

INTERNATIONAL PRIZE 2026

ECOBIOLOGY NAOS

CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

NAOS, in partnership with the Association « Les Sciences au service de l'Histoire » (MAAB Project / Museum of Anthropology, Archaeology and Biology), chaired by Dr Philippe CHARLIER, is organizing the NAOS International ECOBIOLOGY Prize to reward an ongoing research project on the NATURAL HISTORY OF HEALTH at the confluence of the medical sciences and the humanities (biology, medicine, dermatology, anthropology, archaeology, psychology, philosophy and art history) based on the integrative approach of Ecobiology*.

The prize consists of an award of 15,000 Euros.

It is open primarily to national and international researchers and teams attached to a university hospital or university structure until June 10, 2026.

The prize will be awarded by an interdisciplinary scientific board drawn from the Association « Les Sciences au service de l'Histoire »'s Board of Directors and scientific personalities appointed by Jean-Noël THOREL, pharmacist and biologist, NAOS founder.

The award is presented at an official ceremony in a ceremony alongside the EADV congress the 1st October 2026 in Vienna, Austria and the winner is required to attend.

*Ecobiology: More than just a word, a philosophy emerging from skincare. L. McEwen, C. Déchelette, S. Fauverge, *Ethics, Medicine and Public Health* 31 (2023) 100954. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jemep.2023.100954>

*NAOS Ecobiology White Paper (available on request)

* Ecobiology, a unique, forward-looking philosophical approach to skin care. C. Déchelette, L. McEwen, AM. Granet, *Revue Hegel*, 1, 2024.

APPLICATION FILES :

APPLICATIONS MUST INCLUDE :

- the application form duly completed available online on the Université Paris-Saclay Anthropology, Archaeology and Biology Laboratory website <https://laboratoire-laab.fr/ecobiologie-naos-international-prize-2025-edition/> and information on the NAOS website <https://naos.com/en-UK/ecobiology/what-is-ecobiology>.
- the candidate's curriculum vitae
- a project summary of no more than 15,000 characters (including spaces)
- if necessary, additional documents.

Applications must be sent by e-mail in a single file (PDF format) to:

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