

CHIPP Prize 2012

2012 CHIPP Prize for the best PhD student in Experimental or Theoretical Particle Physics

Also in 2012, the Swiss Institute for Particle Physics (CHIPP) offers a prize for the best PhD student in experimental or theoretical particle physics. All PhD students affiliated to CHIPP are kindly invited to submit their application in time for being considered in this year's selection procedure.

The Prize will be awarded to a graduate student who has not yet submitted his/her doctoral thesis by 31 May 2012. In the evaluation, emphasis will be given to the quality of the present scientific work and to its relevance within the student's research group, as well as to novel ideas possibly brought up by the candidate.

Applicants must submit their CV, diploma thesis, list of publications and internal notes as well as a report (≤ 5 pages, including figures and references) outlining their achievements within the PhD work. In addition, a proposal/recommendation letter by the thesis supervisor, and reference letters by two other professors or researchers not belonging to their institution shall be sent directly to the address given below. All papers and communications must be written in English.

The awarding ceremony will take place at the Plenary CHIPP that will be held on 13/14 September 2012 at the Kartause Ittingen. The prize amounts to 3000 CHF. The winner will be asked to give a talk at the plenary CHIPP meeting presenting his/her current research activity.

More information on the Prize including details about the selection process can be found on the CHIPP web page (www.chipp.ch).

Deadline for applications: 31 May 2012.

Applications shall be sent to:

**CHIPP Selection Committee
c/o Prof. Gilberto Colangelo
Institut für theoretische Physik
Sidlerstrasse 5
3012 Berne**

The CHIPP Selection Committee: *G. Colangelo, A. Bay (EPFL), M. Bourquin (Geneva), P. Truöl (Zurich)*