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## ANNOUNCEMENT OF SSCPNM PRIZE FOR BEST SCIENTIFIC ACHIEVEMENT

The yearly SSCPNM prize for best scientific achievement will be awarded the person whom the Management Committee considers to have made the most valuable contribution within Clinical Physiology or Nuclear Medicine during the calendar year preceding the award. The candidate must be nominated from a constituting member organisation and be a member of that organisation. The contribution should be of scientific nature, preferentially with a clinical application or potential. The term contribution should be interpreted in a broad sense. It may be a publication, an abstract, a book or a chapter of a book, an invited lecture, or a series of works – related to one another or independent. The Board is free to accept other forms of contributions. The role of the nominee should be clearly distinguished, e.g. in the case of co-authorships among other authors.

If two or more candidates are found equally deserving the prize, the younger and less academically merited will be chosen.

Candidates shall be nominated from the national societies as follows:

- Denmark: 2 candidates from the Danish society of Clinical physiology and Nuclear medicine
- Finland: 1 candidate from the Finnish society of Clinical physiology and 1 candidate from the Finnish society of Nuclear medicine
- Norway: 2 candidates from the Norwegian society of Nuclear medicine
- Sweden: 1 candidate from the Swedish society of Clinical physiology and 1 candidate from the Swedish society of Nuclear medicine.

Nominations from the national societies shall be proposed at latest dec 31. The management committee of the SSCPNM will decide among the candidates and the winner shall be selected and announced before the summer each year.

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