

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce that *Genes* is now inviting nominations for one 2022 Young Investigator Awards in Human Genomics and Genetic Diseases. This prize will be given to two young investigators in recognition of their excellence in different areas of research on Human Genomics and Genetic Diseases. All nominations will be assessed by an Evaluation Committee led by the Editor-in-Chief, Prof. Dr. Peter W. Young.

The Prize:

- 2000 CHF (Swiss Francs) for each winner;
- The option to publish one paper free of charge in *Genes* after peer review before the end of 31 October 2023.

Eligibility and Requirements:

- Must be under 40 years of age or have received their Ph.D. no more than 8 years prior to 31 October 2021;
- Must have produced ground-breaking research and a significant contribution to the advancement of genetics and genomics research;
- Candidates must be nominated by their supervisor(s), research director, or department head.

List of Documents for Nomination:

- Detailed Curriculum Vitae, including an updated publication list and a list of the researcher's own research grants;
- A copy of a birth certificate or other proof of age;
- Scanned copy of doctorate certificate;
- Signed nomination letters from two established senior scientists.

Schedule:

- Open for nominations: March 2022;
- Nomination deadline: 31 October 2022;
- Winners announced: December 2022.

How to submit nominations?

The nominations must be submitted online.

2022 YOUNG INVESTIGATOR



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