

THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR TECHNICAL ISSUES RELATED TO WOOD ivth  
(registered association)

for the tenth time invites entries for the

Wilhelm-Klauditz-Prize  
**for Wood Research and Environmental Protection**

established in 1988.

The prize honors outstanding scientific or process-relevant work in the field of wood research and wood utilization, and particularly when this work comprises findings serving to the environmental protection. The prize is remunerated with 5.000 Euro. It is awarded according to the "Rules for Allocation" which are provided under the following address:

Internationaler Verein für Technische Holzfragen e.V. ivth  
(International Association for Technical Issues related to Wood)  
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Suggestions and applications have to be sent digital in pdf format or by mail

**until July 31, 2018 (deadline)**

to the above address. The prize shall be awarded in November 2018. Suggestions and applications can be submitted by research facilities and their institutes, associations of industry and economy as well as by individual enterprises and persons from all countries.

The documents shall clearly describe the scientific or process-relevant result and they shall allow an evaluation according to following criteria:

For scientific work:

Progress in findings, methodical extent, scientific profoundness, scientific impacts, significance for the practical use.

For process-relevant work:

Relevance for practical use, innovation profoundness and technical significance; economic significance. Further shall be demonstrated the benefit for the State and the society.

The documents of application shall be written in German or English language and shall not exceed 15 pages DIN A4 (including eventual enclosures, e.g., essays from the trade press). The completion of the project of the research facility shall not date back longer than five years at the deadline.

The awarding of the "Wilhelm-Klauditz-Prize" is decided by a prize committee consisting of representatives of economy, science and public institutions.

Braunschweig, in March 2018