



**FABIANE CARVALHO MIRANDA INTERNATIONAL PRIZE**  
**ASOCIACIÓN COLIBRÍ DE ESCLEROSIS MÚLTIPLE DE SANTA POLA - UNIVERSIDAD**  
**MIGUEL HERNÁNDEZ DE ELCHE**  
**BIOLOGY OF MYELIN AND MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS CATEGORY 2017**

A call by the “Asociación Colibrí de Esclerosis Múltiple de Santa Pola” in collaboration with the “Universidad Miguel Hernández de Elche”, for the The Fabiane Carvalho Miranda International Prize to encourage and recognize scientific research in the field of biology of myelin and Multiple Sclerosis.

**AIM**

This prize is aimed at researchers (*not associations*) that have published in scientific journals in 2015 and 2016. Innovation will be valued as well as its applicability.

**PRIZE**

The “Asociación Colibrí de Esclerosis Múltiple de Santa Pola will award a biennial amount of 1000 euros.

**PRESENTATION TO THE CALL AND ELIGIBILITY**

Proposals must be sent by e-mail to the following address: [premiofabianemiranda@umh.es](mailto:premiofabianemiranda@umh.es), quoting: **Fabiane Carvalho Miranda International Prize**.

The deadline for applications is June 30, 2017 at 23:59.

If the winner is unable to attend the award ceremony, he/she must submit a video with a brief presentation of the work (2 minutes maximum) to the Association to be presented at the award ceremony in September 2017 in Santa Pola (Alicante), Spain.

**REQUIREMENTS**

The following documentation IS MANDATORY for each applications :

- Copy of the article in pdf format, including the following information: authorship, year of publication, title, journal where it has been published, volume, number, initial and final page, DOI.
- [Annex I: Fabiane Carvalho Miranda International Prize Form.](#)

- [Annex II: Co-authors' consent.](#)
- Candidates' CV , maximum 4 pages, providing relevant information to support his/her application e.g.: projects, publications, etc ...
- Photocopy of the national identity document, passport or identity card.
- The documentation must be submitted in Spanish, Portuguese or English, except for official documents that can be submitted in the language of origin.

#### **PRIZE ASSESSMENT CRITERIA**

The submitted works must have been published between January 1, 2015 and December 31, 2016. The following criteria will be assessed:

- Degree of innovation.
- Results obtained.
- Contribution of the candidate to the published work.
- Generalization of the results obtained: reproducibility / replicability.
- Applicability / utility of results.
- Impact and quality of the article.

#### **JURY**

The jury will be appointed by the “Asociación Colibrí de Esclerosis Múltiple de Santa Pola” and the “Universidad Miguel Hernández de Elche”, and its decision will be published during the month of July 2017.

The prize can be declared void and the decision of the jury will be final.

The result of the prize will be communicated personally to the winner and will be published on the website of the Association ([www.acemsantapola.org](http://www.acemsantapola.org)) and through the communication channels of the “Universidad Miguel Hernández de Elche”.

The jury will have full competence in the decision. The names of the members of the jury will be made public and will appear on the websites with the announcement of this call. All members of the jury must sign a declaration of conflict of interest.

Applying for this call implies acceptance of the above requirements

Santa Pola, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2017