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Announcement of the

Franz Viehböck Young Investigator Prize 2020

Each year the Institute of Applied Physics at the TU Wien awards the Franz Viehböck Young Investigator Prize. This Prize carries the name of the founder of our institute, Prof. Franz Viehböck (director 1966 – 1987). It is endowed with EURO 1.000,- . The prize money can be used to cover travel expenses for conference visits or stays abroad at the discretion of the prize winner.

E-mail application

All students who are working on their masters thesis in October 2020 at the Institute for Applied Physics, or who are in their first or second year of their doctoral studies, and who are supervised by a university teacher of the Institute, can register for the Prize. To do so, please send an informal e-mail to the Institute's director aumayr@iap.tuwien.ac.at. Deadline for applications is **November 1, 2020**.

Submission

The applicants need to design a poster about their scientific work. Poster dimensions: landscape format; max. width: 100 cm, max. height: 76 cm (suitable for an institute showcase/display window). All applicants will be assigned an institute showcase, which is to be filled with a scientific poster by **Thursday, November 19, 2020**. Since the current situation makes a poster session in presence impossible, the posters must be presented "virtually" this year. For this purpose, a QR code has to be attached to each poster, the link of which leads to a (max.) 5-minute video in which the applicant explains his/her poster.

Selection procedure

The decision on the winner will be made by a jury after viewing the posters and hearing the explanation videos. The jury consists of one representative from each research division of the institute, nominated by the head of the respective division. Selection criteria include the quality of the scientific work, general comprehensibility of the presentation in the video, visual design of the poster, and originality. The jury will make its decision after detailed discussion in a vote on **Friday, 27.11.2020**. The decision of the jury is final and cannot be appealed.

Award ceremony

The winner will be announced on the institute's news page in December 2020.

For the Institute of Applied Physics

Univ. Prof. Dr. Friedrich Aumayr
Institutsvorstand
Vienna, Oct. 3rd, 2020