

Excellence in Pathology Awards 2017

The window is now open for entries to the **Excellence in Pathology Awards** abstract competition.

What is the Excellence in Pathology Awards?

Each year, Viapath celebrates the pioneering work in science that takes place throughout the organisation through its **Excellence in Pathology Awards**. So if you have recently been involved in a scientific research project for your department, we want you to **submit an abstract** detailing the work you did for a chance to win this prestigious award!

What does the competition involve?

Each abstract submitted will be given to a panel of expert judges who will decide on which ones to shortlist as their finalists. The exciting final round of the competition will take place at the **7th Innovation Academy Symposium** this December where each finalist will present their work to an audience in a fast-paced "lightning" presentation. The Excellence in Pathology Award will go to the best talk on the day as voted by the audience.

Previous winners have all shown a high calibre of scientific talent and have set the bar high for each successive event. Here are a few of the past award winners:

2016: Dr David Taylor

2015: Aled Jones

2014: Adele Corrigan

Find the details about their winning abstracts on the following link:

<http://www.viapath.co.uk/innovation-academy/events>

What's the prize?

The **Winner** of the Excellence in Pathology Award will receive **£500** worth of gift vouchers

2x **Runner-up**: **£250** gift voucher

Who can enter the competition? Open to anyone at Band 7 equivalent or below.

How to apply: You simply need to submit an **abstract of no more than 250 words** to Innovationacademy@viapath.co.uk by **midnight on 3rd November**. Please be aware that late submissions will not be accepted.

We look forward to receiving your abstracts – good luck!