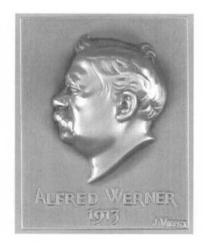
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Introduction



Werner Prize (New Swiss Chemical Society)

1997: Yannick Landais

The Werner Prize is awarded to a young Swiss scientist or another young researcher carrying out his functions in Switzerland, for high-quality work in the field of chemistry. Candidates (male or female) can either be from an academic chemistry or industrial background.



Ruzicka Prize

(Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zürich)

1996: Aleksander Rebane

1997: Yves Rubin

The Ruzicka Prize is awarded each year to a young scientist for his/her outstanding, published contribution in the field of general chemistry, achieved either in Switzerland or by a Swiss citizen abroad. In 1957, a generous donation by the Swiss Chemical Industry enabled the national government to install a special fund. Following the exhaustion of capital after 30 years time, the prizes were provided by the Huber-Kudlich foundation. In 1993, the responsability for the Ruzicka Prize was transferred to the ETH-Zürich. The foundation was once again financed by contributions from the chemical industry.