Linking Life Science Data: 
Design to Implementation, and Beyond

Poster Competition for Early Career Researchers

The Open PHACTS Consortium and Open PHACTS Foundation are pleased to announce a poster competition to be held at our upcoming conference on linking life science data.

The competition will be open to early career researchers (from Masters students to post-doctoral fellows), with a prize of €300 for the poster best demonstrating the actual or potential benefits to life science research of using the linked data in the Open PHACTS Discovery Platform. Travel costs for those presenting posters will also be reimbursed up to a maximum of €400.

Appropriate topics for poster submissions include:

- Concrete scientific use cases for linked data
- New insights or discoveries made possible by linked data
- Use of the Open PHACTS API in research workflows, for example through KNIME, Pipeline Pilot, Taverna, or other tools
- Experimental validation of in silico findings from linked data
- Drug repurposing or repositioning guided by linked data
- New business questions or refinement of old business questions made possible by linked data
- Expansions or contributions to open data
- Semantically linking Open PHACTS data to other data sources or services

Conference Details

Date: 18–19 February, 2016
Location: Vienna, Austria
Registration: Free to attend

Competition Details

Entry Deadline: 11 January, 2016
Prize: €300
Applications: pmu@openphacts.org

To apply, please submit a CV (maximum 2 pages) and abstract of your poster (maximum 1 page). Successful applicants will be notified by 18 January 2016. All successful applicants will be eligible for travel reimbursement up to €400.