## **AGER** publication prize

## Gynecological Endocrinology, Menopause & Reproductive Medicine

## Guidelines

The aim of the prize is to reward the best publication conducted in Switzerland in the field of gynecological endocrinology, menopause and reproductive medicine.

Papers to be considered	Any kind of papers related to Gynecological Endocrinology, Menopause and Reproductive Medicine, accepted for publication or published within a maximum of 12 months before the deadline will be considered. The major part of the study must have been conducted in Switzerland and the first author must reside and/or work in Switzerland at the time of the submission deadline.
Submission	The full paper must be submitted. If the paper is in press or has just been accepted, the manuscript, together with the confirmation of acceptance need to be completely submitted.
Deadline for submission	May 31 <sup>st</sup> (midnight) only electronically to the SGRM administration, the host of the prize. E-Mail: administration@sgrm.org.
Evaluation	<ul> <li>Projects can only be evaluated when a minimum of three papers are submitted. The evaluating jury consists of the following persons (minimum of three jury members):</li> <li>President of AGER (jury president)</li> <li>Vice President of AGER or another defined person from the AGER board</li> <li>President SGRM</li> <li>Vice president of SGRM or another defined person from the SGRM board</li> <li>President SGEM</li> <li>Vice president of SGEM or another defined person from the SGEM board</li> <li>Another scientist or physician with scientific experience not working in the field of gynecological endocrinology, menopause and reproductive medicine</li> <li>Authors or co-authors of submitted papers will be excluded from the evaluation. If less than three members remain in the committee, the president and/or other members of the scientific committee of the SGGG will be invited.</li> </ul>
Evaluation criteria	<ul> <li>* Originality (Is the study original?)</li> <li>* Study design (Is the study design adequate?)</li> <li>* Quality of data (Is the quality of the data adequate?)</li> <li>* Presentation (Is the paper well written?)</li> <li>* Significance (Is the paper relevant/significant in the context of basic and/or clinical research?)</li> <li>Weight of the scores: (originality x2) + (design x2) + (quality of data x2) + (presentation x1) + (significance x4) = total score (Min = 11; Max = 55).</li> <li>Papers from young authors without a habilitation (being the 1<sup>st</sup> or corresponding author) will be preferred.</li> </ul>
Reward	The first author will be rewarded CHF 1000, CHF 500,- are paid by the SGRM and CHF 500,- by the SGEM. The reward will be transferred either to a clinic's account or to the first author's personal bank account.
Award ceremony	The applicants will be honored at the SGGG conference. The winner can be invited to give a short presentation of his/her work.
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