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Public Notice

Call for nominations for the UNESCO-Carlos J. Finlay Prize for Microbiology 2023

The UNESCO is inviting applications for the UNESCO-Carlos J. Finlay Prize for Microbiology, funded by the Government of Cuba. This Prize is intended to reward an individual, an institution, a non-governmental organization, or any other entity that, through its research and achievements, has made a major contribution to the discipline of microbiology and its applications.

Nominations shall be submitted by the Governments of Member States, through their National Commissions, or by non-governmental organizations in official partnership with UNESCO. Self-nominations will not be considered. The nomination process is explained in detail in the attached nomination form.

All the HEIs are requested to forward the nominations (along with Candidate's CV with all supporting documents) to Indian National Commission for Cooperation with UNESCO (INCCU), Ministry of Education, Department of Higher Education Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi-1, by 1st October 2023, to consider them and forward the recommended application to UNESCO by 20th October, 2023.

There is no financial liability on part of UGC for the prize.

(Archana Thakur)

Encl.: As above

UNESCO-Carlos J. Finlay Prize for Microbiology

Nomination Form

Please complete this form in English or in French only, any form filled in other languages will not be considered. Please stamp the form after completion.

Candidature submitted by (UNESCO Member State, Non-Governmental Organization):
Country:
Address:
Telephone :Fax :
E-mail:
Name and position of official of UNESCO Member state or NGO submitting nomination:
Signature:
Surname of nominated candidate:
First name:
Profession and position held currently:
Nationality:
Address:
Telephone :Fax :
E-mail:
Website:
I hereby agree to this nomination
Signature:Date:

Documents to be attached

This form shall be accompanied by a $\underline{\text{written recommendation}},$ which shall include the following:

- a) a description of the candidate's background and achievements
- a summary of the work or the results of the work, including publications or any other relevant supporting documentation
- c) a definition of the candidate's contribution to the Prize's objective

Nomination process

<u>Self-nominations will not be considered.</u> The nominations should be submitted by the governments of Member States, in consultation with their National Commissions, or by non-governmental organizations (NGOs) maintaining official partnerships with UNESCO. The full nomination process is described in https://www.unesco.org/en/prizes/carlos-j-finlay/nomination

For nomination by Member States:

The nominees can register through this link; https://forms.office.com/e/T6ryv8Zawg to indicate their Member State, which will be automatically contacted to submit the nomination if applicable. The Member State will get access to an online platform, where the nomination form and the written recommendation (including points a-c) can be uploaded. Alternatively, the Member State can send both the nomination form and the recommendation the Secretariat written to of the Prize via email (carlosifinlayprize@unesco.org).

For nomination by non-governmental organizations (NGOs) in official partnership with UNESCO:

The NGO can register through the same link: https://forms.office.com/e/T6ryv8Zawq. An access to an online platform will be provided to upload the nomination form and the written recommendation.

Nomination for the Prize should be submitted no later than 20 October 2023.

The Secretariat of the Prize (carlosjfinlayprize@unesco.org) remains at your disposal for any request concerning this process.