



64TH LINDAU NOBEL LAUREATE MEETING – ACCOMODATION GRANTS FOR EUSJA MEMBERS

The Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings and the European Union of Science Journalists' Associations EUSJA have agreed to support the participation of EUSJA member journalists in the 64th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting.

The meeting – dedicated to the Nobel Prize discipline of Physiology/Medicine – will be held at Lindau, Germany, from 28 June to 4 July 2014. More than 30 Nobel Laureates have announced their participation. They will meet approximately 600 aspiring undergraduates, PhD students, and post-docs from about 80 countries. Numerous lectures, panels, discussion sessions, and master classes, as well as a diversified programme of fringe events will account for an inspiring week of exchange and networking.

EUSJA member journalists interested in reporting about the meeting can now apply for accommodation grants covering a four-night's stay at a hotel in Lindau (additional nights may be booked at one's own expense).

Conditions

Employed science journalists as well as freelance science journalists are eligible to apply for the grants. All applicants shall clearly define their specific journalistic interest in the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings. Further, all applicants shall indicate their media affiliation or indicate for which media they intend to cover the meeting.

Application Process

Please send – via your national association – an email with your application (consisting of a short CV and a motivation statement indicating your specific journalistic interests) to Mrs Viola Egikova, Vice-President of EUSJA by 14 April 2014 (deadline).

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All applicants will receive an answer to their application as soon as the organisers will have made their selection.



64th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting

Lindau, Germany, 29 June – 4 July 2013

The scientific programme will be dedicated to physiology/medicine.

34 Nobel Laureates have announced their participation (as of 10 February 2014):

Peter Agre, Werner Arber, Françoise Barré-Sinoussi, Bruce Beutler, J. Michael Bishop, Elizabeth Blackburn, Aaron Ciechanover, Steven Chu, Johann Deisenhofer, Sir Martin J. Evans, Edmond Fischer, Walter Gilbert, Harald zur Hausen, Jules Hoffmann, Robert Huber, Sir R. Timothy Hunt, Brian Kobilka, Jean-Marie Lehn, Hartmut Michel, Ferid Murad, Erwin Neher, Richard Roberts, Bert Sakmann, Randy Schekman, Hamilton Smith, Oliver Smithies, Thomas Steitz, Roger Y. Tsien, John Walker, Arie Warshel, Torsten Wiesel, Kurt Wüthrich, Ada Yonath, Rolf Martin Zinkernagel

Approximately 600 young researchers from around 80 countries will be selected to participate.

For more information please visit: www.lindau-nobel.org

The Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings

Since 1951, the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings have been bringing together the most esteemed scientists of their times with outstanding young scientists from all over the world. The meetings focus alternately on physiology/medicine, physics, chemistry, and economic sciences.

Every summer around 30 Nobel Laureates and approximately 600 young scientists from about 80 countries meet in the Southern German town of Lindau for one week – to learn from each other, to exchange knowledge, ideas, and experience, to share their enthusiasm for science, and to make valuable new contacts. The young scientists have to pass a multi-step international selection process in order to get the once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to participate in a Lindau Meeting. They stand at the beginning of their careers and strive for excellence in their fields.

In Lindau, lectures, discussion sessions, panels, and science master classes account for the major part of every meeting programme. But the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings deliberately offer an opportunity for inspiration and reflections, for personal encounters and intense talks – in that they distinguish themselves from common scientific conferences. Alongside cutting-edge research, universally important issues like sustainability or the responsibility of scientists in and for the society are of utmost significance for the meetings.

The meetings are organised jointly by the council founded in 1954 and the foundation established in 2000. However, they originate from an initiative of the two Lindau physicians Franz Karl Hein and Gustav Wilhelm Parade, and Count Lennart Bernadotte, a member of the Swedish royal family residing on Mainau



Island in Lake Constance. The first meeting in 1951 – a congress of physicians that was attended by seven Nobel Laureates from Denmark, Sweden, Switzerland, the United States, and Germany – provided a significant impulse to the European scientific dialogue after World War II. Ever since, the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings have evolved into an international forum for scientific debate on issues of global importance, gaining many partners and supporters around the world.

The leitmotif “Educate. Inspire. Connect.” not only applies to the meetings, it also determines the societal commitment of the organisers. Numerous projects convey the fascination of science and research, provide food for thought, and stimulate public debates.

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