

DATAI Awards | 2023-2024

PRESENTATION

The Institute of Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (DATAI) announces the DATAI Awards 2023-2024 for particularly relevant scientific contributions in the field of Data Science and Artificial Intelligence. The prizes recognize originality, innovation and contribution with the double objective of encouraging research work in this field as well as its projection to society.

AWARDS

A maximum of two prizes will be awarded in this call, each with an endowment of 3,000 euros as aid for funding a research project. The award-winning contributions must be pioneering and influential in international research. If the prize is awarded to an application submitted by two or more members of the institute, one of them will act as the person responsible for the aid.

The awards are aimed at DATAI member researchers, in any of its modalities, full, associated or invited members. The contribution will mention DATAI among the authors' affiliations, not being enough a mention in the acknowledgments. This is the way to do it:

Institute of Data Science and Artificial Intelligence (DATAI), Universidad de Navarra, Edificio Ismael Sánchez Bella, Campus Universitario, 31080-Pamplona, Spain

All the necessary documentation related to the awards will be sent in digital format to datai@unav.es from November 2, 2023 until August 31, 2024.

The awards will be announced by October 30, 2024.



BASES OF THE 2023-2024 CALL

Article 1

Each prize will be awarded to the authors or co-authors of a contribution and will consist of a diploma and a total of $\le3,000$ for supporting the development of a research project.

A maximum of one prize will be awarded for each of the following modalities:

- A. Best methodological contribution.
- B. Best applied contribution with social, innovation or knowledge transfer impact.

A contribution is understood as one paper in a peer review journal. The paper could be just accepted in a journal with a DOI already assigned by August 31, 2024. It has to be a relevant development of the disciplinary fields that are the object of the awards. Books and collection of articles are not allowed.

Article 2

The application has to be submitted by one single author with his or her signature in the corresponding application form.

The application will be written in English and must include the following documents in digital format:

- Application signed by the candidate, including:
 - Summary of quality indicators of the contribution related to the modality (maximum 200 words).
 - Summary of the contribution stressing the originality, innovation and contribution in this field as well as its projection to society, specially for the applied contribution (maximum 200 words).
- A pdf copy of the contribution submitted to the call.



Article 3

The DATAI scientific committee will propose a board of experts for evaluating the contributions. Some members could be included in that board. It will award a maximum of one contribution per modality and will submit its decision to the Board of Directors for its ratification. It will indicate in the proposal the scientific relevance of the selected contributions. The committee may transfer a contribution from a modality to another. The prizes may be declared totally or partially void.

Article 4

Any situation in which there is a conflict of interest of any of the members of the scientific committee with the submitted applications must be previously and expressly declared. The affected person will not be able to judge the application.

By virtue of the foregoing, once the list of candidates is known, the members of the scientific committee must, prior to their deliberations, inform the Board of Directors of any possible incompatibility that may arise.

Article 5

The call will comply with what is indicated in the current legal regulations on the protection of personal data.

The fact of applying to this call implies the acceptance of its bases and the resolution thereof, which will be final, as well as the waiver of any type of claim.

In no case will disaggregated or individualized information be provided on the applications received, or on the deliberation of the committee.

Any doubts that may arise in the interpretation of the bases of this call will be resolved by the DATAI Board of Directors. Any query will be sent to datai@unav.es.

The identity of the winning entries will be made public on the DATAI website.