PRESS COMMUNIQUÉ

UNESCO– L’Oreal Awards for Women in Physical Sciences - 2015

Within the framework of the “For Women in Science” partnership between the L’Oreal Foundation and UNESCO, the 2014 call for nominations for outstanding women scientists for the contributions of their research, the strength of their commitments and their impact on society, has been launched.

2. Five awards of Euro 100,000 will be offered to five (5) women scientists, one from each of the five regions:

   - Africa and the Arab States
   - Asia – Pacific
   - Europe
   - Latin America
   - North America

3. Application Procedure

   The nominators must sign into the new platform “For Women in Science” accessible on www.fwis.fr. And upload all the necessary documents in order to submit the candidates’ application.

4. Deadline

   The deadline for submitting nominations online is 15 June 2014.

5. For information regarding eligibly criteria, selection criteria, nominations, etc, interested applicants are invited to consult the Ministry’s website at http://ministry-education.gov.mu

6. Applicants are also kindly requested to inform the Mauritius National Commission for UNESCO of their participation by submitting their name and contact details.

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