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## Faculty of Non-Ferrous Metals

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Dear Professor Misiólek,  
Dear Academic Community,

With great sadness, we learned of the passing of the distinguished scientist and your friend and colleague, Professor Betzalel Avitzur. The passing away of Professor Avitzur is an impulse for deep life reflection for every scientist from the area of metallurgy and metalworking.

Professor Avitzur has left a great legacy throughout his excellent scientific works, which became an inspiration for the students and the faculty and the respected resource for educating the new generation of engineers. Many colleagues from the Faculty of Non-Ferrous Metals of the AGH University of Science and Technology and other AGH UST Departments had the honor to know Professor Avitzur personally. His passing away brought us many nostalgic memories. He will be sorely missed in our community.

Dear Wojtek,

On behalf of the members of the Faculty of Non-Ferrous Metals, I wish to convey our deepest condolences to the family, friends, and relatives of the late Professor Avitzur.

May his soul Rest in Peace!



Dean  
and Members of the Faculty of Non-Ferrous Metals

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