

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

2018 EAPP European Personality Psychology Early Achievement Award

The EAPP European Personality Psychology Early Achievement Award was established in 2010. Its purpose is to promote personality psychology and to increase the visibility of outstanding young personality psychologists both to the scientific community as well as to the general public. General criteria for EAPP achievement awards are an outstanding program of research and contribution to personality psychology in Europe. The Early Achievement Award is given to a young psychologist whose extraordinary early achievements in personality psychology have already made a significant impact in the field. These achievements are considered in a broad light, including theoretical and empirical approaches as well as a commitment to foster replicable science. The award is given every two years.

The 2018 EAPP European Personality Psychology Early Achievement Award will be presented at the 19th European Conference on Personality that will take place on 17-21 July 2018 in Zadar, Croatia. The winner of the Award receives a plaque, a personal prize of 1,000 Euro, and a one year free membership to the EAPP. The winner will be announced prior to the ECP19 in Zadar and will be invited to give a keynote-type presentation at the conference.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for the Award, candidates must be within **11 years after the PhD at the month of reception of the award**. (Please note that the EAPP Executive Committee decided to change this criterion from 7 to 11 years.) The winner of the Award is expected to attend the ECP19; the registration fee as well as the costs for traveling and accommodation will be sponsored by EAPP. No present member of the EAPP Executive Committee can be nominated for the Award.

Nomination procedure

Nominations for the Award may be submitted by any EAPP member and must be supported by at least one additional EAPP member. The submissions should provide:

1. A supporting statement (no more than 700 words) setting out the nominee's achievements which are considered to merit the award;
2. Curriculum vitae of the nominee (no more than 3500 words or 10 pages PDF).

The Award committee may request further information from the proposer of a nomination.

Award Committee

An Award Committee appointed by the Executive Committee of the EAPP will review all nominations for the EAPP 2018 Early Achievement Award and will decide on a winner. The Award Committee will consist of four members (including a Chair): Prof. Wiebke Bleidorn as previous winner of the Award; Prof. Boris Mlacic as a researcher from the ECP19 hosting country; and Prof. Veronica Benet-Martinez as a further member of the EAPP. The Award Committee will be chaired by Prof. Jaap Denissen.

Deadline for Nominations

Nomination deadline is 15 March 2018 at 12 midnight CET. Nominations should be sent to the Chair of the Awards Committee by email at jjadenissen@gmail.com.