

Call for Nominations Distinguished Lorentz Fellowship and Prize 2018-19

Dear Colleague,

The [NIAS-Lorentz Program](#) promotes cutting-edge interdisciplinary research that brings together perspectives from the humanities and social sciences on the one hand and the natural sciences and technology on the other. Pivotal to this program is the understanding that important and exciting advances are to be expected through research at the interface of these scientific fields.

NIAS and the Lorentz Center invite you to nominate one or more candidates for the Distinguished Lorentz Fellowship and Prize 2018-2019. Persons who may nominate include: rectors and deans of Dutch universities, members of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences (KNAW) and of the Young Academy (DJA), the Board of the Dutch Network of Women Professors (LNVH), directors of KNAW, NWO and TNO institutes and directors of museums or industrial organizations with a research agenda.

Nominees are outstanding researchers with an excellent academic track record and the capacity to bring together researchers from various disciplines. The proposed fellowship project is firmly embedded within the Dutch scientific community and should address how the interdisciplinary approach will contribute to achieving the research goals. Evidence of societal impact is valued.

The [Distinguished Lorentz Fellowship \(DLF\)](#) and Prize is presented by the Chair of the NIAS-Lorentz Advisory Board, Professor Sijbolt Noorda, at a special ceremony. The winner receives:

- A €10,000 personal prize.
- A DLF Fellowship at NIAS of 5 to 10 months any time between 1 September 2018 and 30 June 2019. Includes a personal study, research facilities, accommodation if applicable or travel expenses.
- A teaching duties replacement fund of up to €3,800 per fellowship month spent at NIAS.
- A one-week [NIAS-Lorentz workshop](#) at the Lorentz Center with full organizational support and a budget of €20,000 for travel and hotel reimbursements.

A Distinguished Lorentz Fellowship nomination should contain the following documents:

- Nominator's letter of recommendation.
- Description of the intended fellowship project.
- Outline of the NIAS-Lorentz workshop.
- Curriculum Vitae with short list of significant publications (max. 10)

The deadline is **15 October 2017** for submission by email to nomination@nias.knaw.nl (For information see [Guidelines](#) at the NIAS-Lorentz website or contact [Petry Kievit-Tyson](#), 020-2246704).

The winner is selected by the directors of NIAS and the Lorentz Center in consultation with the chair of the Advisory Board on the basis of evaluations by the [NIAS-Lorentz Advisory Board](#) and, if appropriate, external reviews. All nominations are treated with utmost confidentiality.

Yours sincerely,

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