Science Award for Supply Chain Management

Invitation for Entries
Do you want to affect Supply Chain Management?

Have you done application-oriented research studies?

Scientists must be courageous! They need the boldness to question the tried and tested and to explore new, unknown avenues. This is how they advance logistics and supply chain management - often with dissertation projects.

With this award BVL honours outstanding theses of young scientists with high practical relevance and hence reproducible benefits for the daily operations of companies.

The award also recognises the contribution of the supervising institutes. It were these institutes which created the decisive stimuli as well as the conditions required for targeted research.

A pre-selection of projects will be presented within the framework of the International Supply Chain Conference. After these presentations, the jury will make its final decision on the winner of the 2019 Science Award for Supply Chain Management.

The Science Award for Supply Chain Management carries a cash prize of € 5,000 for the winner as well as € 5,000 for the supervising institute.

Experienced experts judge your entries.

The Finalists Science Award for Supply Chain Management 2018

The jury in the final round in Berlin
SCIENCE AWARD FOR SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

The following are entitled to submit entries:
- The person conducting the project or writing the thesis, persons who are responsible for supervising doctoral theses (habilitation) and the responsible board member or institution.
- Entries can only be accepted if the promotion procedure was integrally closed, this means oral exam before June 30, 2019. At the time of the application deadline the submitted work shall not be more than three years old. A book publication is not obligatory.
- Submitted work should be of high practical relevance and have reproducible benefits for the actual practice. Ideally, the projects should already have been put into practice or should be in the implementation phase. A description of the implementation or implementation approaches is needed.
- There is no constriction on defined business sectors or industries. But examples for the implementation in certain business sectors or industries are highly desirable features. Compliance with formalities is being checked by the BVL head office.

In your application please point out the following aspects:
- scientific approach
- relation to Supply Chain Management/Logistics
- grade of innovation
- relevance to actual practice
Previous award winners

2014  Dr. Matthias Winkenbach  |  2013  Dr. Mayolo Alberto López Castellanos  |  2012  Dr. Jennifer Schwarz und Dr.-Ing. Martin Keßler
2006  Dr. Gernot Liedtke  |  2005  Dr. Ralf Elbert  |  2004  Dr. Carl Marcus Wallenburg  |  2003  Dr. Thorsten Klaas  |  2002  Dr. Hermann Lüdding
2001  Dr. Stephan Dürrschmidt  |  2000  Dr. Mechthild Erdmann  |  1999  Dr. Martin Kaupp  |  1998  Dr.-Ing. Markus Greiling  |  1997  Dr. Uta Schneider
1992  Dr. Stephan Freichel

How to submit your work

**Phase 1** (electronically only, as PDF or in MS Word by e-mail to nehls@bvl.de)

- Informal letter to the jury, explaining how the work meets the terms of participation
- Short description of the work to be submitted (max. three pages)
- List of contents
- Tabular CV of the candidate
- Supporting letter of the Ph.D supervisor
- List of publications
- Statement of the applicant that he has not applied for any comparable procedure.
Entries can be submitted in German or English.

**Phase 2** (complete printed work (8 copies), as well as one digital version)

Following a pre-selection process by the jury the best-placed applicants will be asked to submit their entire work:

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The deadline for entries in phase 1 is June 30, 2019.

The decision of the jury is final.