



## PADEMIA Award for Outstanding Research on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe Call for Application

The PADEMIA Erasmus Academic Network calls for nominations for its research award. The award distinguishes an excellent piece of work of a researcher in the field of European integration, that

- contributed substantially to the state of the art of research on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe, and/or
- has influenced academic and political debates on the topic.

The rewarded work will be a publication in a major journal or a book publication. Unfortunately, edited volumes cannot apply or be nominated. Disciplines covered by the award include especially – but not exclusively – history, law, economics, and political sciences. PADEMIA accepts both direct applications and nominations through third parties. The award is endowed with 500€ (1<sup>st</sup> place), 300€ (2<sup>nd</sup> place), 100€ (3<sup>rd</sup> place). The prize will be awarded at the PADEMIA annual conference on 12 and 13 June, 2014.

PADEMIA is a network of – currently 56 – European institutions dealing with teaching and research on EU integration studies in general and parliamentary Democracy in Europe in particular. Through a number of activities, the network aims at strengthening cooperation between institutions of higher education and research in Europe. It enhances research-based teaching, spreads innovative approaches and establishes best practices in teaching.

**Application Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> of May, 2014**

Please send the application including **a two-page summary of the work, a copy of the respective article, book, or PhD Thesis, an academic CV** (including publications) and **a cover letter** (stating reasons why the nominee should be awarded) by 1 May, 2014 via e-mail to Alexander Hoppe ([alexander.hoppe@uni-koeln.de](mailto:alexander.hoppe@uni-koeln.de)). The language of the application dossier should be English. The language of the nominee's publication should be an official language of the European Union. There are no restrictions in terms of national or geographical origin of the nominee.

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## PADEMIA Award for Outstanding Teaching on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe Call for Application

The PADEMIA Erasmus Academic Network calls for applications for its teaching award. The award distinguishes the work of a person with an outstanding academic record in the field of European integration, who has

- developed and/or used innovative means of teaching on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe, and/or
- enhanced the visibility of EU studies and in particular studies on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe as a subject among wider parts of academia, practitioners and the interested public, and/or
- linked research and teaching on Parliamentary Democracy in Europe in an exemplary manner.

PADEMIA accepts both direct applications and nominations through third parties. The rewarded work may be innovative teaching methods, innovative contents of teaching or innovative instruments of teaching (e.g. virtual teaching). Institutions as well as single persons can be awarded the teaching prize. The award is endowed with 500€ (1<sup>st</sup> place), 300€ (2<sup>nd</sup> place), and 100€ (3<sup>rd</sup> place). The public presentation will take place at the Annual Conference on 12 and 13 June, 2014.

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### Application Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> of May, 2014

Please send the **application**, including a short **justification**, a **set of samples** illustrating the teaching method, an **academic CV** and a **list of main publications** via e-mail to Alexander Hoppe (alexander.hoppe@uni-koeln.de). The language of the application dossier should be English. There are no restrictions in terms of national or geographical origin of the nominee.

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**PADEMIA Student Paper Prize**  
**Call for Application**

The PADEMIA Erasmus Academic Network calls for nominations for its Student Paper Prize. The award distinguishes an excellent piece of work of a student in the field of European integration and especially Parliamentary Democracy in Europe. The following list gives the eligibility information and other parameters for the competition:

- Students at the graduate level and PhD Students at the time of submission are eligible to compete
- Students must be the single or first author on the papers
- Papers that have already been published are not eligible

PADEMIA accepts both direct applications and nominations through third parties. The award winner will receive 500€ and the paper will be published in the journal *Politique européenne*. The 2<sup>nd</sup> (200€) and 3<sup>rd</sup> (100€) places will be published in the PADEMIA online paper series. The prizes will be awarded at the PADEMIA annual conference, 12 and 13 June, 2014, in Brussels.

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**Application Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> of May, 2014**

Please send the application including **a one-page summary of the work, a copy of the respective paper, an academic CV** (including publications) and **a cover letter** (stating why this paper should be awarded) by 1 May, 2014 via e-mail to Sabine Saurugger ([sabine.saurugger@sciencespo-grenoble.fr](mailto:sabine.saurugger@sciencespo-grenoble.fr)). Papers will then be evaluated by a committee. Only papers written in English will be accepted and papers should not be longer than 8000 words. There are no restrictions in terms of national or geographical origin of the nominee.

The evaluation criteria are provided in detail below. Good Luck!

**Manuscript Evaluation:**

Evaluation criteria and weighting factor of each criterion are:

1. Originality, Weight 25%
2. Clear methodology, Weight 25%
3. Relevance of Contribution, Weight 25%
4. Organization and Clarity, Weight 25%

**Possible Research Themes:**

- Changing Parliamentary Institutions in Europe
- The Role of Parliamentary Actors in Europe
- Parliaments and Citizens in Europe
- Parliaments and the European Public Sphere
- Parliamentary Democracy and Constitutional Development
- Multi-level Democracy
- The Financial Crisis and Challenges to Representation

**Award Committee:**

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