

## **ESPMH Young Scholar Awards 2026**

The European Society for Philosophy of Medicine and Healthcare (ESPMH) is now accepting submissions for two awards for MA, PhD students, and early career researchers who are within eight years of completing their PhD degree in 2026. These awards will be granted for scientific contributions addressing ethical, epistemological, or other philosophical issues related to medicine and healthcare. In case of multi-authored work, the first author or first co-authors are receiving the prize, and the input of authors must be described in line with the Contributor Role Taxonomy (CRediT) standards.

Submissions must be original, unpublished works, with a maximum word count of 12,000 words (excluding bibliography and footnotes). They must be written in English and submitted by March 1, 2026. The jury, composed of ESPMH board members and possibly additional external reviewers, will assess the submissions.

The first-place award includes €2,000, and the second-place award €1,500, both intended to support travel and accommodation costs for attending the 38th ESPMH Conference, to be held in Rotterdam, Netherlands, August 2026. Award winners will be invited to present their work at this conference.

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