studies. In the case of annual registration, the registration rules shall be communicated to students at least one academic year in advance, whereas in the case of semester registration – at least one semester in advance. In the event of changes to the applicable study programmes that affect the registration rules, or the introduction of a new study programme, the detailed registration rules shall be communicated to students no later than three months prior to the date of entry into force of the amended or new study programme.
 2. A full-time first-cycle student or a student of long-cycle Master's studies may be granted registration for a period not exceeding four semesters beyond the nominal duration of the programme. A full-time second-cycle student may be granted registration for a period not exceeding three semesters beyond the nominal duration of the programme. Periods of leave are not included in the calculation of the maximum period of study.”;
 - b) in section 3 point 1 shall read:

”1) meeting the minimum registration requirements shall allow the student to be conditionally registered for the subsequent study stage,”;
 - c) section 4 shall read:

”4. Registration of a student for a given study stage shall be performed by the dean within the time limit set by the Rector.”;
- 10) in § 23 section 5 shall read:

”5. A condition for participation in classes where a student may be exposed to harmful, burdensome, or hazardous factors to health is the submission by the student of a valid medical certificate confirming no contraindications to participation in the classes, as well as completion of occupational health and safety (OHS) training.”;
- 11) in § 24:
 - a) in section 1, new points 7 and 8 are added, reading as follows:
 - ”7) a student actively engaged in activities on behalf of the University,
 - 8) a student in other particularly justified cases.”;

- b) after section 1, a new section 1a is added, reading as follows:
"1a. A student actively engaged in activities on behalf of the University, who is a member of a student government body specified in the student government regulations, may apply for an individualized study plan under the rules set out in those regulations.";
- 12) in § 26 section 1 shall read:
"1. A student may apply to the dean for recognition of learning outcomes achieved in the course of their professional, scientific or other activity. The application shall document the achievement of learning outcomes equivalent to learning outcomes defined in the study programme being pursued by the student. Recognition of learning outcomes achieved through professional activity is possible only towards practical placement internship.";
- 13) in § 28 section 1 shall read:
"1. A student who has outstanding academic achievements or actively engaged on behalf of the University may apply to the dean for consent to follow an individual study plan. The provisions of § 24 section 1a shall apply accordingly.";
- 14) in § 30:
a) section 1 shall read:
"1. A student shall be required to submit their diploma thesis to the thesis supervisor, through the University's IT system, no later than three weeks before the end of the semester in the case of a Bachelor's (inżynier and licencjat) thesis, and until the last day prior to the beginning of the registration period in the case of a Master's (magister) thesis. Within the time limit specified in faculty-level internal regulations on diploma procedures, the supervisor shall prepare, in the University's IT system, an opinion on approval of the diploma thesis and propose a grade for the thesis. The time limit may not be longer than 5 working days from the day the student submitted the thesis. If the diploma thesis is not approved, the opinion should include a substantiation and the student may appeal to the dean, within 14 days of the receipt of the opinion. In exceptional circumstances, the dean may appoint a person to replace the supervisor for the purpose of preparing an opinion on the acceptance of the diploma thesis and the proposed grade.";
- b) sections 2 and 3 shall read:
"2. At the request of the thesis supervisor or at the request of the student, the dean may extend the deadline for the submission of the diploma thesis, but this shall not exceed a period of three months from the deadlines set in section 1 above.
3. The provisions of § 33 section 1 point 3 of the Regulations shall apply if the diploma thesis is considered not submitted.";
- c) section 7 shall read:
"7. In the case of a prolonged absence of the diploma thesis supervisor, which may affect the timely submission of the thesis, at the student's written request, after consultation with the head of the unit in which the thesis is prepared, the dean shall appoint a new thesis supervisor.";
- 15) in § 31:
a) in section 1 point 2 shall read:
"2) submission of the diploma thesis";
- b) sections 10-13 shall read:
"10. A graduate who completes their studies with an excellent result may be distinguished by the diploma examination committee. In disputed cases, the vote of the committee chairperson shall be decisive. The form of recognition for graduates is determined by the Rector.
11. If, for important and justified reasons, a student is unable to take the diploma examination on the date specified in section 3, the dean, at the student's request, shall set a new examination date, which shall be treated as the first attempt. This examination must take place no later than three months from the original diploma

- examination date determined under section 3. Failure to attend the exam on the new date cannot be excused.
12. In the event of failing the diploma examination on the date specified in section 3 or section 11, the dean shall set a second and final examination date. This examination should take place at least one month but no later than three months from the date of the first exam; in justified cases, upon the student's request and with the dean's consent, it may be held earlier. Failure to attend the second and final examination cannot be excused.
 13. In the case of:
 - 1) unjustified failure to attend the diploma examination on the scheduled date;
 - 2) failing the diploma examination or failure to attend the second examination date,the provisions of § 33 section 1 point 3 shall apply.”;
- 16) in § 33 sections 3 and 4 shall read:
 - ”3. Failure by a student to declare readiness to resume studies after a leave of absence, before the start of classes in a given semester, may be considered as the student not resuming their studies, which may consequently result in striking off from the register of students.
 4. Notification of resignation from studies must be submitted to the dean via the University's IT system.”;
- 17) in § 34 in section 1 after point 4, a new point 4a is added, reading as follows:
 - ”4a) receiving assistance in the form of short-term psychological support, in accordance with the rules set out in the University's internal regulations.”;
- 18) in § 36:
 - a) sections 3 and 4 shall read:
 - ”3. A medical leave of absence is granted by the dean solely on the basis of a certificate issued by a qualified physician. The template for the application for medical leave is specified in the University's internal regulations. This leave may be granted multiple times during the course of studies.
 4. A special leave of absence may be granted by the dean to a student who, with the dean's consent, is undertaking an extracurricular part of studies at another university, participating in an internship or professional practice, documenting significant unforeseen circumstances, actively engaged in activities on behalf of the University, or in other justified cases. This leave may be granted multiple times during the course of studies. The provisions of § 24 section 1a shall apply accordingly.”;
 - b) section 9 shall read:
 - ”9. A student should apply for a leave of absence immediately after the circumstances justifying their application for a leave of absence have occurred but no later than by the end of the registration period.”;
 - c) a new section 13 is added, reading as follows:
 - ”13. Resuming studies after a leave of absence requires the student to submit an application for registration for the given stage of studies via the University's IT system. In the case of medical leave, if the medical certificate requires submission of a statement confirming the student's fitness to continue studies, the student is obliged to provide such a medical certificate upon completion of the leave.”;
- 19) the term “University information system” shall be replaced with the term “University's IT system”.

§ 2

1. For proceedings regarding the resumption of studies initiated and not concluded before the entry into force of this resolution, the previous regulations shall apply.

2. In the case of applications for resumption of studies submitted by 30 September 2027, § 15 section 8 points 1 and 2 of the Academic Regulations as amended by this resolution shall not apply.
3. The detailed registration rules referred to in § 22 section 1 of the Academic Regulations, as amended by this resolution, which will apply from registration for the summer semester of the 2026/2027 academic year, shall be announced by the dean to students no later than one month from the entry into force of this resolution.
4. The detailed registration rules referred to in § 22 section 1 of the Academic Regulations, as amended by this resolution, which will apply from registration for the 2027/2028 academic year, shall be announced by the dean to students no later than one month from the entry into force of this resolution.
5. The provisions of § 22 section 2 of the Academic Regulations, as amended by this resolution, shall apply starting from registration for the summer semester of the 2026/2027 academic year.

§ 3

This resolution enters into force on 1 October 2026.

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