

AMÍLCAR SERNADAS LOGIC PRIZE

REGULATIONS

Instituto Superior Técnico (IST), with the support of the Mathematics Department (DM) and Instituto de Telecomunicações (IT), decided to establish an academic prize in the area of Mathematical Logic bearing the name of *Prof. Amílcar dos Santos Costa Sernadas*.

The Prize honours and perpetuates the memory of Professor Amílcar Sernadas and celebrates his highly significant and original scientific contributions in the areas of Logic and Foundations of Computer Science, as well as his outstanding academic career. This Prize is included in the initiative “[One logic prize in every country](#)”, that emerged from the series of conferences [UNILOG](#) (World Congress and School in Universal Logic). This initiative aims at encouraging and promoting the development of logical research in all countries.

Therefore, it is established the *Amílcar Sernadas Logic Prize*, starting in 2020, with the following regulations.

1 - Description of the Prize

1. The *Amílcar Sernadas Logic Prize* is established by Instituto Superior Técnico with the purpose of distinguishing an unpublished paper in the area of Logic.
2. At least one of the authors of the paper must be affiliated to a Portuguese university or research unit.
3. Each call of the Prize will take place in the same year of each UNILOG conference edition.
4. The winning paper will be presented in the “One logic prize in every country” special session of the UNILOG conference.
5. Each call of the Prize will be announced in the same year of each UNILOG conference edition and publicised among potential contenders.

2 - Funding

1. The value of the Prize is 1000€ (one thousand euros) intended to support the presentation of the winning paper in the UNILOG conference.
2. The Prize is financially supported by the Mathematics Department of Instituto Superior Técnico and Instituto de Telecomunicações.

3 - Jury of the Prize

1. The Jury of the Prize is appointed by the president of the Mathematics Department.
2. The Jury of the Prize consists of, at least, three members.
3. The president of the Mathematics Department must be a member of the Jury of the Prize and he will be the president of the Jury.

4 - Awarding of the Prize

1. The Prize distinguishes an unpublished paper in the area of Logic with at least one author affiliated to a Portuguese university or research unit.
2. The Prize is awarded by the Jury of the Prize constituted as described in 3.
3. The Prize will be awarded to the author or authors of the paper that in the Jury's opinion has the best scientific quality.
4. The decision of the Jury of the Prize must be entered in a minute signed by its members.
5. The Jury of the Prize may decide not to award the Prize in a given edition if none of the papers has suitable scientific quality.
6. The appeal instance for the decision of the Jury of the Prize is the president of Instituto Superior Técnico.

5 - Application

1. Contenders should submit a form available from the [web page of the Prize](#).
2. Contenders should also submit a copy of the paper.
3. The Jury of the Prize may ask the contenders for additional information.

6 - Certificate and Awarding Ceremony

The Prize and its certificate will be awarded in a public event.

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