ReadyToPub Award Regulation
7th Portuguese Young Chemists Meeting (7PYCheM)

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The ReadyToPub - Author Services Provider, in agreement with the Organizing Committee of the 7th Portuguese Young Chemists Meeting (7PYCheM), will provide an award, "ReadyToPub Award", to the best oral communication by a student during the videoconference, which will take place between May 19 and 21, 2021.

In this document are presented the characteristics of the award, as well as its regulation.

1. ReadyToPub Award recipients

The ReadyToPub Award is intended for the best oral communication by a student (Undergraduate, Master or Doctoral) during the 7PYCheM.

All students (Undergraduate, Master or Doctoral) presenting an oral communication are automatically registered to win the ReadyToPub Award.

2. Composition of the jury and evaluation process

The jury members will be appointed by the Organizing Committee of the 7PYCheM. The oral communication of each candidate will be evaluated by at least two evaluators. The following criteria will be evaluated:

1. Scientific Innovation (up to 30 points);
2. Applicability of results (up to 25 points);
3. Clarity of the presentation (up to 20 points);
4. Design and overall appearance of the presentation (up to 15 points);
5. Potential for publication in an international journal (up to 10 points)

The jury members will complete an evaluation grid that includes the evaluation criteria of the present regulation. The final score of each submission will be the average of the sum of all evaluators. The presentation with the highest final score will be the winner of the ReadyToPub Award. In the event of a tie between two or more presentations, the tie-breaker criterion will be the highest average value of the first evaluated parameter (Scientific Innovation).
If the tie persists, the same procedure will be carried out for the second evaluation parameter and so on until the winner is found. If the tie persists, the jury members will decide the winner.

3. ReadyToPub Award communication and features

The winner of the ReadyToPub Award will be announced at the closing ceremony of the 7PYCheM.

The winner must claim the award by December 31, 2021 and the entire management process will be the sole responsibility of ReadyToPub. The winner will be sent instructions on how to claim the award via email.

The ReadyToPub Award consists of an English proofreading service (Basic Pack, maximum turnaround time) of a scientific paper (maximum 8500 words). More details at https://www.readytopub.com/p/english-edition/101

The Award includes the following tasks:

1. Review of scientific terminology by an expert in the winner's scientific field.
2. English proofreading by a native English editor.
3. ReadyToPub Editing Certificate.

Any case omitted in this regulation will be decided by the President of the Jury, in agreement with the 7PYCheM and ReadyToPub.