In recognising the importance of doctoral work in the area of Artificial Organs, the ESAO Board of Governors is pleased to announce the

**ESAO PhD Award**

To increase the visibility of excellent young researchers who recently obtained their PhD in the field of Artificial Organs.

**Who can apply?**

- Applicants must
  - be current ESAO or yESAO members (active membership at least for the last two years)
  - have attended at least two ESAO Congresses or Winter Schools with active participation (poster or oral presentation)
  - have defended their PhD thesis after January 1, 2020 with honorary distinction.

**How to apply?**

- An electronic version of the PhD thesis
- Proof of ESAO Congress or Winter School attendances
- PhD certificate
- CV including
  - publication list
  - international and national scientific awards and grants
  - scientific stays abroad
  - presentations on international conferences

Please submit the above documents in PDF format to the ESAO office, Anita Aichinger: anita.aichinger@donau-uni.ac.at

**Timeline**

- Deadline for submission: June 30, 2021.
- Decision of the PhD Award committee: July 31, 2021.
- Award ceremony during the upcoming ESAO annual congress in London, September 7-11, 2021 (online)