

January 21st, 2025

**To:** Academic staff members

**From:** Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs

**Differential Grant forms – 2025/26**

Dear Faculty Members,

We are pleased to begin the process of collecting data and awarding the differential grant for the 2025/26 academic year.

The new salary agreement signed with the Faculty Associations introduces several changes to the criteria and eligibility rules for the differential grant. All these changes, as approved by the Senate, have been implemented in the computerized forms system.

The new differential grant form is available online through the forms system in your personal portal. From within the Technion network, you can use the link: <http://portal.technion.ac.il>, and from outside the Technion, the forms system is available at: <http://portalex.technion.ac.il>). You should start the process by "create a new form" and follow the instructions provided there to fill out the form.

**Important Points:**

1. Eligible to fill out the form are active, full-time senior faculty members, excluding hospital staff, research and teaching fellows, the President, Executive VPs and VPs, and staff members who are on Sabbatical or leave without pay for the entire year.
2. Please attach an updated CV and list of publications (either a full version or a short one of the last 3 years). You may attach the list of publications as a link to your personal page in the Technion CRIS system, available at: <https://cris.technion.ac.il>, or, if you prefer, as a PDF file.
3. In order for us to transfer the first installment of the grant in your March salary (i.e., on April 1, 2026), please submit the form no later than Sunday, March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026
4. Faculty members returning from Sabbatical or unpaid leave in the second semester of 2025/26 academic year, as well as those who join the Technion in the spring semester, may fill out the form at the beginning of the spring semester (starting March 1, 2026) and submit it by April 1, 2026. In this case, the first installment will be paid in the June 2026 salary.
5. Faculty members returning from sabbatical or unpaid leave during the 2025/26 academic year will be eligible, subject to meeting the criteria, for the proportional part of the grant according to the period of service at the Technion during that year.

Should you have any questions regarding the differential grant, please contact your faculty coordinator or our office, and we'll be happy to assist.



Sincerely,

Prof. Oded Rabinovitch

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