

John Kendrew Young Scientist Award Information and 2023 Application Form

The award

The John Kendrew Award (JKA) has been created to honour EMBL's first Director General. The award consists of a gold-plated medal, a cash prize of €10,000 and the logistical costs of bringing the winner to EMBL Heidelberg to present a talk at the Award Ceremony on EMBL Lab Day. The JKA is given once annually by the EMBL Alumni Association e.V. and is sponsored by Roland Specker.

The achievement

The JKA recognises excellence in science and/or science communication AFTER leaving EMBL.

Who can apply

Applications are open to all former members of the EMBL International PhD Programme (EIPP) or postdoctoral fellows, two to seven years AFTER leaving EMBL (between 2015 and 2020 for the 2023 award), who are registered members of the EMBL Alumni Association. If your application is unsuccessful in a given year, it can be resubmitted in the subsequent years that you are eligible. We also welcome nominations for the award by any member of the EMBL community. Nominees will be contacted by the EMBL Alumni Relations Office.

How to apply

Applicants should complete and submit the application form together with the additional documents listed herein by **30 September 2022**. Applications should be sent to the EMBL Alumni Relations Office by email (alumni@embl.org) or by post to the mailing address indicated in the footer.

Selection panel

The selection panel is composed of members of the EMBL Alumni Association Board.

Award Ceremony

The award ceremony will take place at EMBL Heidelberg on Friday 7 July 2023.

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Application deadline: 30 September 2022

Applicants should complete and submit this application form **together with**:

- a summary of your scientific research accomplishments since leaving EMBL (no more than 300 words)
- a summary of your efforts (if any) since leaving EMBL in the area of science communication, technology development, general community or extracurricular activities (no more than 300 words)
- a CV including details of your time spent at EMBL.

CV Instruction for Research Outputs:

EMBL supports fair and responsible research assessment, which includes its alumni awards processes. We recognise a range of research outputs, discourage inappropriate use of proxies such as journal impact factors, and value research outputs based on their intrinsic merit. EMBL is a signatory of the San Francisco Declaration on Research Assessment (DORA).

As well as listing publications, research outputs can include open data sets, databases, code, software, pre-prints, patents, commercial products, instruments, clinical practice developments, educational products, policy publications, and any other relevant outputs to which you have contributed.

Please avoid mention of impact factors or H indexes. You may consider a broad range of impact measures directly related to the research output item, including qualitative indicators of research impact such as influence on policy and practice.

We do not encourage joint applications, but outstanding collaborative achievements may be considered.

Applications should be emailed or posted to the Alumni Relations Office no later than **30 September 2022**.

1. Personal Details

Title

First name

Surname

Different surname while at EMBL (if applicable)

Gender Male Female Non binary

Nationality

2. Current Work Details

Current work position

Current work institution

Current work address

Postcode

City

Country

Phone *(including country code)*

E-mail

URL of your homepage

3. EMBL Details

At EMBL from (mm/yy)

At EMBL until (mm/yy)

Your main EMBL Unit

Your main EMBL Group

Your main EMBL position

4. Referees

Please provide details of three referees who are familiar with and qualified to comment on your achievements since leaving EMBL. We will follow-up with referees of shortlisted candidates only.

Referee 1

Full name *(including title)*

Current position

Name of institute

Address of institute

E-mail

Phone *(including country code)*

Referee 2

Full name *(including title)*

Current position

Name of institute

Address of institute

E-mail

Phone *(including country code)*

Referee 3

Full name *(including title)*

Current position

Name of institute

Address of institute

E-mail

Phone *(including country code)*