



Charles Haenny Prize for Physics 2026

*Nomination deadline:
2 February 2026*

The prize distinguishes a young physicist (< 8 years after PhD) for research performed in Switzerland in any field of physics. The nominated work should be of excellent scientific quality and internationally competitive, while also respectful of humanity and its environment. In the spirit of Prof. Charles Haenny's will, the prize aims to distinguish research based on an ethic of international collaboration or seeking to inhibit the use of physical knowledge for malicious goals. The prize consists of an award of CHF 5'000 and a trophy to be presented during the 2026 SPS Annual Meeting.

**Nominations for the 2026 edition are now open
and are closing on 2 February 2026.**

The award committee is aiming at a diverse pool of candidates and encourages the nominations of women and members of other under-represented groups.

For full details on the requested nomination documents and nomination process, please see the prize website (link below).

For questions and further information, please contact the Chair of the selection committee Prof. Hugo Dil: hugo.dil@epfl.ch.

<https://www.epfl.ch/schools/sb/research/iphys/charles-haenny-prize/>