

**Subject | Open Access expenses of joint papers rules from November 2018 to end of 3rd period
COST Action CA15119 (NANOUP TAKE)**

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COST Vademecum allows the funding of publication expenses (including Open Access licenses or expenses) following specific rules (section 10 in [COST vademecum](#))

1. ELEGIBILITY CRITERIA

The maximum amount to be expended in this Open Access publication expenses will not exceed the amount assigned for this tool within the corresponding Grant Period.

All the received applications have to fully address these criteria:

- Publications must be a direct result of work performed by Action Participants and must be co-authored by Action Participants representing at least 3 Participating COST Full Members / COST Cooperating Members from different countries.
- The article has to be accepted after a transparent peer-review.
- Authors must integrate a reference to the COST programme and acknowledge the support of EU funding from Nanouptake COST action.
- The article processing fees (APF) charged to COST may not exceed the APF published on the journal's Web site.
- Value Added Tax (V.A.T.) is not an eligible expense.

2. PROPOSALS SUBMISSION

The reception of proposals is open during from November 2018 to the middle of February 2019.

The applicants must send to the Dissemination Coordinator (Prof. Alina Adriana Minea, aminea@tuiasi.ro) the following information:

1. Publication to be funded
2. Acceptance from the journal
3. Required funding (V.A.T. is not an eligible expense)

3. SELECTION PROCESS

The evaluation of proposals and budget assignation will be done following the order of reception

The evaluation of proposals and its correspondent assignation of budget will be done by the Dissemination Coordination and the Chair of the Action.

The final funding will depend on the eligibility criteria and the available budget.

Further questions may be sent to the Dissemination Coordinator (Prof. Alina Adriana Minea, aminea@tuiasi.ro)