

Young Researchers' Challenge 2014

Description

The Marcus Wallenberg Foundation invites young researchers to take part in Young Researchers' Challenge with the chance to win a spot at the Prize ceremony and banquet to be held in Stockholm on 22 September, along with a unique opportunity to present your research and meet leading scientists and forest-based industry representatives from all over the world. Also, meet with other young researchers!

This year's Marcus Wallenberg Prize recognizes achievements in the field of printed electronics on paper, see www.mwp.org. As the challenges for the forest-based sector grow, the development of innovative, value-added products and technologies is becoming more and more important. For that, your contribution is essential.

Your Task

Based on your own research, briefly describe why you think it will have an impact on the forest-based industry and the society as a whole. Describe your vision for the development you want to promote with your research and how current obstacles can be overcome. You are free to discuss opportunities in a wide range of business areas in the sector.

Your contribution should not exceed 200 words per task and shall be submitted not later than August 11th 2014. We invite researchers not older than 35 years, post docs and PhD students situated in Sweden to participate.

After evaluation, some 30 contributions will be selected to be invited to the 2014 MWP Prize Ceremony including connected activities (see below). We welcome all winning participants to **submit a short abstract on the research project** to be presented in a poster session. A small number of the participants will be selected to give oral presentations during one of the seminars.

PARTICIPATE NOW through our form on mwp.org/ycr2014

Chance to win

- Travel, and accommodation at the Grand Hôtel in Stockholm 22-23 September including all meals, will be at the expense of the Foundation.
- One seminar for young researchers led by the members of the MWP Selection Committee where you get the chance to discuss challenges for the forest-based sector.
- Evening ceremony & banquet to be held 22 September in the presence of Their Majesties the King and Queen of Sweden.
- Symposium to be held on 23 September on the theme **"Innovative paper-based products"**.
- A Poster Session in connection with the Symposium where you will have the occasion to present and discuss your research with leading scientists, industry representatives and your fellow young

researchers.

- The Symposium is followed by a seminar where you will get the opportunity to discuss with this year's Prize Winner, and top senior researchers and business representatives.

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