

WARSZAWSKA SZKOŁA DOKTORSKA NAUK ŚCISŁYCH I BIOMEDYCZNYCH
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Mid-Term Evaluation results

MIĘDZYNARODOWY INSTYTUT BIOLOGII MOLEKULARNEJ I KOMÓRKOWEJ W WARSZAWIE
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Nazwisko i Imię Surname and Name	Wynik oceny Mid-Term Evaluation result	Uzasadnienie oceny Justification of the assessment
CHOUHAN KOMAL KUMARI	pozytywna / positive	Komal gave a well-prepared presentation. The committee thought that the experimental work is still rather exploratory and follows multiple different directions. At this point it would be good to try to focus one the most promising line of research. Perhaps Komal could now focus on her own project rather than be involved in multiple collaborative efforts.
FEDENKO ANNA	pozytywna / positive	The student presented her project very well. She could have explained better the dataset she is working with and how it was obtained (sequencing data for CK AML patients). Anna replied very well to the questions. She showed good understanding of her project and its potential impact. It seems like the project is point the right track to produce a thesis with valuable research. It is expected that at this stage of the PhD project the student will present her research at a seminar and/or an international conference.
KUMARI SHIWANI	pozytywna / positive	Shiwani generated a lot of interesting high-quality data, and her PhD projects seems to be on the right track. What could be improved is the presentation of the overarching goal of the project. It is important to think about the logic flow of the experiments which have already been performed and which are planned. How different experiments are linked? Shiwani is also encouraged to learn more about the proteins involved the pathways she studies, in particular TSC1 and TSC2. The committee was impressed but the dissemination activities of the student.
SZYMAŃSKI JACEK	pozytywna / positive	The student gave a very clear and well-prepared presentation. The results are exciting and show a new phenomenon in innate immune response which involves RIG-I. The progress towards PhD thesis is very good. Most of the answers were generally clear and to the point. Perhaps the student wants to learn more about the features of ATP- and GTP-binding proteins and about chemical modifications of viral RNAs and how they can affect his experiments. The committee thought highly of the dissemination activities particularly the poster awarded at the RNA society meeting.