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Dear Colleagues,

The journal *Healthcare* is inviting applications for the 2022 Best PhD Thesis Award. This prize will be awarded to a PhD student or doctor who has produced a highly anticipated academic potential thesis. The applications will be assessed by an evaluation committee led by the Editor-in-Chief, Dr. Rahman Shiri.

Eligibility Requirements:

- The candidate must be a PhD student or a doctor who has produced a highly anticipated academic potential thesis;
- The PhD thesis must be their original work;
- The PhD thesis must be defended in 2022;
- Applicants are required to submit the following documents:
 - a. An executive summary of the PhD thesis in English of around 3000 words;
 - b. A letter from the PhD supervisor recommending the candidate for consideration for this award;
 - c. The candidate's CV, including a list of publications connected with the thesis;
 - d. An electronic copy of the PhD thesis;
 - e. A scanned copy of the PhD diploma (or certificate of studying at a school or research institute as a PhD student going to graduate or participate in graduation thesis defenses).

Selection Criteria:

- Quality of resume and publications;
- Relevance of the candidate and research description;
- Novelty of the candidate's PhD thesis;
- Strength of the recommendation letter;
- Anticipated academic potential;
- Originality and impact of the research.

Prizes:

- Bonus (CHF 800);
- Certificate;
- An offer to publish a featured paper in *Healthcare* with the article processing charge (APC) waived before the end of 2023.

The application deadline is 31 October 2022. The winner will be announced on the *Healthcare* website by the end of January 2023.

Dr. Rahman Shiri
Editor-in-Chief, *Healthcare*

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