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<u>Prize of the Centre d'études Princesse Joséphine-Charlotte</u> for scientific research against viral infections 2025

REGULATIONS

- > Art. 1. The Biennial Prize of the Centre d'études Princesse Joséphine-Charlotte aims at encouraging scientific research in the field of virology.
- > Art. 2. The Prize amounts to 12.500 € for personal use.
- Art. 3. This Prize rewards a scientific research achievement in the field of viral infections, in connection with health. It is intended for promising researchers of at least postdoctoral level attached, at the time of the submission deadline, to:
 - a University from the Wallonia-Brussels Federation,
 - a University from the Flemish Community,
 - a Federal or Regional Research Center active in biomedical research.
- Art. 4. The Prize can reward a scientific research performed by a team; it may exceptionally be shared. In this case, the Prize money will be divided equally between each member of the team.
- Art. 5. Applications, written in English, must be submitted by e-mail for March 10, 2025 (midnight Brussels time) at the latest, to the address prix@frs-fnrs.be. The following documents are requested:
 - the application form,
 - a detailed curriculum vitae,
 - a list of publications.
- Art. 6. Any question concerning the applications and the awarding of the Prize will be settled in a final and binding manner by the F.R.S.-FNRS and the FWO.
- Art. 7. The Prize will be awarded on basis of the recommendations of a Panel of experts appointed by the F.R.S.-FNRS and the FWO.
- > Art. 8. 1 member of the **Centre d'études Princesse Joséphine-Charlotte** or 1 person appointed by the Centre will participate to the Panel meeting.
- Art. 9. If no suitable laureate can be identified, the F.R.S.-FNRS and the FWO can decide not to award the Prize.
- ➤ Art. 10. Deliberations of the Panel are strictly confidential and, except for the laureate who will be invited to present the Prize-winning work, all application contents and evaluation reports generated in the framework of this Prize will be treated confidentially.

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