

# **Alwyn Smith Prize Regulations**

#### **Establishment**

When Professor Alwyn Smith retired as President of FPH in 1986, he left a sum of money to make sure that every year FPH could celebrate the public health achievements of FPH members.

#### **Funding**

This award will be funded by the Alwyn Smith Prize Fund.

### **Purpose**

To reward a Member or Fellow judged to have made the most outstanding contribution to the health of the public by either research or practice in public health medicine.

### Eligibility

Any Member or Fellow of FPH who is currently in good standing can nominate themselves, or be nominated, for this prize.

#### Prize

A dedicated FPH medal and certificate.

## **Nomination**

To nominate yourself or someone else for this prize, you must complete a nomination form. All nominations must be signed by two members of the Faculty of Public Health.

## Frequency of award

The award is given annually, funds permitting.

### **Closing date**

Please see here for closing date for entries.

### Adjudication

Adjudication to be undertaken by the FPH President. The award will be presented to one winner each year.

### Presentation

The prize will be presented each year at the Faculty's annual awards ceremony.

#### **Announcement**

The decision of the President will be reported to the Board and announced at the annual awards presentation.

# What opportunities are there to promote the award or prize winner?

Celebrating the achievements of FPH members is really important to us. That's why we encourage all award and prize winners to write a blog for us giving a brief account of the work they undertook to receive the award. All of our blogs are promoted to our members and wider public health community, and the aim is to inspire FPH members to apply for awards in future years, and celebrate the achievements of the award winner – two things that are really important to us.

For further information please contact the Membership Team via email at <a href="membership@fph.org.uk">membership@fph.org.uk</a> or by phone 020 3696 1470.