

## The Johan Skytte Prize in Political Science The Skytte Foundation

## Nomination Instructions for the Johan Skytte Prize in Political Science

The Prize Committee appointed by the board of the Skytte Foundation proposes the laureate based upon nominations we have received. We invite many political scientists from all around the world to contribute their nomination(s) in order to make sure that most subfields of Political Science are represented in the pool of nominees. This allows us to identify and evaluate the most valuable contributions to the field.

The nominations can be submitted both by an individual and an institution by filling out the enclosed nomination form. In addition to the form, the nominator is expected to submit a written motivation where specific reasons for the nomination should ideally be discussed. This involves a careful overview of why you believe your nominee has significantly and valuably contributed to the field of Political Science. There is, however, no need to submit books or other reprints of materials that are already in circulation.

The nomination should either be e-mailed or sent via post. While we consider the date on the stamp, it might be a good idea to send the letter well in advance if sending from other continents. The e-mail address for nominations is li.bennich-bjorkman@statsvet.uu.se. The postal address is:

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The deadline for nominations for the 2016 Johan Skytte Prize is January 15, 2016 at midnight CET. The laureate will be announced in April 2016.

Should you have any questions about the process of nomination, do not hesitate to contact our Information Officer at michal.smrek@statsvet.uu.se.