

## CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: 2014 DAN DAVID PRIZE

**Nomination Deadline: November 30, 2013**

**Prize Amount: \$1,000,000**

**Eligible Nominees: Individuals or organizations with proven, exceptional, distinct excellence in the sciences, arts, and humanities**

**Eligible Fields: history and memory, memory loss, and artificial intelligence**

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The Dan David Prize is an annual international prize, which awards three prizes of US \$1 million each for achievements having an outstanding scientific, technological, cultural or social impact on our world. The Dan David Prize recognizes and encourages innovative and interdisciplinary research that cuts across traditional boundaries and paradigms. It aims to foster universal values of excellence, creativity, justice, democracy and progress and to promote the scientific, technological and humanistic achievements that advance and improve our world.

Each year, prizes and fields are chosen within the three Time Dimensions: Past, Present and Future.

- The Past refers to fields that expand knowledge of former times. The 2014 Dan David Prize for the Past Time Dimension will be awarded in the field of [History and Memory](#). The prize will be awarded to an outstanding individual who has made a significant contribution to the understanding of the interplay between history and memory, and between contemporary perceptions and narratives of the past.
- The Present recognizes achievements that shape and enrich society today. The 2014 Dan David Prize for the Present Time Dimension will be awarded in the field of [Combatting Memory Loss](#). The prize will be awarded to an outstanding individual who has made a significant contribution to the understanding of memory loss and continues to pioneer the way forward to finding a solution.
- The Future focuses on breakthroughs that hold great promise for improvement of our world. The 2014 Dan David Prize for the Future Time Dimension will be awarded in the field of [Artificial Intelligence](#). The prize will be awarded to an outstanding individual who has made a ground breaking, significant contribution to any major aspect of Artificial Intelligence and continues to advance this field.

### **Nomination Process:**

Nominations must be submitted online at [www.dandavidprize.org/prize-nominations](http://www.dandavidprize.org/prize-nominations) by November 30, 2013. The nomination consists of:

- Online nomination form
- A detailed description of the nominee's work (1-2 pages), stipulating reasons why the nominee merits the Dan David Prize.
- Curriculum Vitae of the nominee, or a detailed prospectus in case of an organization
- A list of the nominee's publications of the last 15 years

- A list of the nominee's most relevant publications or projects
- Other relevant information
- A photo of the nominee in electronic format

**Additional Information:**

More information on the 2014 Dan David Prize can be found at <http://www.dandavidprize.org/>.

Recent award recipients from Harvard University include: Eric Lander (Broad Institute, 2012), Gary Ruvkin (Harvard Medical School, 2011), George Whitesides (Department of Chemistry & Chemical Biology, 2005).

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