2024 Call for Applications

The Académie des sciences - Institut de France and the National Science and Technology Council (NSTC) of Taiwan award a France-Taiwan Scientific Prize every year to a team of researchers (one from a Taiwanese institution and one from a French institution) for their contribution and achievements to scientific research of interest to both regions, as well as their future plans to continue and amplify their scientific collaboration.

The amount of the Prize is 38,200€ to be shared in equal parts between the laureates of the year. In order to encourage the continuous scientific exchange, a dedicated mobility grant is also available each year exclusively to the laureates for short visits and workshops in both regions.

The 2024 call will be opened to all research fields

Terms and conditions:

1. The call is open to all researchers working in France and Taiwan (regardless of nationality) that have an active scientific collaboration and plan to amplify it in the near future.

2. Candidate teams need to complete the nomination form attached to this call and available on this link. Please note that recommendation letters are to be sent directly to the Académie des sciences and the National Science and Technology Council.

3. Applications must be sent by June 19th, 2024 in two copies in PDF format, one submitted by the French applicant to the Académie des sciences, and the other submitted by the Taiwanese applicant to the National Science and Technology Council.
Publication and awarding of the Prize:

Laureates of the 2024 prize will be announced on **October 15th, 2024**. The Prize will be awarded during the séance solennelle of the Académie des sciences in Paris on **November 26th, 2024**. The following day (November 27th, 2024), the laureates will be invited to a ceremony co-organized by the Académie des sciences and the National Science and Technology Council, also in Paris.

### Rules of Committee of the France-Taiwan Scientific Prize 2024

1. Committee Members
   - for the National Science and Technology Council
     - the Minister of the NSTC or his/her delegate
     - one Vice/Deputy Minister of the NSTC (in charge of academic affairs)
     - at least one member of the Academia Sinica
   - for the Académie des sciences
     - the President of the Académie des sciences or his/her delegate
     - one Secrétaire perpétuel of the Académie des sciences or his/her delegate
     - at least one member of the Académie des sciences

2. Date of Committee meeting
   The Committee of 2024 Prize is scheduled to be held on **September 13th, 2024**. The jury meeting is held by the presence of at least three members of the NSTC representatives and at least three members of the Académie des sciences.

3. Deliberation
   The Co-chairs of the Committee meeting are the Head of the Taiwanese representatives and the Head of the French representatives. The quorum is composed of an equal number of members from each side. The result is set by the absolute majority of members.