

## COMMUNIQUÉ

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Upon reports by different media outlets on 25 October 2021, the Antall József Knowledge Centre confirms that employees were notified about the ongoing restructuring procedures on 22 October 2021. At the staff meeting on Friday, employees were also informed about the exact schedule of such procedures. The institution will not cease to exist. However, due to the discontinuation of state support announced on 29 September 2021 at weekly governmental forum for the notification of the public, its activities, which have become quite widespread in the last few years, cannot be maintained in such a form and with such a high amount of personnel in lack of this amount. Thus, the management has decided that the restructuring must be done, and it shall be done by 31 December the latest to the fullest extent possible.

Following the briefing at the staff meeting, the management consulted with every employee individually, where employees' had the chance to pose their questions related to the restructuring.

The Antall József Knowledge Centre would hereby like to notify you that its programmes and publications for the autumn season will be realised until 31 December. You may find more information on such activities on the foundation's webpage or Facebook page. The programmes are being gradually uploaded, therefore, we deny any claims that our professional activities would cease with 1 November 2021.

As it was previously stated, the management will be able to provide information on the 2022 operation and the future of the foundation later.