Regulations for Awarding the Radboud Women Professors Network Jubilee Prize

Article 1
The Radboud Women Professors Network (NVH) have decided to award a NVH Prize to young female scientists at Radboud University and RadboudUMC.

Article 2
The NVH Prize, consisting of a sum of 1,000 Euros (which can be spent freely) and a certificate, shall be awarded to four outstanding female scientists. The Jury aims to award the prizes within different scientific fields (Humanities, Social Sciences, Natural Sciences or Medical Sciences). This prize is intended to honour and encourage young women in science.

The criteria for the prize are:
- Scientific output
- Public and social engagement
- Important teaching achievements
- Prizes and grants awarded
- Relevant work experience(s) abroad

Article 3
Those eligible for the NVH Prize are female scientists who completed a PhD less than five years ago and whose primary appointment is at Radboud University or RadboudUMC.

Prolongation clause: The stated term of five years may be extended in the situation of long-term sick leave, maternity/parental leave or compassionate leave. Scientists who have had maternity/parental leave shall be allowed 18 months extension per child. The prolongation clause may also be invoked by those combining a part-time contract with care responsibilities, those training in a clinical specialisation recognised by the Royal Dutch Medical Association (KNMG), or those combining care leave with training to become a clinical specialist.

Article 4
NVH shall appoint a judging panel composed of three full professors from Radboud University or RadboudUMC and a chairperson, which is not a member of the Board of the Radboud Network of Women Professors. The panel shall be relieved of its duties once the prize has been awarded.

Article 5
The NVH Prize shall be awarded by a majority vote. In case of a tie vote, the vote of the chairperson shall be the casting vote.

Article 6
The NVH Prize award ceremony will take place during the NVH conference ‘Women in the Spotlight’ on March 8th, 2019.

Article 7
Cases not covered by these regulations shall be resolved by the NVH board.

These regulations were laid down in the Women Professor Network board meeting of 6 September 2011.