

Call for Applications: The Friends of the WZB Award 2017

The Friends of the WZB invite applications for the Friends of the WZB Award 2017.

The award honors academic contributions that exemplify the WZB's core research aims of approachable, problem-oriented basic research of general societal relevance and with the potential to reach beyond specialized, disciplinary debates.

The award is endowed with a prize of 1,000 Euros (500 Euros from the Friends of the WZB for personal purposes, matched by the WZB with a further 500 Euros to be spent on research purposes).

Eligibility

In order to apply, scholars should submit a scientific publication that meets the following criteria:

- The publication has been accepted for publication or published in the current or previous calendar year.
- At least one of the publication's (co-)authors is a WZB doctoral candidate or postdoctoral researcher (as defined in the Guidelines for Career Development).
- The publication may be an article or a book chapter (edited volume or monograph), published in English or German.
- Only one publication per author can be submitted. Each publication may only be submitted to one call.
- Publications co-authored with external researchers or WZB directors are eligible in principle but their submission should be accompanied by a statement about the co-authors' share of contributions.
- While the publication itself need not be interdisciplinary, it should appeal beyond the boundaries of the social science disciplines.

Submission

- Please submit the publication together with a brief statement as to why it serves as a distinct example of approachable problem-oriented basic research.
- All applications should be submitted as a single PDF via email to tijana.milunovic@wzb.eu.
- Deadline is **September 15, 2017**. The prize winner will be informed in **November 2017**.

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