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Dear Colleagues,

It is our pleasure to announce the winners of the *Biology* 2022 Best Paper Award. All papers published in *Biology* from 1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020 were considered for this award. After thorough evaluation of the originality and significance of the papers, citations, and downloads, the three winning papers, which were nominated by the Editor-in-Chief Prof. Dr. Jukka Finne and Associate Editor-in-Chief Prof. Dr. Andrés Moya, have been selected.

The following review was selected:

Apoptotic Bodies: Particular Extracellular Vesicles Involved in Intercellular Communication

By Michela Battistelli and Elisabetta Falcieri

*Biology* **2020**, 9(1), 21; <https://doi.org/10.3390/biology9010021>

The following two research articles were selected:

Vegetation and Environmental Changes on Non-Reclaimed Spoil Heaps in Southern Poland

By Oimahmad Rahmonov, Robert Krzysztofik, Dorota Środek and Justyna Smolarek-Lach

*Biology* **2020**, 9(7), 164; <https://doi.org/10.3390/biology9070164>

Formyl Peptide Receptor 1 Signaling in Acute Inflammation and Neural Differentiation Induced by Traumatic Brain Injury

By Roberta Fusco, Enrico Gugliandolo, Rosalba Siracusa, Maria Scuto, Marika Cordaro, Ramona D'Amico, Maurizio Evangelista, Angelo Peli, Alessio Filippo Peritore, Daniela Impellizzeri, Rosalia Crupi, Salvatore Cuzzocrea and Rosanna Di Paola

*Biology* **2020**, 9(9), 238; <https://doi.org/10.3390/biology9090238>

Each winner (corresponding author) will receive CHF 500, as well as the chance to publish a paper in *Biology* in 2022.

On behalf of the assessment committee, I would like to congratulate the winners on their accomplishments. We would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the nominated research groups of the abovementioned exceptional papers for their contributions to *Biology*, and thank the award committee for voting and providing assistance for this award.

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