

El Secretario General del Consejo General de Colegios Médicos, Dr. D. Juan José Rodríguez Sendín, tiene el placer de informarles sobre la convocatoria del **PREMIO OSWALD VANDER VEKEN 2008** que concede el “**FONDS NATIONAL DE LA RECHERCHE SCIENTIFIQUE**” de Bélgica sobre el tema: TUMORES DEL APARATO LOCOMOTOR.

El Premio está dotado con una suma de **25.000 €.**

Las candidaturas deberán presentarse en la Secretaría del Fonds National de la Recherche Cientifique antes del 1 de octubre de 2007.

Madrid, 8 de mayo de 2007

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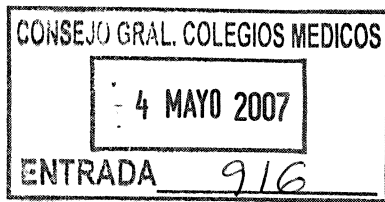
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April 5th 2007.

Dear Sir,

I have the pleasure to send you, herewith, the announcement of the "**Oswald VANDER VEKEN Prize - Tumors of the locomotor Apparatus**" which will award, for the year 2008, "an original contribution or an improvement to the understanding of tumors of the locomotor apparatus, their causes, their prevention, the diagnosis and/or their treatment".

I especially draw your attention upon the fact that the applications must be sent to the "Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique - FNRS" by **October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007.**

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. J. Simoen".

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## Oswald VANDER VEKEN Prize

### TUMORS OF THE LOCOMOTOR APPARATUS - 2008

#### REGULATIONS

- Art. 1. The "Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique - FNRS" awards a triennial Prize for an original contribution or an improvement to the understanding of tumors of the locomotor apparatus, their causes, their prevention, the diagnosis and/or their treatment.
- Art. 2. The name of the Prize is :  
**"Oswald VANDER VEKEN Prize - TUMORS OF THE LOCOMOTOR APPARATUS"**. The amount of the Prize is 25.000 EUR.
- Art. 3. The Prize will be awarded to researcher(s) living and working in a country of the European Union.
- Art. 4. The candidatures for the next session, written in English, using the proper form, should reach the Secretary general of the "Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique – FNRS", rue d'Egmont 5, BE-1000 Brussels (Belgium) by **October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2007**, together with the following documents :
- a) a curriculum vitae of the candidate(s),
  - b) a description of the contribution of the candidate(s) to the understanding of tumors of the locomotor apparatus, their causes, their prevention, the diagnosis and/or their treatment.  
The description can be presented as a dissertation, a thesis or even a simple note describing the research accomplished, undertaken or projected by the author(s),
  - c) a list of his or their publications, during the last five years,
  - d) two photographs (13 x 18) of the candidate(s).

Regulations and application form are available on website [www.frs-fnrs.be](http://www.frs-fnrs.be)

- Art. 5. The Prize will reward :
- a) a concrete realization in the field of understanding of tumors of the locomotor apparatus, their causes, their prevention, the diagnosis and/or their treatment,

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or

b) a research programme which, in the opinion of the Jury, is promising.

In this case only, can the selected candidate or research team apply for a next session. The Jury will reach a decision based on the progress that was made by the research programme.

Art. 6. The Prize will not be divided. However it can be awarded to a research team represented by a maximum of three researchers.

Art. 7. The Jury has the right not to award the Prize if the candidature(s) don't or doesn't reach the standards. In that case, the amount of the Prize is added to the capital.

Art. 8. The "Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique - FNRS" selects the members of the Jury from personalities specialized in the field of understanding, diagnosis and/or treatment of tumors of the locomotor apparatus.

Art. 9. The members of the Jury cannot be candidates for the Prize. However they can apply for another session or they can be laureates of a previous session.

Art. 10. All questions relating to the admissibility of the candidatures and the awarding of the Prize will be settled without appeal by the Fund only.

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April 2007.