



The Hebrew University Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology announces the establishment of The Dan Maydan Prize in Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

The Hebrew University's Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (HUCNN) is proud to establish the annual **Dan Maydan Prize in Nanoscience Research** in honor of Dr. Maydan's contribution to Nanotechnology research in Israel.

Dr. Dan Maydan played a major role in the establishment of the highly successful Israel National Nanotechnology Initiative (INNI), an initiative that led Israel to its leading position with significant academic achievements in the field of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. HUCNN has been a major participant of the INNI and is a leading force in the nano community worldwide. HUCNN serves as a hub for excellent research, education, technological development and commercialization of scientific achievements in nanotechnology, by fostering world class, cross-disciplinary research inclusive of Chemistry, Physics, Engineering, Life science, Agriculture, Pharmacy and Medicine.

The **\$10,000 Dan Maydan Prize** will be awarded to an emerging and outstanding young scientist, from Israel or abroad, for his/her significant academic accomplishments in the field of nanoscience and nanotechnology. The prize recipient will be invited for a week to Jerusalem as the guest of the Hebrew University nano community, conducting public and academic lectures and seminars as well as engaging and interacting with faculty members, students and technical staff.



Eligibility Criteria:

- Nominations are to be made by recognized scientists and academic leaders.
Self-nominations are not allowed,
- Candidates should have received their doctorate from 1.1.2002 onwards
- Candidates should be affiliated with an academic research institution
- Candidates should be recognized as emerging scientific leaders in the field of nanoscience and nanotechnology with recognized track record of a major discovery in the field, and current ground-breaking research activity in the field of nanoscience and nanotechnology.

Application information:

Applications by recognized scientists and scientific leaders nominating suitable candidates, should be submitted to the HUCNN by email to huj-nano@savion.huji.ac.il No later than **December 15, 2018** and should include:

- CV (including relevant personal information and candidate contact information, and up to 10 most significant publications in nanotechnology)
- List of publications and summary of bibliographic citation data for the candidate
- Short (no more than 250 words) citation of the reason for awarding the prize to the candidate
- Award justification: Summary of main research achievements in nanoscience and nanotechnology(1-2 pages)
- At least two additional letters of recommendation

Selection Committee:

A selection committee, of at least three members, headed by the current director of the HUCNN (Prof. Uriel Levy) and the founding director of the HUCNN (Prof. Uri Banin) will review all potential candidates and select the most deserving for the award.

Award:

The Prize will be awarded to the winner at a ceremony in the presence of Dr. Maydan in **June 19th 2019** Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Edmond J. Safra Campus, Jerusalem, Israel.