

Call for applications - Paul Martini Prize 2026

The Paul Martini Foundation announces the annual Paul Martini Prize for the year 2026 and calls for international entries. The Prize is endowed with EUR 50.000 and donated by the Paul Martini Foundation, Berlin.

The award honours outstanding achievements in the field **of clinical pharmacology**. This includes the development and application of clinical-pharmacological methods for the assessment of therapeutic measures as well as therapy studies and their socio-economic aspects. In the selection process, particular attention is paid to work that already contains results for application in humans.

A jury of six renowned scientists will determine the winner(s) of the Prize. It was donated in commemoration of the eminent scientist and physician Professor Dr. Paul Martini (Bonn), to appreciate his contribution to the promotion and development of clinical therapeutic research. He has shaped this field over decades with his 'Methodology of Therapeutic Investigation', published in 1932.

The submitted papers (maximum of four) must be self-contained and either published within the current or the last two years or in press (with indication of journal). The submitting candidate must be the first author*, second author* with equal rights or senior author* of the submitted work(s). The written consent of the non-submitting first author, second author of equal standing or senior author of the paper(s) must be enclosed. Applications from Paul Martini Prize winners of previous years cannot be considered. A German affiliation is required.

The application must include the following information in addition to the work(s):

- Cover letter with contact details, title of the application plus titles of up to four publications
- Up to four publications to be submitted incl. brief Summary
- **Short Curriculum Vitae** (with professional position, no photo)
- List of publications of the last 5 years (applicant marked in **bold**)

The documents are to be sent via e-mail as pdf to andrea.sydow@paul-martini-stiftung.de and m.meergans@vfa.de.

Deadline of entry is Thursday, November 6th, 2025