



THE EFLM ACADEMY AWARD

The EFLM Academy award has been created to promote excellence and honor extraordinary individuals who have made **substantial contribution to the education in Laboratory Medicine in Europe**. The award aims to encourage educational activities and recognize the value and importance of education for EFLM.

The award is granted annually to the author of the most distinguished educational activity or a project in the past 5 years. Eligible are various high quality educational materials, like educational papers, handbooks, books or book chapters, online educational resources, educational courses and workshops.

EFLM values inclusiveness and accessibility through removing barriers and sharing resources in education. Therefore, although consideration will be given both to National and European projects, the preference will be given to the most outstanding European projects aimed to a wide International audience.



ENTRY CRITERIA

The nominated individual:

- must be from an EFLM Full National Society Member,
- must be Member of the EFLM Academy at the time of the application,
- must be the leading author or editor or chair of the educational project which has been launched within the past 5 years,
- must not be nominated in the same year for any other EFLM award,
- none of the officers of the EFLM Executive Board are eligible for the award during their term of office.



SUBMISSION PROCEDURE

Individuals may be nominated by either of the entities listed below:

- their own National Society,
- by any other EFLM member Society (Full, Affiliate or Provisional) from a country different from the country of the nominee.

Applications must be accompanied by:

- a statement of the reasons for the nomination, highlighting the accomplishments of the individual;
- a statement that the individual was not nominated in the same year for any other EFLM award;
- a detailed description of the accomplishments related to the purpose of the award;
- the documents/links/references providing the evidence of the educational activity and contribution (leaflets, promotional materials, book covers, etc.)
- a short curriculum vitae of the nominee.

The award will be given on occasion of the EuroMedLab Congress 2023 in Rome.

The award winner will receive a trophy and a certificate. As a token of appreciation, the winner will also receive the free registration, travel and accommodation for the EuroMedLab Congress where the award will be presented.