

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

JANSSEN PHARMACEUTICA PRIZE FOR CREATIVITY IN ORGANIC SYNTHESIS

The Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize will be announced on the occasion of BOSS XV in Antwerp (Belgium) in July 10-15, 2016

The Prize

The Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize for Creativity in Organic Synthesis (formerly known as the Dr. Paul Janssen Prize for Creativity in Organic Synthesis) was established in 1986 on the occasion of the first Belgian Organic Synthesis Symposium (BOSS). It is intended to honour Dr. Paul Janssen, founder of Janssen Pharmaceutica N.V.

The Prize is awarded on biennial basis, on the occasion of the BOSS symposium, to a chemist under the age of 50, who has made a significant contribution to the field of organic synthesis in the broadest sense. The Prize consists of a trophy, a citation and €20,000. The laureate of the Prize is expected to give a lecture at the BOSS symposium.

Nominations

Nominations for the Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize 2016 can now be submitted. Nominations should be comprised of a letter and brief biographical description with a list of selected publications and two letters of recommendation.

Nominations must be submitted **before 31st January 2016** and sent to Ly Differding (ly@ldorganisation.com)

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Jury

The composition of the jury changes on a yearly basis. The 2016 Jury will be composed of:

Chairman

Prof. Ben Feringa

Secretary

Dr. Lieven Meerpoel

Members

Prof. Berhanu Abegaz

Prof. Ben Davis

Prof. Paul Knochel

Prof. N. De Kimpe

Prof. K.C. Nicolaou

Prof. S. Kobayashi

Prof. E. N. Jacobsen

Members of the jury cannot be a candidate or submit nominations for the Prize.

Former recipients of the Prize are:

2014	Prof. J. F. Hartwig
2012	Prof. I. Marek
2010	Prof. E.N. Jacobsen
2008	Prof. A. Fürstner
2004	Prof. P. Knochel
2002	Prof. D. Boger
2000	Prof. F. Diederich
1998	Prof. D. Curran
1996	Prof. S. Ley
1994	Prof. K. Nicolaou
1992	Prof. P. Magnus
1990	Prof. B. Trost
1988	Prof. J. Baldwin
1986	Prof. K. Sharpless

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Statutes

The Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize for Creativity in Organic Synthesis (formerly the Dr. Paul Janssen Prize for Creativity in Organic Synthesis) will be awarded every other year by Janssen Research and Development, on the occasion of the Belgian Organic Synthesis Symposium to an organic chemist, who has contributed original ideas to organic synthesis. The Prize consists of a medal, a citation as well as €20,000.

Candidates

Any nomination of scientists linked to public or private Universities, Government Institutes or industrial laboratories can be taken into consideration with the following limitations:

- The Prize cannot be given twice to the same person or persons
- Members of the Committee cannot be candidates, nor can they nominate candidates
- Candidates should not be older than 50 years of age at the moment the Prize is attributed

Nomination Procedure

The Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize will be announced in the scientific press. Any scientist competent in the field may make nominations, but a candidate cannot propose himself.

Nominations are confidential. Nominations should be comprised of a letter and brief biographical description with a list of selected publications and two letters of recommendation. The deadline for nomination is given in each announcement of the Prize.

Committee

The Janssen Pharmaceutica Prize Committee is composed of the President and eight members, competent in the field of organic chemistry. The President is appointed for six years and cannot be re-elected. Two members of the Committee are replaced every other year by co-optation of two new members, taking into account seniority and geographical distribution. At least one member of the Committee will be of Belgian nationality or full time employed in Belgium. The Committee votes by mail. The decision of the Committee will be submitted to Janssen R&D who will approve and formally announce the name of the laureate.

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