The Tore Godal Prize award was established at the Armauer Hansen Research Institute (AHRI) in 2001 to provide recognition to outstanding contributions of young Ethiopian researchers.

The scope of the research topics includes both infectious diseases and non-infectious diseases relevant to health care in Ethiopia and may involve laboratory and/or non-laboratory based scientific approaches, including operations research. The prize award is 20,000 Ethiopian Birr in addition to the Tore Godal medal. Individuals who fulfill the criteria below are especially encouraged to submit their candidacy with copies of updated CV, and their research thesis and/or publication(s) to research.training@ahri.gov.et or (azeb.mekonnen@ahri.gov.et).

A maximum of three awards will be given. Applications will be reviewed by a committee established for the purpose, consisting of members from diverse disciplines and institutions within Ethiopia. The deadline for submission is March 30, 2022.

Who is eligible?

- Any young Ethiopian (up to and including 35 years of age) who has reported original research relevant to health care in Ethiopia.
- The research should pertain to a single study. It may be done in fulfillment of a degree requirement or executed as a postgraduate. The thesis and/or publication should have been completed or reported within the past two years. Criteria for evaluation include relevance, originality, methodology, data interpretation, effort, and working conditions. Studies will be judged relative to the context in which they were undertaken, so that, for example, expectations will differ for MSc versus PhD thesis work. Applicants may submit more than one thesis/publication but must specify a single thesis/publication upon which they will be judged.
- Female researchers and researchers working in Regional programs are especially encouraged to apply.

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