

SANTORIO AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

The *Centre for the Study of Medicine and the Body in the Renaissance* invites applications for the **Santorio Award for Excellence in Research**. The scheme is designed to support scholarly excellence in intellectual history and to promote the best PhD theses in history of medicine and science with a focus on Europe, throughout the period 1100-1800. It is named after the Italian physician **Santorio Santori (1561-1636)**, who is considered the father of quantitative experimental physiology.

ELIGIBILITY

The award is open to PhD and early career scholars of all nationalities, within six years from their PhD viva (not prior to 1st June 2013).

APPLICATION PROCESS

Applicants should send a cover letter with the index of their thesis plus a significant chapter of it to csmbr@fondazionecomel.org. Each applicant will then select one referee, better if the PhD supervisor, who will be sending their reference letter separately to the head of the scientific committee at psmemm@fondazionecomel.org.

Application deadline: 25 of February 2020 with successful applicants notified by early May.

NATURE OF THE AWARD

The award consists of a cash prize (for the first position) plus a medal and a publication of the first two selected works with the series **Palgrave Studies in Medieval and Early Modern Medicine** (editors: J. Barry and F. Bigotti).

1 st Place:	€ 1500 + medal + publication
2 nd Place:	medal + publication

Publication is agreed separately by the editors of the series upon the whole manuscript passing the peer-review process.

CEREMONY AWARD

Successful applicants will receive their award during the last day of the 2020 CSMBR conference, whose date will be communicated later this year, and invited to speak with a short paper on their own work.

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