



UNIVERSITEIT VAN AMSTERDAM

AUV Alumni Award 2022 Rules & Regulations

1. Description

1.1 The AUV Alumni Award is a prize awarded by the University of Amsterdam Alumni Association (AUV) to encourage talented alumni who are successful in society and who can act as inspiration for others. The prize is awarded annually to an alumnus of the University of Amsterdam (UvA) who makes a unique contribution to society with a thought-provoking project.

2. Conditions of participation

2.1 Participation in the AUV Alumni Award 2022 is open to all alumni of the University of Amsterdam.

2.2 Members of the Board of the Alumni Association AUV, employees of the UvA Development and Alumni Relations Office and members of the jury are not permitted to take part. The same applies to blood relations and relations by marriage of jury members.

2.3 Previous winners of the AUV Alumni Award are excluded from participation. Article 2.4 Participants are deemed to have read these regulations and to agree with them.

3. Nominations

3.1 Candidates can recommend themselves for nomination or may be recommended for nomination by a third party.

3.2 Recommendations for nomination must be submitted via a digital form. The nominator will receive confirmation of receipt. Recommendations for nomination submitted by email or by post will not be processed. The deadline for submissions is 12:00 (noon) on Monday 3 October 2022. All documents, including references, must be submitted no later than Monday 3 October 2022.

3.3 Nominations must be in Dutch or English.

3.4 The nomination must include the following: • name (surname and initials) and contact details (email address/telephone number) of the candidate; • description of the social project, the candidate's contribution to it and the long-term planning of the project; • any additional documentation, e.g. a CV, website address or publication that supports the nomination; • a professional reference from a third party who can assess the candidate's project, the candidate's contribution to it and the social support for the project; • if the candidate has been recommended for nomination by a third party, the nominator's name and contact details, and details of the relationship of the nominator to the nominee.

3.5 If someone is recommended for nomination by a third party, the candidate will receive a short questionnaire asking them to write a few words in support of the nomination and to provide details

about the impact of the project as well as future plans.

3.6 The jury reserves the right to reject nominations which do not meet the requirements set out in these regulations.

3.7 Nominators and nominees will receive confirmation of receipt. The results will be announced during AUV Day (Saturday 6 November 2021). Winners will be notified in good time so they can attend the award ceremony on the day. The winners and other candidates consent to information on their nominations featuring in communications from the Alumni Association AUV and the UvA.

4. Assessment criteria

4.1 The nominations will be assessed on the basis of their social relevance and impact, the candidate's specific contribution to the project, the originality and longevity of the project and the extent of incentive the project needs.

5. Jury

5.1 The jury comprises two members of the Board of the Alumni Association AUV, one member of the Alumni Association AUV, an employee of the University of Amsterdam and one of the winners of the previous year's AUV Alumni Award. These members of the jury will be appointed at a meeting of the Board of the Alumni Association AUV. The jury will be assisted by the Alumni Association Officer, who does not have voting rights.

5.2 Members of the jury cannot nominate candidates or act as a referee for a candidate.

5.3 The jury will appoint a Chairperson from its midst and, to the extent that they are not laid down in these regulations, will decide on its own procedures.

5.4 Nominations which meet the requirements will be submitted to the entire jury.

5.5 The jury will nominate a maximum of ten projects which are eligible for a jury award and an audience award.

5.6 Each member of the jury has one vote. The jury will decide on the basis of a majority vote. If nominees receive an equal number of votes, the Chairperson of the jury will have the deciding vote. The jury will report its decision regarding the nomination of a maximum of ten projects to the Alumni Association Officer in good time, but at any rate no later than three weeks before AUV Day. The Alumni Association Officer will ensure that the winners are invited to attend the award ceremony during AUV Day.

5.7 The nominees are requested to submit a video in which they present their projects. These videos will be shown during the ceremony on AUV Day. Nominees will receive further instructions for submitting their video. After the videos have been presented, the jury will withdraw and decide on the winners of the jury awards of the Alumni Award 2021.

5.8 During the ceremony on AUV Day, the audience will decide who is the winner of the audience award.

5.9 If there are insufficient nominations or the standard of the nominations does not meet the assessment criteria mentioned in article 4.1, the jury is entitled to not award the AUV Alumni Award.

5.10 The jury's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into in relation to its decision.

6. Prizes

6.1 The first prize of the jury award is €3,000 (three thousand euros), the second prize is €2,000 (two thousand euros) and the third prize is €1,000 (one thousand euros).

6.2 Nominees can also win an audience award of €1,000 (one thousand euros).

6.3 The winners must invest the prize money in their projects.

7. Final provision

7.1 The majority of the jury will decide on any situations not provided for in these regulations, and if the votes are equally divided on a subject, the Chairperson has the deciding vote. These regulations have been compiled with due care. However, in the event of a query, please contact the Alumni Association AUV via auv@uva.nl.