THINK UNDER THE APPLE TREE

GUIDELINES

1. Any AIOS Member can participate in the program, including the YOUNG BRIGADE.

2. A mailer will be sent to all AIOS Members to submit the Abstract of their innovation latest by 31st October 2021. After this, the link will be closed.

3. A mail will be sent to All Applicants, requesting them to submit the full text of their Innovations to: chairmanarc@aios.org by 30th November 2021.

4. Those who have already presented their innovations at the “THINK UNDER THE APPLE TREE” program at AIOC, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021 can reapply but cannot submit the same topic. Participant should present scientific innovations in field of Ophthalmology, done within the last 5 years.

5. All innovators are requested to be present at the: The PRELIMS, PreConference Day - AIOC, 2022. The Final date of the conference to be intimidated later.
6. Each Participant will have 6 mins of presentation and 4 mins of discussion with the judges.

7. Among all the Participants, the Judges will declare the TOP 10 on that day itself, who will compete with each other in the FINALS of the “THINK UNDER THE APPLE TREE” competition.

8. In the FINALS, the TOP 10 will battle it out and present their Innovations to the honourable Judges.

9. In the FINALS, the same participants of the preliminary round will have to present the same presentation that he or she presented in The Prelims to a panel of Judges.

10. Each Participant will have 6 mins of presentation and 4 mins of discussion with the Judges in the FINALS.

11. In the FINALS, the Judges will declare the WINNERS, who will be awarded EXCITING APPLE PRIZES!

Let us join hands and learn more from this ARC Initiative of “THINK UNDER THE APPLE TREE” 2021 - 2022

Sincere Regards,
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