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As the Editor-in-Chief of *Nanomaterials*, it is my great pleasure to announce the winner of the *Nanomaterials* 2021 Best PhD Thesis Award.

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The award has been granted to:

Nanobiosensing platforms with SERS and MIP-based technologies

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The winner will receive 800 CHF, a certificate, and a chance to publish a paper free of charge in *Nanomaterials* in 2022.

On behalf of the assessment committee, I would like to congratulate Ana Carolina Marques on her accomplishment. We would also like to take this opportunity to thank all the nominated research groups of the above exceptional thesis for their contributions to *Nanomaterials*, and the Award Committee for voting and helping with this award.

Prof. Dr. Shirley Chiang
Editor-in-Chief, *Nanomaterials*