

Opportunity Title: Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting 2020

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How to Apply Provide all required documentation (personal statement, research abstract, CV); complete the online application (see Apply button below); and receive two (2) strong recommendation letters by 4pm EST September 13, 2019.

If you attend an [ORAU Consortium Member University](#), then you should seek a letter of endorsement from your university's Councilor.

Application Deadline 9/13/2019 11:59:59 PM Eastern Time Zone

Description What is it?


Once every year, Nobel Laureates convene in Lindau, Germany, to meet the next generation of leading scientists. This year, it could be you that is selected to represent the next generation of scientists! Nobel Laureates in Chemistry, Physics, and Physiology or Medicine will be invited to the interdisciplinary Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting to be held June 28-July 3, 2020.


In 2020, over 600 young scientists will join the Nobel Laureates to discuss today's scientific research. The scientific program of each Lindau Meeting is based on the principle of dialogue. The different sessions – lectures, discussions, Master Classes, and panel discussions – are designed to activate the exchange of knowledge, ideas, and experience between and among Nobel Laureates and young scientists. The Lindau Meetings cooperate with more than 200 of the most renowned science and research institutions worldwide to identify the most qualified participants. In the majority of cases, young scientists have to be nominated by these academic partners in order to be able to apply for participation. ORAU is one such partner and supports this initiative through the application process, as well as funding selected applicants, on their trip.

Where and When?

Nobel Laureates in Chemistry, Physics, and Physiology or Medicine will be invited to the interdisciplinary Lindau Laureate Meeting to be held June 28-July 3, 2020, in Lindau, Germany. In 2020, 600 young scientists and approximately 100 Nobel Laureates will celebrate the 70th anniversary of the Lindau Nobel Laureate Meetings. Join the excitement and scientific dialogue!



What will you be doing?


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You will be networking with approximately 100 Nobel Laureates in Chemistry, Physics, and Physiology or Medicine as part of this interdisciplinary meeting, as well as over 600 students from around the world who are actively pursuing their academic career and research. You will be participating in meetings, panel discussion and sessions. You will discuss your research to a variety of audiences and make connections that you will utilize the rest of your career.

Qualifications Who is eligible to apply for the U.S. delegation?

All nominated participants shall:

- Be a U.S. citizen or a U.S. Legal Permanent Resident (Foreign nationals may contact the Lindau Meeting Planners to Academic Partners outside of the United States.)
- Be current doctoral students who show excellent academic accomplishments and have already produced excellent research work (e.g., documented by publications, conference presentations and/or research awards and prizes)
- Have at least two years of doctoral work complete by June 2020 but not planning to defend a dissertation/thesis prior to January 1, 2021
- Show a genuine interest and engagement in science and research
- Show excellence in your principal field of studies and show a clear commitment to interdisciplinary work (i.e., documented by double degrees or interdisciplinary projects in your research work)
- Receive very strong support of the application by your academic advisor and/or by an internationally renowned scientist who knows the applicant well (as evidenced by two strong recommendation letters)
- Provide a comprehensive CV detailing your academic, research and publication successes
- Be fluent in English and be prepared to actively participate in discussions with laureates and emerging scientists
- Be a high achiever at your academic institution and belonging to the top 5% of your class
- Not have participated in previous Lindau meetings
- Commit to being present in Lindau, Germany, for the full duration of the meetings.

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**Eligibility
Requirements**

- **Citizenship:** LPR or U.S. Citizen
- **Degree:** Currently pursuing a Doctoral Degree.
- **Overall GPA:** 2.00
- **Discipline(s):**
 - **Chemistry and Materials Sciences** (12 )
 - **Communications and Graphics Design** (2 )
 - **Computer, Information, and Data Sciences** (16 )
 - **Earth and Geosciences** (21 )
 - **Engineering** (27 )
 - **Environmental and Marine Sciences** (14 )
 - **Life Health and Medical Sciences** (45 )
 - **Mathematics and Statistics** (10 )
 - **Other Non-Science & Engineering** (2 )
 - **Physics** (16 )
 - **Science & Engineering-related** (1 )
 - **Social and Behavioral Sciences** (27 )
- **Age:** Must be 18 years old by 9/30/2019

Affirmation

I confirm that I meet the eligibility criteria as described in the opportunity posting.