

2025 BERNI J. ALDER CECAM PRIZE

Call for nominations

THE PRIZE

The Berni J. Alder CECAM prize has been awarded every 3 years since 1999 and honors an individual scientist who has made an outstanding contribution to computational science in the fields explored by CECAM. In exceptional circumstances, teams of up to three scientists are considered. The award consists of a plaque and the sum of € 5,000.

CONDITIONS

Please take into consideration the following conditions for the nomination process:

- Nominations can be submitted individually or by a coordinating nominator who represents a larger community. Coordinating nominators can submit only one nomination each.
- Self-nominations are not accepted.
- Teams of up to three scientists with equally relevant merits for the rewarded contribution can be nominated.

While nominating potential awardees, please carefully consider that scientific impact and breakthrough contributions can be achieved in many different ways (out-of-the-box thinking encouraged!). Diversity in all its forms is another key aspect to take into consideration.

PROCESS

The call will close on March 31, 2025 and the decision on the award will be communicated by June 1, 2025.

Nominations must be submitted via [the CECAM website](#) (registration mandatory) and include:

- A motivation letter including a clear description of the work for which the prize is to be awarded and a separate section detailing the overall impact of the nominee(s) activities on the simulation and modelling community. The description of the work of the nominee should not exceed 1000 words and should include a listing of no more than 5 key publications.
- The CV of the nominee(s).