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CAROLINE VON HUMBOLDT-PRIZE 2022



awarded by Humboldt-Universität zu
Berlin to post-doctoral female scientists

All nominations are to be submitted –
in electronic format and in English
or German – no later than
30th April 2022

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CAROLINE VON HUMBOLDT-PRIZE

Caroline von Humboldt (1766-1829) was a self-confident, well-educated woman, who loved the arts. She was married to Wilhelm von Humboldt for almost 40 years. As an avid letter-writer, patron of the arts, and salonière she became a highly regarded critic and observer of her time.

The first Caroline von Humboldt-Prize was awarded in 2010 by Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin. This is the first research award by the University, that is exclusively dedicated to female scientists. Moreover, it is one of the highest-paying awards of its kind. The award recognises an excellent female scientist and offers funding for a research project. The prize money enables the award winner to conduct her research as part of a research group at Humboldt-Universität (Scientist in Residence).

The Caroline von Humboldt-Prize is designed to offer sustainable support to exceptional female scientists active in any field of research and to provide more recognition for the outstanding achievements of women in science.

SELECTION COMMITTEE

Recipients are chosen by an independent selection committee presided by the Vice President for Research at Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin.

ELIGIBILITY

Eligible are female scientists who graduated within the last seven years and who do not yet hold tenured professorships.

PROCEDURE

Candidates for the award may be nominated by professors of universities and non-university research institutions. Furthermore, submissions should also include a letter of agreement by the respective project manager at Humboldt-Universität.



Mildred Harnack



Lise Meitner

Paula Hertwig

Nominations should include the following

- Motivation of nomination
- Personal data (name, address, CV)
- Scientific vita
- Professional qualifications
- Past and current collaborations
- Publications
- Teaching achievements
- Description of current project (maximum of 5 pages)
- Abstract of current project (maximum of 400 words)
- Desired scientific group (Scientist in Residence program)

Closing date for nominations (receipt) 30th April 2022

Send nominations to:
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