



**WOLF  
FOUNDATION**

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR NOMINATING CANDIDATES

### The Wolf Prize

**WOLF PRIZE** in the SCIENCES and ARTS are awarded since 1978 to outstanding artists and scientists for their achievements for the benefit of mankind and brotherly relations among peoples, regardless of nationality, race, color, religion, sex or political views.

Wolf prizes are been awarded annually.

Prize fields in sciences comprise: Agriculture, Chemistry, Mathematics, Medicine and Physics.

In the Arts, the prize rotates annually among Architecture, Music, Painting and Sculpture.

In accordance with the Wolf Prize principle of rotation three to four prizes are been given in the Sciences and one prize in the Arts.

The prize in each area consists of a diploma and 100,000 US\$. In the event of co-recipients sharing one prize, the honorarium is equally divided among them.

To date, 346 scientists and artists from all over the world have been awarded the prestigious Wolf Prize.



### Process of Nomination

#### NOMINATION FORMS

- Candidates should be proposed on the attached Official Nomination Form
- If you opened the PDF file and the form does not contain interactive fields, save the form on your computer, and then open it directly in Acrobat or Acrobat Reader >> mouse right click context menu 'open with' command>> Acrobat
- All form items must be completed in full and **typewritten in English, 12 font size**
- The requested information should be confined to the allotted space
- Please **DO NOT PRINT AND SCAN** the Nomination Form. Kindly keep and fill the original PDF Form.

**We are here to assist with any quation. E-Mail us: [Office@wolffund.org.il](mailto:Office@wolffund.org.il)**

## GENERAL

- Two or three candidates may be nominated to receive the Prize jointly. In this case, each candidate should be submitted in a separate form, with the name of the jointly filed candidate inserted into the appropriate place. If a joint nomination is for collaborative work, please state this at the beginning of the Brief Description section. The brief description of the collaborative work conducted need not be repeated in relation to the joint candidate. You may, however, wish to describe each candidate's specific role.
- You may also propose an additional nominee (unrelated to the first one) on a separate form.
- The Wolf Foundation may request required additional information, either from the institution where the candidate is active or from the candidate him/herself, indicating that he/she has been nominated for the prize but without mentioning the nominator's name.
- FIELD OF NOMINATION :  
In accordance with the Wolf Prize principle of rotation in Sciences, a candidate can be nominated for only one of the following fields: **Physics - Chemistry – Medicine**  
In accordance with the Wolf Prize principle of rotation in the Arts, the 2020 Prize will be awarded in the field of **Music**.

## SUPPORTING MATERIALS

- Please submit all of the required (officials letters, Photo, short BIO) named with the sub- titles as shown in the Nomination Form.
- Whenever possible, kindly add to the nomination any available information material on the candidate/s work. This material shall not be returned to sender.
- Additional documents may be added to the nomination form, in order to extend the information provided therein. Relevant documents and letters of support may be appended.

## SUBMISSION

Nominations and all additional material should be submitted by September 30th, 2020.  
Please note that nominations received after this date will not be submitted to the Prize Jury Committ.



Please send the material via email only  
E-Mail: [Office@wolffund.org.il](mailto:Office@wolffund.org.il)



## Limitations

- The Prize is awarded to individuals, not to institutions;
- A person cannot nominate him/herself;
- A Nobel Prize Laureate will not be considered, unless his/her nomination is proposed for an achievement entirely different from the one that won him/her the Nobel Prize;
- The Wolf Prize is awarded by the President of the State of Israel in Jerusalem, Therefore nominators are requested not to propose candidates who, to the best of their knowledge, may not be able to attend the Ceremony.
- Two candidates may be nominated to receive the Prize jointly for collaborative work, or for the same contribution to achievement and development of the field .



## Selection of Wolf Laureates

The selection of the Wolf Laureates is made by an international Prize Committees, comprising renowned experts in each field. Prize committees are appointed every year.

Each committee consists voting members from different continents.

The Committee screens and prioritize the nominations and presents a proposal for final candidates for final discussion and decision.

Committee decisions are final and irrevocable.

### Secrecy

Committee members, proceedings and recommendations are kept confidential; except for the citation of the recipient's prize justifications, written by the committee members, which is published by the Wolf Foundation.

The names of the nominees and other information about the nominations are kept confidential. However, the nominator is not bound to keep his role secret, and may inform the candidate(s), or any other person(s), of the candidacy.