



ANNOUNCEMENT

SISFA Best Paper Prize 2017 for papers in the History of Physics or History of Astronomy, published by under 35 Authors in recognised journals of the field

For the year 2017 the Italian Society for the History of Physics and Astronomy (SISFA) announces a single Best Paper Prize selection for papers in the History of Physics or History of Astronomy, with a maximum of two Authors, published in recognised journals of the field within the deadline specified below by Author/Co-author under the age of 35 within the same deadline. The prize amounts to € 500 net (DPR 430/2001, art. 6).

Applications for the Prize are open to all Authors/Co-authors willing to submit a paper as specified above and enjoying the required age conditions within the established deadline.

The Prize, full or divisible into two equal parts in case of winning contributions by two under 35 Co-authors submitting separate applications for the same paper, will be awarded by a Commission composed of three members, selected by the Directing Board of SISFA and nominated by the President. The Commission decisions cannot be questioned and will be submitted to the Directing Board of SISFA for approval. In case of equal ranking of Authors/Co-authors submitting different papers, the Prize will be attributed by the Directing Board of SISFA to the youngest Author/Co-author.

The Prize will be awarded to the winner/s during the SISFA Annual Congress 2018. The winner/s will be invited to attend this Congress and give an oral presentation illustrating the contents of the awarded paper/s.

The Prize winner/s will be also offered the 2018 Congress participation and the 2018 SISFA membership.

Authors/Co-authors willing to apply for the Prize must **fill in the Application form on page 2 of this Announcement** and send it, in digital format only, at the email address indicated below.

Candidates must also send, in digital format only:

- 1) copy of the paper chosen for the selection,
- 2) curriculum vitae et studiorum, with list of publications.

All the data declared in the Application form and in the accompanying Curriculum vitae et studiorum with list of publications have to be certified filling in the **Self-declaration affidavit on page 3 of this Announcement** (DPR 445/2000, art. 47).

The Application form, the accompanying documents and the Self-declaration affidavit must be sent, in digital format only, via email to the SISFA Secretary: roberto.mantovani@uniurb.it, within the **deadline December 31, 2017, 12 p.m.**

The winner/s are not entitled to apply for future editions of the same Prize.

If not awarded by the Commission, the Prize will be allocated for the following year.

Pavia, July 31, 2017

SISFA President
Lucio Fregonese

SISFA Secretary
Roberto Mantovani

APPLICATION FORM

SISFA Best Paper Prize 2017 for papers in the History of Physics or Astronomy, published by under 35 authors in recognized journals of the field (see Prize selection conditions described above)

Please, fill in the boxes typing the text or using black ink

* = boxes mandatory to be filled in

Presentation deadline: 12 p.m. December 31, 2017

at the e-mail address: roberto.mantovani@uniurb.it

DATA	
*Name - Surname	*
*Place of birth (Town/Country)	*
*Date of birth	*
*Permanent residence address	*
*e-mail address	*
Phone number	
Institution Address	
Current professional position	
*Place and date	*
*Signature	*

***IF APPLYING AS CO-AUTHOR OF A PAPER WRITTEN TOGETHER WITH ANOTHER AUTHOR (the latter applying or not for the Prize), the Candidate/s must supply all the necessary elements to recognise his/her/their own contributions and the form of cooperation with the other Author (max. 500 words) [omission of this piece of information entails exclusion from the selection procedure]:**

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SELF-DECLARATION AFFIDAVIT^{a)}

(Dichiarazione sostitutiva dell'atto di notorietà, art. 47, D.P.R. n. 445/2000)

I, the undersigned (Name) _____ (Surname) _____

place of birth (Town/State) _____ date of birth _____

permanent residence address _____

e-mail address _____

aware of the consequences of making false statements, falsehood of acts and use of false facts, punishable by law according to D.P.R. 445/2000, and informed that the data supplied will be used in accordance with the privacy protection rules established by D.lgs 196/2003, under my own responsibility

DECLARE^{b)}

Place _____ date _____

SIGNATURE^{c)}

a) According to art. 47 of D.P.R. n. 445/2000, citizens, under their responsibility, are allowed to use a Self-declaration affidavit instead of an affidavit attested by a public officer to declare personal states, facts and qualifications directly known to them.

b) [e.g.: "I declare that the attached copies of the Application form and of the Curriculum vitae et studiorum with list of publications contain only true information" (please mention all the documents)].

c) The Self-certification affidavit must be signed by the candidate and accompanied by a scan of each face of a valid identity document with photo.