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| Deadline | Wed 30 Nov 2022 23:59 CET (IOCB deadline Wed 16 Nov 2022 if you require an IOCB recommendation letter) |
| Competition name | Cena Wernera von Siemense 2022: Nejvýznamnější výsledek základního výzkumu /Werner von Siemens Award 2022: The Most Important Basic Research Result |
| www | https://www.cenasiemens.cz/vedci |
| Organiser | Siemens, s.r.o., Siemensova 1, 155 00 Praha 13 - Stodůlky, www.siemens.cz cenasiemens.cz@siemens.com |
| Focused on | Competition for young researchers or team of researchers up to the age of 40 years to award the most important result (publication) of basic research. In case of a team result, one member of the team may be over the age of 40. |
| Applicant | 1-X researchers from Czech public or private research institutions |
| Criteria | <p>The age limit of 40 years is on the date of the call deadline, career breaks are excluded from this limit; the limit can be extended by 3 years per child (length of maternity/parental leave must be confirmed with a solemn declaration).</p> <p>In case of a team result, one member of the team may be over the age of 40.</p> <p>Only a published (finished) research result can be submitted to the competition. The research result was published between 01 Jan 2018 and 30 Nov 2022.</p> <p>A project description is a mandatory part of the application.</p> <p>There are no limits of number of applications per one institution.</p> <p>Team members can be part of an unlimited number of applications, only one application per team leader can be submitted.</p> <p>All team members have to agree with the submission of the result to the competition and with the processing of their personal data.</p> <p>The research quality of the result and the contribution to the current state of knowledge are the main evaluation criteria.</p> <p><u>The special award of the CEO of Siemens for Excellence in Women's Scientific Work:</u></p> <p>All published results by women who ranked first in the Best Diploma Thesis, Best Dissertation, Most Important Basic Research Result are automatically included in the evaluation. They may be nominated on the recommendation of expert juries if the work is exceptional in any way.</p> |
| Institution | Public or private research institutions in the Czech Republic, no limits |
| IOCB contact | If you require a Recommendation Letter from the IOCB, contact the IOCB Project Office by 16 Nov 2022 to request one. |
| Call opens | August 2022 |
| IOCB deadline | Wed 16 Nov 2022 16:00 (relevant only if the applicant wants to receive an IOCB Recommendation Letter) |
| Final deadline | Wed 30 Nov 2022 23:59 CET |
| Oral presentation | None |
| Evaluation results | 31 Jan 2023 |
| Awarding ceremony | Mar 2023 (the exact term and form will be specified on the website www.cenasiemens.cz with regard to the current conditions) |
| Awards | 300 000 CZK (1 award per year) The prize will be sent to the Czech bank account of the awardee by 30 Apr 2023. |
| Language of application | Czech or English or Slovak |
| Application consists of | <p>Online application in Czech</p> <p>https://soutez.cenasiemens.cz/nejvyznamejsi-vysledek-zakladniho-vyzkumu/</p> <p>1) Online application form: (i) Research team: group leader & other team members (including % contribution to the result, H index, description of contribution to the result (800 characters)); (ii) Research work (publication): name, short description (max 1800 characters), importance & contribution of the work (max 200 words) (main applicant)</p> <p>2) Research publication/result (mandatory, uploaded in PDF) (main applicant)</p> <p>3) Confirmation of the date of the first publication & citation report (mandatory, uploaded in PDF) (main applicant)</p> <p>4) IOCB Recommendation Letter (optional, uploaded in PDF) (Project Office)</p> <p>5) Solemn declaration confirming length of maternity/parental leave (if required, uploaded on PDF) (main applicant)</p> |

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| Research areas | Natural sciences (incl. medicine), engineering, IT |
| Download documents | Cena Siemens 2022 Basic Research_Summary Cena Siemens 2022_Guidelines (cz) |