

STYPENDIUM NAUKOWE Ambasady Francji w Polsce za badania z zastosowaniami terapeutycznymi

French Embassy in Poland's scholarship for research in a field with a potential therapeutic application

The French Embassy in Poland, in the context of the Prix Galien Polska 2016, awards a Polish researcher whose work has a potential therapeutic application.

Aim of the contest	The aim of the contest is to award a Polish researcher that developed research with potential therapeutic applications . The laureate will be selected following a poster contest and according to his scientific records .
Eligible candidates	This award concerns Polish researchers under the age of 45 , who are PhD holders and who carried out research in a Polish laboratory (or within the framework of a French Polish cooperation) . The prize addresses all the fields of scientific research that have a potential therapeutic application including pharmaceutical chemistry, biotechnologies, material for medicine and diagnostics.
Prize	The award consists of a one-month research stay in France in 2017 in a public or private laboratory and the round trip to the location of the research stay. The researcher will have his travel costs covered (plane and train), and will receive a monthly allowance of 1 704 euros.
Procedure	Step I : The candidates will send their application file (form, poster, CV, ID or passport and summary of the scientific projects) by email to the email address of the prize of the French Embassy in Poland in the frame of the Prix Galien Polska until the 30 th of September 2016. Step II : A scientific jury will evaluate the scientific quality of the poster and the scientific records based on five scientific publications chosen by the candidate.
Opening of the call for applications	25th of June 2016
Deadline for sending applications	30th of September 2016
Files to download	<i>Required documents for the application (poster template, application form) available in the contest section on the website of the French Institute in Poland (IFP).</i>

#1 General resolutions

1. This award addresses Polish researchers under the age of 45 on 1st of June 2016, who carried out research in a Polish laboratory (or within the framework of French-Polish cooperation).

2. The contest concerns all the fields of scientific research that have a potential therapeutic application including pharmaceutical chemistry, biotechnologies, material for medicine and diagnostics.
3. The award will result of a contest of posters and evaluation of scientific records organized in 2 steps detailed below in the following sections:
 - Application: submission of the applications by 30th of September 2016.
 - Evaluation: examination of the applications by the jury of the contest, which will select the three best applications. The 3 best selected candidates will be invited to the Prix Galien Polska ceremony. The best posters will be published on the website of Institut français.
4. As a result of the contest, the prize will be awarded to the best candidate and given during the Prix Galien Polska ceremony in November 2016. The content and the conditions of awarding of the prize are detailed below.

#2 Applications

1. The candidates will download their application form on the contest page in the website of the French Institute in Poland.
2. The candidates will apply to the contest by sending their application by email to: science.varsovie-amba@diplomatie.gouv.fr

To be considered complete, each application must include:

- The application form
 - 1 CV in English including a selection of 5 scientific publications or patents chosen by the candidate and released in international journals with reading committee (in PDF);
 - A poster in English presenting the scientific research using the template available online (in PDF);
 - A copy of ID card or passport (In PDF);
 - A summary of your scientific projects (in one page maximum) (in PDF).
3. It is not necessary to attach any extra document to the application. Incomplete applications or applications that do not respect the provided models/templates will not be taken into consideration.
 4. The scientific and university cooperation service of the Embassy has the right to exclude applications whose content does not correspond to the topic of the contest or which have been sent after the deadline.
 5. Candidates will be officially registered after examination of the conformity of their application by the French Embassy. The latter will notify to candidates by mail their final

registration and will publish their poster in the dedicated section of the website of the French Institute in Poland.

#3 Selection of candidates

1. The applications will be evaluated by a multidisciplinary jury.
2. The jury will evaluate the applications, based on the following criteria:
 - Quality of the poster: respect of the model, general harmony, clarity, balance between accuracy of the scientific content and accessibility to the general public
 - Potential of the therapeutic applications
 - Scientific quality of the research and originality of the solutions proposed
 - Quality of the scientific records and of the 5 scientific publications chosen by the candidate

#4 Content and procedure of awarding of the prizes

1. The prize :

The award consists in a one-month research stay in France in a public or private laboratory and the round trip to the location of the research stay. The researcher will have his travel costs covered (plane and train), and will receive an allowance for an amount of 1 704 euros.

The research stay has to begin between the 1st of January 2017 and the 1st of December 2017. The laureate must have an invitation letter from a public or private laboratory. The Embassy can help the candidate in his/her research of the most adapted laboratory.

#5 Final resolutions

1. The forthcoming communication concerning the nominated researchers (posters, articles) will mention the prize and its sponsors.
2. Any application will have to respect the terms of the contest rules.
3. The three best candidates will be selected and contacted after the 16th of October.
4. The laureate commits to provide the Scientific and University Cooperation Service of the French Institute in Poland a report of their scientific stay in France within a 1-month delay after the end of their stay. This report will also be transmitted by the scientific and university cooperation service to the business partners. With their agreement for receiving the prize, the laureates cede their copyrights to the organizers and partners of the contest regarding the posters created for the contest, as well as for the reports of their scientific stay in France (videos and photos included). The candidates and allow also the organizers and partners to use their name and surname for communication and promotional purposes for an

indeterminate period. This use does not provide any right for compensation apart from the prize awarded.