

MINISTRY OF EDUCATION AND HUMAN RESOURCES, TERTIARY EDUCATION AND SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

COMMUNIQUE

Participation in the 7th Lindau Laureate Meeting of the Laureates of the Sveriges Riksbank Prize in Economic Sciences in Memory of Alfred Nobel

25 – 29 August 2020

The Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research has been requested by the organising Council for the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings to nominate Mauritian citizens studying in Mauritian Higher Education Institutions to participate in the 7th Lindau Meeting dedicated to Economic Sciences.

Nobel laureates in Economic Sciences will be invited to the 7th Lindau Laureate Meeting to be held from **25 to 29 August 2020** in Lindau, Germany. About 500 economists, mostly advanced graduate students and post docs, but also some young assistant professors, will form the audience for their lectures, panel discussions and special discussion sessions.

The costs of participation **for the selected participant** will be borne by the Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research and by the organisers.

Young participants will be recruited worldwide among the most promising young scholars in economic sciences.

The review panel of the Council for the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings will select the participants among candidates meeting the following criteria:

- To count as young economists, applicants should be under 35 years of age, belong to the top of their class/cohort, and have strong recommendations from their academic advisor;
- Candidates should have a promising research agenda;
- Candidates should be actively interested in international dialogue within the academic community;
- Candidates should demonstrate fluency in the English language; and
- Candidates should be willing to prepare themselves fully for the Lindau Meeting.
- (1) Advanced graduate students should
 - have excellent academic records
 - have written one or several discussion papers on original research
 - have at least some experience in presenting their research at workshops and conferences

(2) Post-docs or early tenure-track scientists should

- be less than 5 years away from their Ph.D.
- have published outstanding papers in widely recognised academic journals
- have presented their research at international conferences

MODE OF APPLICATION

Candidates are required to submit, the following:

- (1) Complete CV;
- (2) Scanned copy of their National Identity Card;
- (3) Proof of Address;
- (4) Contact Details; and
- (5) Any other document, to meet the selection standard and criteria required by the Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research.

More details about the selection criteria may be obtained from the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings website: <u>www.lindau-nobel.org</u> and that of the Ministry: <u>ministry-</u><u>education.govmu.org/</u>. The nomination process is web-based. Please note that a nomination does not necessarily lead to an invitation to participate in the meeting. The Organising Council for the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings will select only the most talented applicants.

Eligible candidates are invited to send their applications, by email, to the Ministry of Education and Human Resources, Tertiary Education and Scientific Research, to <u>vaputchay@govmu.org</u> by **Monday 4th November 2019.**

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