

Announcements

Friedrich Miescher-Award 1991

To commemorate the 100-year anniversary of the discovery of nucleic acids the Swiss Society for Biochemistry has created the Friedrich Miescher-Award. The prize is intended to honour young biochemists and is donated by the Friedrich Miescher-Institute of Ciba Geigy Inc. in Basel.

Excerpts from the statutes:

1. The Friedrich Miescher-Award may be awarded once every year to a young scientist for outstanding achievements in biochemistry.
2. Preference will be given to candidates not older than 35 years. Only candidates who have not reached the age of 40 years on January 1st, 1991, are eligible.
3. The scientific work must have been carried out in Switzerland or by Swiss scientists abroad.

Applications or nominations of candidates should be submitted by November 1, 1990 to the secretary of the Swiss Society for Biochemistry:

PD Dr. H. Sigrist, Institut für Biochemie, Freiestrasse 3, CH-3012, Bern, Switzerland.

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