

W&R Best Paper Award 2024

The Faculty of Management, Economics & Law is proud to announce the Best Paper Award 2024 sponsored by “Verein zur Förderung der Wirtschafts- und Rechtswissenschaften”. The award will be given to an early-career scientist¹ who has published an outstanding research paper in a SSCI- or SCI-listed journal. The winner of this award will receive an amount of 2,000 Euros (pre-tax).

Who is eligible to apply?

In order to be eligible for the award, an academic unit of the Faculty of Management, Economics & Law has to be the primary affiliation of the winner.

What has to be submitted?

Early-career scientists who have either published a paper or whose paper got accepted in the period from **July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024** should submit (a) the paper and (b) their CV. If the paper is not yet available online, the applicant should additionally submit a copy of the acceptance letter.

How will the decision be made?

The winner will be selected by a two-stage process: First, an internal committee will do a preselection of papers. The internal committee will be chaired by the Dean (Univ.-Prof. Mag. Dr. Margaretha Gansterer). In the second stage, the final decision will be made by a scientific advisory board consisting of international renowned experts in the fields of Management, Economics, and Law.

Submission deadline: June 30th, 2024

Where to submit? Please submit your documents electronically to DekanInWR@aau.at.

Information on the committee's decision: September, 2024

Award ceremony: November, 2024

Univ.-Prof. Mag. Dr. Margaretha Gansterer

Dean

Univ.-Prof. MMag. Dr. Johannes Heinrich

Vice Dean

Univ.-Prof. Dipl.-Ing. Dr. Martin Wagner

Vice Dean

¹ **Definition:** The term "early career scientists" covers the group of academic staff members up to the point of completing their habilitation. A list of personnel categories is only available in German (legally binding language).

Laut Universitäts- und Hochschulstatistik- und Bildungsdokumentationsverordnung - UHSBV, Anlage 9, Z 3.6 Verwendung (<https://www.ris.bka.gv.at/eli/bgbl/ii/2022/301/ANL9/NOR40255058>) sind folgende Personalkategorien dabei zu berücksichtigen:

16: wissenschaftliche/r und künstlerische/r Mitarbeiter/in mit selbständiger Lehre und Forschung und Entwicklung/Entwicklung und Erschließung der Künste

21: wissenschaftliche/r und künstlerische/r Mitarbeiter/in ohne selbständige Lehre

24: wissenschaftliche/r und künstlerische/r Projektmitarbeiter/in an Vorhaben gemäß § 26 Abs. 6 UG

25: wissenschaftliche/r und künstlerische/r Projektmitarbeiter/in an Vorhaben gemäß § 27 Abs. 1 Z 3 UG

26: Senior Scientist/Artist (KV), ausgenommen Verwendungen 24 und 25

27: Universitätsassistent/in (KV)

28: Universitätsassistent/in (KV) auf Laufbahnstelle gemäß § 13b Abs. 3 UG

83: Assistenzprofessor/in (KV)

84: Senior Lecturer (KV)

88: Assistenzprofessor/in (KV) (Karrierepfad gemäß § 99 Abs. 5 und 6 UG)