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2022 Call for Applications

The Académie des sciences - Institut de France and the Ministry of Science and Technology of Taiwan award a France-Taiwan Scientific Prize every year to a team of researchers (one from a Taiwanese institution and one from a French institution) for their contribution and achievements to scientific research of interest to both regions, as well as their future plans to continue and amplify their scientific collaboration.

The amount of the Prize is 38,200€ to be shared in equal parts between the laureates of the year. In order to encourage the continuous scientific exchange, a dedicated mobility grant is also available each year exclusively to the laureates for short visits and workshops in both regions.

The 2022 call will be opened
to all research fields

Terms and conditions:

1. Applications are open to all researchers working in France and Taiwan (regardless of nationality) that have an active scientific collaboration and plan to amplify it in the near future.
2. Deadline: Applications must be sent **by June 24th, 2022** in **two** copies in PDF format, one submitted by the French applicant to the Académie des sciences, and the other submitted by the Taiwanese applicant to the Ministry of Science and Technology.
3. The application should include:
 - a) **Application form**
 - b) **Two to four recommendation letters:**

Please arrange for two to four referees to send their letters of recommendation to both the Académie des sciences and the Ministry of Science and Technology **by June 24th, 2022**. Of the two obligatory referees,



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one must be an academician of the *Académie des sciences*, whilst the other must be an academician of the Academia Sinica. The optional referees must be either an academician of the *Académie des sciences* or an academician of the Academia Sinica, or a former laureate of the Prize.

c) Photos

Please send one passport photo of each applicant to both the *Académie des sciences*, and the Ministry of Science and Technology via email.

4. French applicants should send the application by e-mail to:

Mr. César MANRIQUE MILLA
Division of Sessions, Prizes and Conferences
Académie des sciences,
Institut de France
23 quai de Conti, 75006 Paris
Tel: +33 (0) 1 44 41 44 61
E-mail : cesar.manrique@academie-sciences.fr

Taiwanese applicants should send the application to:

Mr. Min-Chi HU
Department of International Cooperation and Science
Education,
Ministry of Science and Technology
22 F, No. 106, Section 2, Heping East Road, 10622 Taipei
Tel: +886 (0) 2 2737 7683
E-mail: mchu@most.gov.tw

Awarding of the Prize :

The Prize will be awarded during the « séance solennelle » of the *Académie des sciences* in Paris on **November 22nd 2022**. The following day (**November 23rd 2022**), the laureates will be invited to a ceremony co-organized by the *Académie des sciences* and the Ministry of Science and Technology, also in Paris.



Internal Rules of Committee of the France-Taiwan Scientific Prize

1. Committee Members

- for the Ministry of Science and Technology (MOST)
 - the Minister of MOST or his/her delegate
 - one Deputy Minister of MOST (in charge of academic affairs)
 - at least one member of Academia Sinica
- for the *Académie des sciences*
 - the President of *Académie des sciences* or his/her delegate
 - one *Secrétaire perpétuel* of *Académie des sciences* or his/her delegate
 - at least one member of *Académie des sciences*

2. Venue and date of Committee meeting

The Committee of 2022 Prize will meet on **September 15th 2022** in **Taipei** (if the sanitary situation allows it). The jury is organized by at least three members of the Taiwanese representatives and at least three members belonging to the *Académie des sciences*.

3. Deliberation

The President of the Committee in Taipei is the Head of the Taiwanese representatives, and in Paris is the Head of the French representatives. The quorum is composed of an equal number of members from each side. The result is set by the majority of members.

4. Deliberation results

Results will be announced on **September 30th 2022**.