1. The Jean Julliard Prize was established in 1962 in memory of the Society's first Secretary General. The value of the Prize is €5,000. The Prize winner will be presented with a certificate stating their name and the title of the scientific contribution. The Prize will be awarded during the meeting in each year in which an International Congress is held.

2. The Prize is reserved for scientists under 40 years of age at the time of submission of their manuscripts, in recognition of recently completed scientific work on blood transfusion and related subjects. In general, the Prize will be awarded to one individual, but in special cases, the Prize may be shared.

3. The winner will be required to give a Jean Julliard Lecture based upon his or her submission during the Congress at which the Prize is awarded.

4. Candidates can complete their applications on the ISBT website. The applicant will receive a confirmation of receipt by email.

5. Submissions should be in the format listed in 6 below and in the form of either:
   a) A manuscript containing recent, original scientific research (presented in the format of an original paper in Vox Sanguinis); or
   b) Several papers published within the last three years and related to similar scientific issues. If this approach is taken, the candidate must include an introduction to demonstrate how the papers relate to each other and provide a single title for the submission.

6. All submissions must be written in English and contain:
   a) A title page, which must carry the title of the submission and the name and institutional address of the candidate.
   b) A Table of Contents.
   c) A curriculum vitae of the candidate, which must include the candidate’s birth date.
   d) A short overall description of the aims of the work, the results, and the conclusions drawn.
   e) A declaration of the proportion of the practical and intellectual content of the submission provided by the candidate. When multi-authored papers are submitted, the Jean Julliard Committee will assume that the approval of the co-authors has been obtained for the inclusion of the joint work in the submission.
   d) If animal or human experimentation is involved in any part of the study, a certificate that the study has received appropriate ethical approval.

7. The procedure to award the Prize shall be as follows:
   a) All members of the Society will be notified at least nine months in advance of when and where the next Jean Julliard Prize will be awarded.
   b) The submitted papers will be assessed by the Jean Julliard Committee, which is chaired by the Past President and elected every two years by the Executive Committee.
c) Members of the Executive Committee, as well as members of the Jean Julliard Committee and their co-workers, cannot receive the Award.

d) The Secretary General will inform the winner at least two months in advance of the award ceremony and advise them of the requirement to present a lecture and that their presence at the award ceremony is required.

e) If none of the submitted papers are considered to meet the requirements of the Jean Julliard Committee, the Jean Julliard Prize will not be awarded.

f) No Prize will be awarded if the Prize winner is not present at the Congress, unless proof acceptable to the Jean Julliard Committee has been offered, that their absence is justified.

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