

The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences Prospectus

1. Objectives

The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences, co-organised by the Macao Foundation and the Social Sciences in China Press, are held to further review the achievements in humanities and social sciences research on Macao. Moreover, the Awards aim to encourage the research communities in Macao to play a more active role and for their drive to innovation in their research, thereby promoting the prosperity of Macao's academic development. Meanwhile, this year's edition of the Awards continues to feature the honorary award "Outstanding Contribution Award for Macao Humanities and Social Sciences", to laud individuals for their excellent contribution and significant achievements in promoting or conducting humanities and social sciences research on Macao.

2. Organisers

Macao Foundation, Social Sciences in China Press.

3. Judging Panel

- (1) An Evaluation Committee for the Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences will be organised. The Committee is responsible for leading the entire process of the evaluation, and for carrying out the final evaluation.
- (2) The Committee consists of two chairs and 12 members.
- (3) Two liaison offices will operate under the Evaluation Committee for the Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences. The two offices, located respectively in the Macao Foundation and the Social Sciences in China Press (hereinafter referred to as the "Macao evaluation office" and "Beijing evaluation office"), are responsible for the daily work related to evaluation.

4. Eligibility and Categories

(1) The Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences

- (i) To enter, entries must be published formally by domestic or international academics between 1 January 2018 and 31 December 2020 (based on the publication date indicated on the entry) and related to Macao's humanities and social sciences. Entries can be monographs, popular science writings, research papers, research reports, translations, reference works, and collation of ancient works.
- (ii) Four discipline categories will be evaluated: 1) Economics and Management; 2) Politics, Law, Journalism, and Sociology; 3) History, Philosophy and Literature; 4) Languages, Education and Art.

(2) Outstanding Contribution Award for Macao Humanities and Social Sciences

Recipient(s) of such award is nominated and selected by the members of the Evaluation Committee, with the aim to acknowledge individuals for their dedication to promoting the development of humanities and social sciences in Macao over the years and for their contribution and significant achievements in research in the said areas.

No members of the Evaluation Committee and immediate staff members of the organisers are allowed to take part in the evaluation.

5. Submission Period

Open for entries from 1 July to 30 September 2021 (dated by the postmark). (The entry period is three months long).

6. Prizes

(1) Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences

A total of 60 prizes are available, comprising four First prizes, four Second prizes, eight Third prizes and 12 Merit prizes for the Category of Books; and four

First prizes, four Second prizes, 12 Third prizes and 12 Merit prizes for the Category of Papers.

Awardees will receive a certificate and a cash prize as follows:

- (i) Category of Books: MOP 50,000 each for First prize winners
MOP 30,000 each for Second prize winners
MOP 15,000 each for Third prize winners
MOP 10,000 each for Merit prize winners
- (ii) Category of Papers: MOP 25,000 each for First prize winners
MOP 15,000 each for Second prize winners
MOP 8,000 each for Third prize winners
MOP 5,000 each for Merit prize winners

Depending on the number of entries, the ratio of the aforementioned prizes can be adjusted. If necessary, prizes may even be vacant. However, the total number of prizes for each category (Books, Papers) remains unchanged.

(2) Outstanding Contribution Award for Macao Humanities and Social Sciences

The awardee(s) will receive a Certificate of Honour.

7. Submissions

Prospective entrants for the Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences should take note of the following:

- (1) If the entrant is not the first author of the entry submitted for evaluation, he/she must submit a declaration, as proof of approval from the other author(s) of the work concerned.
- (2) Each entrant may only submit two entries maximum for each category (Books, Papers). This is counted according to the entrant's submissions, and in the case of co-authored entries, the first author will be considered. Together with each entry submitted, the entrant should submit an entry form, four physical copies of the entry (including an original; and if the entry is published

in electronic format and as such, the entrant is unable to provide an original, he/she shall provide related documents for justification of authorship), and an electronic file of the entry (published version).

- (3) Entry forms can be obtained from the Macao evaluation office, from the Macao Foundation website (www.fmac.org.mo), or the Social Sciences in China Press website (www.cssn.cn).
- (4) Entrants should submit the materials mentioned above to the Macao evaluation office by hand or by post (address: Macao Foundation, Avenida da Praia Grande N.º 619, Edifício Comercial Si Toi, 13º Andar, Macao).
- (5) Please mark “**The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences**” on the cover of the material.

8. Evaluation Procedure

The evaluation for the Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences includes three phases, namely, preliminary evaluation, re-evaluation, and final evaluation.

- (1) Preliminary evaluation: Entries will be scored and selected for re-evaluation by the Evaluation Committee.
- (2) Re-evaluation: The Evaluation Committee will evaluate the entries by discipline areas, selecting the provisional First, Second, Third prizes and Merit prizes.
- (3) Final evaluation: The chairs and all members of the Evaluation Committee will discuss and determine the final list of winning entries for the First, Second, Third prizes and Merit prizes.

9. Schedules

Application: July to September 2021;

Evaluation: October 2021 to the first quarter of 2022;

Announcement of Result: Second quarter of 2022.

10. For any matters not covered in this Prospectus, the organisers reserve the right of final interpretation and decision.

The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences Entry Form

| For Official Use Only | | |
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| Entry No. | Date received | Checked by |
| Remark(s) | <input type="checkbox"/> Original to be returned <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic original <input type="checkbox"/> Others: _____ | Category: <input type="checkbox"/> Books <input type="checkbox"/> Papers |
| Document(s) received <input type="checkbox"/> An Entry Form <input type="checkbox"/> Four physical copies of the entry (including an original) <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic file of the entry (published version) <input type="checkbox"/> Other documents (if any): _____ | | |

* Before filling out the form, please read the Prospectus and the “Points to Note” on this page.

| 1 | Entry information | | |
|---------------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| Name of Entrant | Gender | Year of Birth | ID card no. |
| Currently Working for | | | Title |
| Correspondence address | | | |
| Telephone | Mobile | | E-mail |
| Title of the entry | | | |
| By Discipline | <input type="checkbox"/> Economics and Management <input type="checkbox"/> History, Philosophy and Literature | | <input type="checkbox"/> Politics, Law, Journalism and Sociology <input type="checkbox"/> Language, Education and Art |
| By Category | <input type="checkbox"/> Books | Name of Publisher and Region | |
| Date of Publication | | | Number of Words |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Papers | Name of Journal and Region | | |
| Date of Publication | | | Number of Words |

Points to Note

1. To enter, please submit the following documents:
 - An Entry Form:
Entry forms can be downloaded from the Macao Foundation website (www.fmac.org.mo) or the Social Sciences in China Press website (www.cssn.cn); please sign the entry form for confirmation.
 - Four physical copies of the entry (including an original);
 - Electronic file of the entry (published version)
File Format: MS Word or PDF, mail to hssawards@fm.org.mo or burn the file to an optical disc (CD or DVD).
2. The name of the entrant must match the name on the entrant’s ID, and cash prize payment(s) shall be made to the entrant’s bank account.
3. Entrants should submit the documents within the submission period by hand or by post to the Macao evaluation office (address: Macao Foundation, Avenida da Praia Grande N.º 619, Edifício Comercial Si Toi, 13º Andar, Macao).
4. This form is to be printed on an A4-sized paper. Please use extra sheets if the space allowed for entry description is insufficient.
5. Please mark “The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences” on the cover of the material.
6. For any matters not covered in the Prospectus, the organisers reserve the right of final interpretation and decision.

The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences Entry Form

| Entry Description | |
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| 2 | <p>The following should be included: 1) The main content of the entry; 2) its theoretical innovation and academic value; 3) its academic influence or social benefit, including the entry's reprints, citation, or adoption etc.</p> |
| <p style="margin-left: 100px;">Date / / _____</p> <p style="margin-left: 100px; text-align: center;">DD MM YYYY Signature</p> | |
| Personal Information Collection Statement | |
| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Personal information of entrant provided to the organisers will only be used for promoting “The 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences” and for compiling statistics. 2. The organisers may, in the terms prescribed by law or at the entrant’s request, notify or transfer his/her personal information to relevant entities. 3. Entrants have the right to request access to and the correction of personal information in the entry form from the organisers, in the terms prescribed by law. | |
| Declaration (The following declaration does not affect the final result of the evaluation) | |
| <p>To enhance academic exchange and promote studies on Macao, the Macao Foundation plans to upload an electronic version of the entry to its websites or those related to the Macao Foundation, for readers’ non-profit use in reading and keyword searching.</p> | |
| <p>I <input type="checkbox"/> agree</p> <p> <input type="checkbox"/> disagree</p> | <p>that the Macao Foundation uploads my entry to its websites or those related to the Macao Foundation.</p> |
| <p>_____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Signature</p> | |

Declaration

I hereby agree that _____ (not first author), ID number _____, is responsible for submitting the co-authored work entitled _____

to the organisers for the 6th Outstanding Achievement Awards for Macao Research in Humanities and Social Sciences, and agree all the terms and conditions set out in the Prospectus.

Co-authors :

(First author)

(Other author[s])