



Deadline	<b>Mon 04 Mar 2024 (IOCB deadline Wed 28 Feb 2024)</b>
Competition name	<b>Joseph Fourier Prize for Computer Sciences 2024</b>
www	<a href="#">IFP</a>
Organiser	Eviden / Embassy of France in the Czech Republic
Focused on	Competition to award the best PhD research work in computer sciences
Applicant	PhD student, postdoc
Criteria	<p>=&gt; currently enrolled in a PhD study at a Czech institution or has defended his/her PhD in 2023 or 2024;</p> <p>=&gt; of Czech or Slovak nationality;</p> <p>=&gt; younger than 33 years on 01 May 2024;</p> <p>=&gt; author of at least one scientific article published or accepted for publication in a peer-reviewed international journal;</p> <p>=&gt; his/her PhD study does not collude with any work for the Eviden company</p> <p>An Internship must take place in a French research centre (selected by awardee). Awardee must confirm an internship to the French Embassy by 31 Jan 2025, and the internship must be completed before 31 Dec 2025.</p> <p>The support must be used for the internship and not for a postdoc contract.</p>
Institution	Institution of research and higher education in the Czech Republic
IOCB contact	Veronika Palečková, <a href="mailto:veronika.paleckova@uochb.cas.cz">veronika.paleckova@uochb.cas.cz</a> , +420 220 183 266
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AVCR selection	<p><b>Stage 1:</b> Pre-selection by the CAS based on the pre-applications. Max. two applicants from the CAS institutes can be nominated for stage 2. CAS contact: Ms. Jana Whalen; email: <a href="mailto:whalen@kav.cas.cz">whalen@kav.cas.cz</a>; 221 403 354;</p> <p><b>Stage 2:</b> Nationwide Finals by the French Institute in Prague based on a full application package; IFP contact: Mr. Louis Augendre; email: <a href="mailto:louis.augendre@ifp.cz">louis.augendre@ifp.cz</a>; tel: 221 401 003</p>
Final deadline	<p><b>Stage 1: Mon 04 Mar 2024</b> for the CAS pre-selection</p> <p><b>Stage 2: Tue 09 Apr 2024</b> for the Nationwide Finals – IFP</p>
Oral presentation	<b>May 2024</b> – Applicant will present their PhD research to the committee. Presentation shall be held in English
Evaluation results	Within a week after selection committee's meeting
Awarding ceremony	<b>June 2024</b> in Prague, French Embassy – Buquoy Palace
Awards	<p>1st Prize: 65,000 CZK and a stipend for a one-month internship in France</p> <p>2nd Prize: 40,000 CZK and a stipend for a one-month internship in France</p> <p>3rd Prize: 25,000 CZK</p> <p>A special Prize IT4Innovation: (awarded in partnership with IT4Innovations) – given access to 250,000 normalised core hours on supercomputers in Ostrava. This special prize is independent of the prizes above.</p>
Language of application	English and Czech
Application consists of	<p><b>Stage 1: Pre-application for the CAS</b> 04 Mar 2024)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Professional CV in English (incl. grants and awards received)</li> <li>2) List of publications (incl. IF and quartile)</li> <li>3) Annotation of the project that the candidate would present before the jury (max 0.5 page)</li> </ol> <p>All these documents must be sent by applicant via the IOCB Project Office to the CAS Head Office.</p> <p><b>Stage 2: Final application for prize organiser</b> (09 Apr 2024)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Applicant's contact information</li> <li>2) Academic CV, including a list of publications with their ranking (in English)</li> <li>3) Summary of the research project that the candidate would present before the jury (max 0.5 page; in Czech and in English)</li> <li>4) Presentation of research activities and applicability prospects. The references can be indicated on additional pages (Word; max 5 pages; incl. figures; in English)</li> <li>5) Signed letter of recommendation written by the applicant's scientific supervisor, presenting both the student and his/her research work</li> </ol>

	<p>All these documents should be put in PDF and sent by applicant in one zip file via e-mail to: <a href="mailto:louis.augendre@ifp.cz">louis.augendre@ifp.cz</a></p> <p>The title of the email and file should be as follow: "Fourier- First letter of First name.Last name–IOCB CAS"</p> <p>The candidate must also register via <a href="#">online application</a></p>
Research areas	Computer Sciences: Artificial intelligence, computer systems and networks, cyber security, databases systems, human computer interaction, vision and graphics, numerical analysis, programming languages, software engineering, bioinformatics and theory of computing
Download documents	<p>Fourier-Prize_2024_Summary</p> <p>Fourier-Prize_2024_Guidelines</p>