

Ernst E. Boesch Prize 2025 – Call for Nominations

The *Gesellschaft für Kulturpsychologie (GK)* and the *Hans Kilian and Lotte Köhler Center for Social and Cultural Psychology and Historical Anthropology (KKC)* are inviting nominations for the **Ernst E. Boesch Prize for outstanding scholarly work in the field of cultural psychology**.

The deadline for nominations is **March 31, 2025**. Scientists who have contributed to the advancement and expansion of the field of cultural psychology through exceptional achievement can be nominated. The sixth award ceremony will take place during the Annual Meeting of the *Gesellschaft für Kulturpsychologie* in September 2025 at the Sigmund Freud University (SFU) in Berlin, Germany.

The award commemorates the cultural psychologist Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. mult. Ernst Eduard Boesch who died in 2014. Since 2015 the prize has been awarded every two years by the *Gesellschaft für Kulturpsychologie*. Since 2021 The Ernst E. Boesch Prize is announced and awarded in cooperation with the *Hans Kilian and Lotte Köhler Center*.

The prize is awarded in two categories:

a) The Main Prize (3000 euros) is awarded for a fundamental and lasting contribution to the field, usually consisting of several publications and other scientific achievements (e.g., development of a research program, merits in teaching or institutionalization of cultural psychology).

b) The Young Researcher Award (2000 euros) is awarded for an individual contribution (e.g., an outstanding dissertation or master's thesis).

How to nominate a candidate:

Any member of the *Gesellschaft für Kulturpsychologie* as well as any scholar working at a university or comparable institution, can nominate a candidate. Self nomination is not permitted.

Nominations can be submitted in German or English and must include:

- the nominee's curriculum vitae
- a list of the nominee's publications
- an approx. one page recommendation letter from a scholar in the field of cultural psychology

The documents must be submitted in digital form (PDF).

The award winners will give a thematically relevant lecture during the the public award ceremony.

The winner of the Main Prize is expected to write a short monograph. The publication will be organized and financed by the *Gesellschaft für Kulturpsychologie* and the *Hans Kilian and Lotte Köhler Center*.

The selection of awardees is the responsibility of a specially appointed jury. The jury's decision is final.

Please send nominations via Email to: kkc@rub.de

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