Evaluation Talent Award 2021

Information for Nominations

# Focus

The Austrian Council for Research and Technology Development and the Austrian Platform for Research and Technology Policy Evaluation jointly present the first edition of the **Evaluation Talent Award**, which is intended to contribute to making the importance of evaluations for evidence-based policy-making more visible to the public. The award is given 1-2 years for an outstanding evaluator research, technology and innovation (RTI) policy evaluation. It is intended to give young evaluation talents the opportunity to position themselves in the relevant community. Focus is on Austrian evaluators or international peers with evaluation activities in Austria.

The **Evaluation Talent Award** awards a prize money of € 2.000 which is dedicated to training measures. The award winner and his/her achievements will be publicised within the professional community in an award ceremony as well as to an interested public (media relations). A professionally short film and a photo series will be produced to present the achievements in RTI policy evaluation greater in detail. The awardee will be announced in the **fteval Journal for Research and Technology Policy Evaluation**.

# Awarding Process

The award winner will be selected by a jury consisting of renowned evaluators as well as evaluation commissioners and/or other stakeholders from the field of RTI policy (with Austrian/German-speaking focus). The jury is chaired by the Austrian Council for Research and Technology Development.

If you know an evaluator at your institution or in your research environment whom you would like to nominate, please send us a **letter of recommendation** and a **Curriculum Vitae** of the person by **15 August 2021** to [award@fteval.at](mailto:award@fteval.at).

# Layout and Requirements

The letter of recommendation includes a description of the nominee’s outstanding achievements in the field of RTI policy evaluation and, if applicable, a reference to one or more evaluation studies and the role and responsibility the nominee had in conducting these. We encourage to include a holistic view on the nominees’ profile and her/his ambitions in the field. The nominated person should not be older than 38 years (times of parental leaves may accounted for).

The Curriculum Vitae must follow the structure suggested in the Annex below.

# Timeline

* **Nominations** will be collected until **15 August 2021**.
* The Jury will convene and present their **award decision by early September 2021**.
* The **award ceremony** will be part of the **REvaluation Conference 2021**, taking place 18-19 November 2021 in Vienna, Austria. More information on the conference can be found here: <https://revaluation2021.eu/>

# Contact

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ANNEX:

**CV Template for a Evaluation Talent Award Nomination** (see next page)

**Name [middle-initial]. Family-Name**

**Curriculum Vitae**

# Nominee Data

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| --- | --- |
| Title(s) |  |
| Affiliation |  |
| ORCID |  |
| E-Mail |  |
| Phone |  |
| Post Address |  |
| Social Media |  |

# Education and Professional Profile related to Evaluation

Please provide bullet points:

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| Education and training |  |
| Previous affiliations |  |
| Relevant experience |  |
| Methods applied |  |
| Previous awards/ honours |  |
| Contributions  list not only publications, but also lectures, science communication activities, etc. |  |

# Evaluations

**Evaluation Study I**

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| Title |  |
| Period of execution |  |
| Date of publication |  |
| Client |  |
| fteval Repository link  (If available) | http://repository.fteval.at/id/eprint/xxx |
| Author keywords |  |
| Goals of the Study |  |
| Methods applied |  |
| Role of the nominee |  |

**Evaluation Study II** [please copy as many as needed]

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Together with the CV, please submit a **letter of recommendation** including a description of the nominee’s outstanding achievements in the field of RTI policy evaluation and, if applicable, a reference to one or more evaluation studies and the role the nominee had in conducting these.

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