

# CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

## Science Slam @Paul-Martini-Stiftung

During the PMS Symposium 2026

*New horizons in Immuno-Oncology: Progress, Limitations and Clinical Maturity*

The Paul-Martini-Stiftung (PMS) is holding a Science Slam on October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026, during this year's [Symposium](#) to shed light on the symposium's topic from a fresh perspective. We are therefore calling slammers for entries on the topic **(Immuno-)Oncology**.

### What's the PMS Symposium?

The two-day symposium with approx. 200 participants is the traditional highlight of the PMS. Every year, leading minds from medicine, science, the researching pharmaceutical industry, and other professionals across the health care system gather to discuss the latest developments in clinical pharmacology. Participation in the symposium is free of charge and open to everyone who's interested.

### What's a science slam?

A science slam is a competition in which researchers present the results of their work in a succinct, clear and highly entertaining way. Scientists become storytellers, surprising the audience, making them laugh, but above all making them think.

### What are the rules?

- 👉 **Your own stuff** - present content researched by yourself
- 🕒 **Make it short: 3-minute time limit** - anything is allowed
- 👏 **Don't be boring** - amaze the audience with your experiments, presentations, costumes and props

### Who can apply?

Researchers at all levels from graduate students to research group leaders who enjoy entertaining an audience on the topic of **Immuno-Oncology**.

### What counts?

To the point delivery, originality and the audience's applause.

Our Scientific Advisor Prof. Dr. Robert Zeiser, Universitätsklinikum Freiburg and the Executive Board will select the entries. If you make it to the top six, the PMS will invite you to Berlin and the audience is yours to amaze. After each presentation, the audience will vote via "applausometer".

### What's the prize?

The top three slammers will be awarded:

- 1st place: €300
- 2nd place: €200
- 3rd place: €100

### Are you in?

Apply with a short video (30 seconds) to [andrea.sydow@paul-martini-stiftung.de](mailto:andrea.sydow@paul-martini-stiftung.de) by **October 1st, 2026**. Let us know the title of your science slam, your affiliation and send us your CV.

The PMS will cover your travel and accommodation.

We look forward to hearing from you!

**60 Jahre**  
Paul-Martini-Stiftung

