
Hygiene-Award of the

RUDOLF SCHÜLKE STIFTUNG



The prize will be awarded in 2022 for outstanding scientific work in the fields of

HYGIENE - INFECTION PREVENTION - PUBLIC AND GLOBAL HEALTH

Original research papers (no reviews, editorials, letters) on the prevention and control of contagious diseases are requested.

Original work on the development and application of prevention and control strategies as well as on procedures for antiseptics, disinfection, cleaning and their significance for patient safety will be considered.

Original research papers on the connection between such application and questions of patient safety are equally welcome as are papers on the consequences for public and global health resulting from this.

Papers on the prevention and control of Covid-19 or the SARS-CoV-2 virus in public institutions such as retirement homes, schools, kindergartens, workplaces, function rooms and large events are particularly appreciated.

For each application only one original paper published in German or English in a scientific journal after **1 January 2019**, or accompanied by a certificate of acceptance by the publisher, may be submitted.

The award carries **€ 15,000.—**, and will be presented at a ceremony. In exceptional cases the award may be split. The winners will be decided by a jury of the board and council of the Rudolf Schülke Foundation, whose decision is final.

Applicants are requested to submit their work by email latest by **15 December 2021** as a pdf file to andrea.rodewald@schuelke.com.

Representatives at universities and similar institutions may send nominations for the award to the same address.