

The APFCB Young Scientists Award Competition 2024

Objective:

The APFCB Young Scientist Award is a financial support of young scientist to attend IFCC meetings, which is conducted by the APFCB through its Education Committee with the following objectives:

1. Foster scientific potential of young scientists within the Asia-Pacific region,
2. As a means of aiding and encouraging young scientists in written and oral communication of their research results

Eligibility:

1. Scientists under the age of 40 on 26 May 2024 (opening of IFCC-WORLDLAB 2024 in Dubai, United Arab Emirates)
2. Scientists whose abstract have been accepted by IFCC-WORLDLAB 2024 but they have no any other financial support awarded for this congress.
3. Researcher must reside in the Asia Pacific region (all Asian countries except Arab region), Australasia, or Pacific islands, and must be a member of local APFCB member societies.

Requirements:

The selection process will take place starting April 1, 2024 with the following conditions:

1. Submission of an abstract accepted by IFCC-WORLDLAB 2024 is required and assessed by APFCB Education Committee.
2. The applicant should be the single author of the submitted abstract, or the first author or correspondence author in a group research project.
3. The copy of the first page of applicant' s passport is required as a proof of age.
4. A supporting letter by the applicant' s supervisor should be provided, which should confirm the membership of applicant in the local APFCB member society.
5. Each applicant may submit more than one abstract if all of them have been accepted by IFCC-WORLDLAB 2024.
6. All the submissions must include a title page with the following information: title of the paper, name of scientist, affiliation name and address, researcher' s email address and name, address and email address of the sponsor who endorses the project.
7. Deadline of submission is March 31, 2024
8. The APFCB Education Committee will be in charge for determining the winners of this competition. All submissions shall be addressed to: Prof Wei Cui, Chair of APFCB Education Committee, email address: wendycuiwei@sina.cn

Successful candidates:

1. There will be 5 (five) winners selected from all submitted papers.
2. The five successful candidates will be invited to the IFCC-WORLDLAB 2024 in

Dubai, United Arab Emirates, from May 26–30, 2024. Registration fee will be waived. Additionally, expenses of the winner will be covered to a limit of SGD 2,500, including travel and hotel expenses. The travel specifically refers to economy class flight and the hotel charge is limited to four nights and 120 SGD per night.

3. All the winners will be invited to attend 3rd IFCC Forum for Young Scientists in Dubai on May 26 with free registration.

The APFCB encourages scientists under the age of 40 to participate in this competition, through which they will have unique opportunities to learn a crucial part of scientific work which is communicating their work to others.