



Federation of European
Societies of Plant Biology

CSEPB AWARD 2023

*Competition for CSEPB Award 2023
and
nomination for FESPB Award 2023*
(<https://fespb.org/young-scientist-fespb-award/>)

Dear CSEPB members,

The CSEPB Council has decided to re-launch a competition for the CSEPB Award 2023. This competition will also serve to select a suitable candidate(s) from CSEPB for the competition of FESPB Award 2023, which will be awarded at the [Plant Biology Europe 2023 Congress](#). We will then award the CSEPB Award to a candidate who has not yet received it. The winner of the CSEPB Award will then receive a financial reward of 25.000,- CZK and the opportunity to give a plenary lecture at the international conference 17th Student Days of Plant Biology CS 2023, which will be held on 22-24 September 2023.

In 2021, Matouš Glanc received a nomination for the FESPB Award 2021, which eventually turned his nomination into winning the prestigious FESPB Award 2021. Thanks to Matouš's success, Martin Janda received the CSEBR Award 2021. In 2018 was the winner of CSEPB Award Jan Fíla.

Please spread the word at your workplace.

Martin Janda
On behalf of CSEPB council
České Budějovice, 23. 2. 2023

Requirements for eligibility of the applicant are similar as they are for [FESPB Award 2023](#):

- The applicant has to be member of CSEPB.
- The applicants have completed his/her Ph.D. no more than six years before the start of the Congress PBE2023 (start is July 03, 2023).

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Dear colleagues, potential candidates for the FESPB Award and the CSEPB Award 2023, We would like to invite and encourage all those of you who meet the conditions for the prestigious "FESPB Award" for this year awarded at the [Plant Biology Europe Congress 2023](#), i.e. you who can demonstrate through your publications and other scientific work that you are of scientific excellence and at the same time on July 03, 2023 not more than 6 years will have passed since the completion of your Ph.D. ([see the FESPB Grants and Awards conditions](#)), to definitely take advantage of the opportunity to apply for the award.

How to apply to the CSEPB for nomination for the FESPB Award 2023 and the CSEPB Award 2023:

1) You can get the official national nomination for the FESPB Award 2023 from the CSEPB by the CSEPB Council, which will select one of the candidates in a vote (15 members of the CSEPB Council and 3 members of the CSEPB Control Committee and professors from different departments in the country). This way we have the possibility to send only one nomination and we will try to select the most competitive candidate. The selected candidate will then be published on the CSEPB website and in the CSEPB Bulletin.

2) The CSEPB Award 2023 can be obtained by the same application as for the FESPB Award 2023 (in attachment) - see point 1), which will be evaluated by a CSEPB nominated evaluation committee, see above. If the national nominee for the FESPB Award 2023 does not win the award, then the CSEPB Award 2020 of 25,000 CZK will be awarded. If the CSEPB nominee wins the FESPB Award, then the CSEPB Award will be awarded to the runner-up for the official CSEPB national nomination.

For these 2 options, please send your applications by 21st March 2023 to csebr@csebr.cz with a copy to Martin Janda (mjanda04@jcu.cz) and Jana Albrechtová (albrecht@natur.cuni.cz). Please use the subject line FESPB Award and CSEBR Award 2023: your name.

The application form is structured as for the FESPB Award and is in English (in attachment and on website csebr.cz). The CSEBR Committee will announce the national nomination for the FESPB Award no later than 6th April 2023, so that you can possibly make a separate application for the FESPB Award, which has a deadline of 10th April 2023.

<https://fespb.org/young-scientist-fespb-award/>.

The evaluation committee will be composed of both members of the CSEBR Committee and reviewers, and we will also reach out to professors from various Experimental Plant Biology departments in the Czech Republic.

The winner of this competition and also the CSEPB nominee for the FESPB Award 2023 will be notified no later than 6.4.2023 and then CSEPB will send the official national nomination for the FESPB Award by 9.4.2023 in coordination with the nominee.

We look forward to receiving your nominations.

On behalf of CSEPB Council

Dr Martin Janda
President of CSEPB



Prof. Jana Albrechtová
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