Reaxys-SCI Early Career Researcher Award 2020

Recognizing outstanding young research talent in Italy

**Application requirements**
- An essay
- CV
- Evidence of PhD enrollment or completion
- Proof of additional accomplishment (optional)

**When to apply**
Between May 4 and Jul 15, 2020

**Award**
1st place: €1,500
2nd place: €1,000
3rd place: €500

**Support and submissions**
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Elsevier and the Italian Chemical Society (SCI) are happy to organize the 6th edition of the Reaxys-SCI Early Career Researcher Award, which aims to recognize outstanding young researchers in Italy and support their career development.

**Who can apply?**
- Chemistry or medicinal chemistry researchers currently enrolled in a PhD program or who completed one in 2020/19
- Members of the SCI Giovani

**Submission requirements**
- An essay on the following topic: What (innovative) research are you doing in the field of chemistry or medicinal chemistry and how can a scientific database like Reaxys help you achieve your goals?
- A curriculum vitae
- A document that certifies your enrollment in a PhD program or completion of it in 2019/20
- Supporting evidence of accomplishments (optional but encouraged)
Essay requirements

Any field of research is accepted for your essay, including life sciences, medicinal and organic chemistry, materials sciences, industrial and inorganic chemistry, analytical, environmental, physical and theoretical chemistry, and pharmaceutical chemistry.

Your essay must:

• Be about either work in progress, an original idea for a project, or a paper already published
• Strongly highlight how Reaxys (or other) scientific databases helped (or can help) achieve your research goals
• Be between 750 and 1500 words
• Have a title and be easily understood by chemists working in other research fields
• Have a bibliography (does not contribute towards the word count)

2020 timelines

• May 4: Competition opens
• June 9: Y-RICh workshop
• June 23: Reaxys Tips & Tricks webinar
• July 15: Application deadline
• July 16-31: Evaluation
• Autumn: Virtual Award Ceremony

How to apply

Submit your essay and supporting documentation by midnight on July 15 to reaxys-sci.ecra@elsevier.com

Find out more

Register for the Y-RICh workshop, secure your place in the Reaxys Tips & Tricks webinar, and request your trial access to Reaxys at the link below:

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