

FHML-MUMC⁺ upcoming Prize alerts

January 2025

February 2025

KNAW Early Career Partnership

KNAW Early Career Partnerships support early-career researchers in forming interdisciplinary collaborations for insights in basic research. Up to ten are awarded annually, funded by the KNAW Academy Fund.

- **Award:** EUR 10,000 to organize an interdisciplinary meeting in the Academy's Trippenhuis complex or another location of their choice.
- **Career phase:** Researcher (with PhD \leq 7 years)
- **Nominator:** Researcher
- **Internal selection:** No
- **Deadline:** February 3, 2025
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Hendrik Muller Prize

The Dr. Hendrik Muller Prize is awarded every two years to a mid-career researcher working in the Netherlands, who has a sustainable link with the Netherlands and has made an outstanding contribution to the humanities or social sciences

- **Award:** EUR 25,000 intended as a contribution to a research project at the laureate's discretion
- **Career Phase:** Mid-career PhD < 15 years ago
- **Nominator:** Dean
- **Internal deadline:** **Please send name, CV and motivation to L. Peters latest February 5, 2025.**
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KNAW Jonge Akademie

The Young Academy is a dynamic and innovative group of top young scientists with outspoken views about science and science policy. The Young Academy organises inspiring activities for various target groups focusing on interdisciplinarity, science policy and the interface between science and society

- **Award:** 5-year membership
- **Career Phase:** Mid-career (PhD < 10 years ago (after April 1, 2015))
- **Nominator:** Rector
- **Internal deadline:** **Please contact your institute director latest February 5, 2025.**
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KNAW Membership

KNAW is a society of excellent NL scientists. Every year the KNAW elects new members to vacant positions. These members are appointed for life. In order to increase the representativeness of the membership, every three years it is analysed whether disciplines, institutions and/or target groups are underrepresented within the KNAW and space is created for underrepresented groups.

- **Award:** membership for life
- **Career phase:** Late-career (Have not reached age 67 by date of appointment)
- **Nominator:** Rector
- **Internal deadline:** **Please contact your institute director latest February 5, 2025.**
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Distinguished NIAZ-Lorentz Fellowship

The Distinguished NIAS-Lorentz Fellowship (DNLF) is awarded annually to a leading researcher to work on innovative research that bridges the humanities and/or social sciences with the natural and/or technological sciences.

- **Award:**
 - A fellowship at NIAS for 5 months between September 2026 – January 2027. It includes a personal study, participation in an interdisciplinary community, communal lunch and, if applicable, subsidized accommodation or travel expenses.
 - A personal stipend or, for scholars affiliated to a Dutch university or research institute, a Dutch University Grant, given to the institution. Both are set on € 2,500 per month.
 - A workshop at the Lorentz Center on the fellowship topic, with full organizational support and a budget of € 20,000.
- **Career Phase:** Leading researcher
- **Nominator:** Dean
- **Internal deadline:** **Please send name, CV and motivation to L. Peters latest February 17, 2024**
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Dutch L'Oréal-Unesco For Women in Science Fellowships

These fellowships support early-mid career women researchers, offering a semester at NIAS-KNAW, Amsterdam, in an interdisciplinary, international setting. Free from administrative and teaching duties, fellows focus on advancing research, publications, or grant proposals.

- **Award:** EUR 30,000
- **Career phase:** Female researchers (with PhD 3-10 years)
- **Nominator:** Researcher
- **Internal selection:** No
- **Deadline:** February 28, 2025
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March 2025

United Europe and Gastroenterology Research Prize

UEG awards €50,000 annually to support impactful digestive health research by established scientists at the peak of their careers.

- **Award:** EUR 50,000
- **Career phase:** Late career researcher
- **Nominator:** Researcher
- **Internal selection:** No
- **Deadline:** March 4, 2025
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Prix Galien Research Award

Awarded to a scientist, or a team of scientists, for direct and substantial contribution to fundamental or clinical drug research.

- **Award:** Eur 5,000 and a gold medal
- **Career phase:** Scientist or team of scientists
- **Nominator:** Dean or researcher
- **Internal selection:** No
- **Deadline:** March 10, 2025
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Josephine Nefkens Prijs

The Josephine Nefkens Prize aims to highlight an outstanding cancer researcher whose groundbreaking research has led to important fundamental insights, improved diagnosis or treatment of cancer for the benefit of patients and/or their caregivers. The laureate may use the prize at his/her discretion to support his/her innovative scientific research.

- **Award:** EUR 100,000 and token
- **Career Phase:** Excellent cancer researcher
- **Nominator:** Dean
- **Internal deadline:** Please send name, CV and motivation to L. Peters latest **March 31, 2025.**
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May 2025

Christiaan Huygens Science Award

The Christiaan Huygens Science Prize honors a young researcher who has made an innovative contribution to space sciences, mathematics or physics in a dissertation.

- **Award:** a bronze statue by Christiaan Huygens and a cash prize of EUR 10,000
- **Career Phase:** PhD candidates who have defended a dissertation in the past three years in the field that is the focus of the award year.
- **Nominator:** Dean, Directors
- **Internal selection:** No
- **Deadline:** t.b.a. - Nominations can be submitted from February 5, 2025
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June 2025

Athena Award

The Athena Award rewards female researchers that stand out, and because of that, are role models for others. Each year max. 2 winners are appointed within the NWO Domain Science (Earth Sciences, Astronomy, Chemistry, Computer Science, Life Sciences, Physics, Mathematics)

- **Award:** EUR 50,000
- **Career Phase:** Female researchers appointed in the fields of science that fall within the NWO Domain Science
- **Nominator:** Only female researchers can submit one or more nominations. However, it is not possible to nominate yourself.
- **Internal decision:** No
- **Deadline:** t.b.a. - Call for nominations will open in March 2025
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