

CIÊNCIAS RESEARCH DAY 2019

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- b) Qualified participants may apply with one or more ideas.
- c) Submissions must be registered by the announced deadline. Ciências is not responsible for extemporaneous applications, server unavailability, and computer or any other electronic malfunction.
- d) Submissions received will be evaluated by the Director with the support, if necessary, of other Science members, who will select the ideas accepted for public presentation during a 3-minute *picht* on the Ciências Research Day to be defined annually.
- e) The number of *pichtes* to be invited for presentation and qualified for voting will depend on quality criteria and time available in the programme.
- f) If the selected idea(s) are submitted by a team, the team(s) should indicate the name of the element that will be responsible for the public presentation.
- g) The winner idea will be selected by online voting of the audience attending the event, which should take into account the scientific relevance and innovative character of the idea, along with the quality of the *picht*.



The Prize

- a) The participant, or winning team, will be awarded a prize of 500,00 € (five hundred euros) to be used in research activities, money to be made available upon analysis of the expense request and prior authorization of Ciências.
- b) In case of a vote tie the prize will be divided between the winners.
- c) Awarding is subject to acceptance of the conditions applicable to this competition.
- d) In the event that the winner is a team, Ciências gives the prize to the responsible for the public presentation, who is responsible for ensuring its use on behalf of the team, having no intervention or responsibility in the process.
- e) By accepting the prize, the winner (s) consents to Science disclosing the name (s) and their winning condition for promotional purposes.

Miscellaneous

- This contest is subject to all applicable laws and regulations.
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