

Dear Drempeleprijzen and Research Awards (BA and MA) nominees,

In this letter, you will find important information about the jury procedures and award ceremonies for all three awards.

## 1. Jury dates:

On the days below, you will be invited to present your graduation project in front of the jury panel (live or online, depending on your personal circumstances). You will receive the agenda and your timeslot beforehand; we do our best to make the agenda's ready by Thursday, October 15th.

*Research Awards:*

- Bachelor: October 26 (12:00-16:45) and 29 (10:00-14:00)
- Master: November 1 or 2 (the exact time to be determined)

*Drempeleprijzen:*

- Autonomous Practices: November 2 and 3 (the exact time to be determined)
- Commercial Practices: November 2 (the exact time to be determined)
- Social Practices: November 2 or 3 (the exact time to be determined)

## 2. Before your presentation:

- Both Research Awards (BA and MA) juries have received and read your theses in August.
- All juries (Drempeleprijzen and Research Awards) will receive the link to your projects' page on [wdka.nl](http://wdka.nl) or/and Graduation catalogue platform beforehand. Please make sure your project page on [Graduation Catalogue platform](#) is up to date. Mail Xenia ([o.a.faizoulova@hr.nl](mailto:o.a.faizoulova@hr.nl)) if you have forgotten/lost the login information.

## 3. Presentation:

- If you are a Research Award nominee, give a short introduction to your research question and proceed to present the result of your research, your graduation project. The jury will ask questions about both.
- If you are a nominee for the Drempeleprijzen, pitch your graduation project and tell about the research behind.
- Whether you present your graduation project in Dutch or English language is up to you.

## 4. Presentation time and procedure:

- You will receive a timeslot for your presentation beforehand. Please make sure you arrive on time if the presentation is live or be available online 5 minutes before the start of your presentation.
- Please prepare your presentation beforehand in such a way, that you can tell your story in 5-7 minutes, leaving another 5 minutes for the jury's questions. If you think you need more time to tell your story, please make a short video and share it on your Graduation Catalogue project page before October the 22nd (by embedding the YouTube or Vimeo link). If you don't know how to present your project in front of a camera, please contact Business Station ([wdka.businessstation@hr.nl](mailto:wdka.businessstation@hr.nl)) for advice.
- We encourage you to share your research document/thesis on the Graduation Catalogue platform.
- If your graduation work contains a movie/animation/performance, please send us the links to the videos before October the 22nd and we'll make sure the jury receives them on time. There will be no time to watch longer videos during your presentations.

## 5. Appliances:

Please make sure that your computer, camera, and speakers work properly, by checking and preparing everything a day before. Be aware of the limitations of giving a presentation online, run a try-out beforehand.

## 6. The outcome and the Award ceremony:

The winners will be announced on n November 19, after Zoom-in, Research at WdKA online programme. We are looking into the possibilities to partially host the award ceremonies in the WdKA building. Please bear in mind that within our premises everyone is obliged to follow the rules and schedules to meet the RIVM regulations.

## 7. Contact:

- Please contact **Xenia Faizoulova** ([o.a.faizoulova@hr.nl](mailto:o.a.faizoulova@hr.nl)) if you have any questions about **Research Awards** and sharing your project on the platform, or WdKA main website.
- Please contact **Monique van der Salm** ([m.van.der.salm@hr.nl](mailto:m.van.der.salm@hr.nl)) if you have any questions regarding **Drempelrijzen**.

Kind regards,

Xenia and Monique