

PHD ASSOCIATION HEALTH

Dear PhD student

Is your PhD supervisor someone who you find especially inspiring and talented? Do you feel that your supervisor devotes sufficient time and effort to you and your project? Is your supervisor present, accessible, and someone with whom you can discuss both your specific results and the overall course of your project – also if things are not going according to plan?

If so, you should consider nominating your supervisor to the

JCD Prize – the good PhD Supervisor

The award was founded by the PhD Association in 2012, in the name of Professor DMSc Jens Christian Djurhuus, in honour of his long-standing work with and for the PhD students at Aarhus University, Health.

Both main- and co-supervisors are eligible for nomination and nominees do not need to be employed by Aarhus University. Only nominations from current PhD students and PhD students who have obtained their degree in 2016 and 2017 will be taken into consideration. Finally, we welcome applications made by groups who wish to jointly nominate their supervisor. We require names of all the nominating PhD students, and anonymous nominations will not be taken into consideration.

Let us know why your supervisor deserves the JCD Prize. If you wish to nominate your supervisor or co-supervisor, please write a short recommendation (max 2400 characters incl. spaces, in English) and send it to Sidsel Lindberg Tefre site@au.dk. You need to make your nomination no later than **27 April 2017**. Afterwards an assessment committee consisting of representatives from the PhD Association (PhD students) will select a winner.

The JCD Prize winner will be named at the ceremony for celebrating PhD graduates and new doctors in May 2017. In addition to the honour, the winner is awarded DKK 25,000.

Read more about the ceremony: <http://phd.au.dk/gradschools/health/phdgraduationceremony/>

Best regards,

The PhD Association Health and the Graduate School of Health