The JCD Prize – Honouring the extraordinary PhD Supervisor

By the PhD Association Health and the Graduate School of Health

Is your PhD supervisor someone who combine scientific expertise with an outstanding ability to mentor you as a young scientist? Does your supervisor make a remarkable effort to create a working environment that is both scientifically inspiring as well as socially enjoyable? Is your supervisor available when needed, encouraging, and so committed to your project that your latest breakthrough saved both of your days?

If so, you should nominate your supervisor for

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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 2017 will be taken into consideration. We welcome applications made by groups who wish to jointly nominate their supervisor. The names of all the nominating PhD students must be listed, 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 <u>short</u> recommendation (max 2400 characters incl. spaces, in English) and send it to Helle Mellerup <u>hmel@au.dk</u>. You need to make your nomination no later than the **11th of December, 2017**. Afterwards, an assessment committee consisting of representatives from the PhD Association (PhD students) will select this year's winner.

The JCD Prize winner will be named at the PhD Day 2018, Friday the 26th of January, 2018 during the evening party at Centralværkstedet. In addition to the honour, the winner is awarded DKK 25,000. Read more about the PhD Day 2018: <u>http://phd.health.au.dk/doingaphd/phdday/</u>