Rules for the Enrico Greppi Award

1. The Italian Society for the Study of Headaches sponsors an award in memory of Enrico Greppi, pioneer and expert in the study of headache.
2. The award is assigned to an unpublished paper dealing with clinical, epidemiological, genetic, pathophysiological or therapeutic aspects of headache. Competing papers must be written in accordance with the editorial instructions of The Journal of Headache and Pain. The winning article will be published after peer-review in The Journal of Headache and Pain. The remaining papers are considered as submitted to The Journal of Headache and Pain and may be published after undergoing the peer-review process. The 2021 Award is endorsed by the European Headache Federation (EHF). The winner will be invited to present the paper at The International Headache Congress, to be held in Berlin on 8-12 September 2021.
3. All researchers in the headache field may compete for the award. Members of SISC and EHF Boards of Directors may compete as well, if they are not serving on the Selection Committee and did not participate in the nomination of the Selection Committee.
4. The award winner will be invited to present his/her paper at The International Headache Congress.
5. The award is of € 5,000 and will be paid via bank transfer after the presentation of the paper at The International Headache Congress. A certificate signed by all members of the Selection Committee will be presented during the Award Ceremony.
6. The competition will be announced in The Journal of Headache and Pain and via the websites of SISC and EHF, as well as on other scientific area journals. The Journal of Headache and Pain will publish the winning manuscript. This manuscript will be waived from the Article Processing Charge and will include the list of members of the Selection Committee. The remaining papers are submitted to The Journal of Headache and Pain and may be published after undergoing the peer-reviewing process.
7. The Selection Committee will be composed by the SISC President as chairman, the EHF President, the Editor-in-Chief of The Journal of Headache and Pain or a delegate, one member of the SISC Board of Directors and two members chosen from international experts in the headache and related pain field. The SISC Board of Directors nominates the Committee. Should the SISC President not be able to chair, the oldest member of the Committee will assume his role. Each Committee member will judge the competing papers on a scale from 0 to 10. The scores of at least four Committee members are necessary to determine the winner. The winning paper must receive an average score of not less than 6. In the case of a tie, the President’s vote will have a double value. Should a tie persist, there will be a random drawing in the presence of a notary. No award will be assigned if less than four judges send their scores or if no paper receives a score of at least 6. In this case the award amount will be deposited in the prize funds.
8. The competing manuscripts must be submitted to www.editorialmanager.com/tjhp flagging the Greppi Award option as article type from the 1st of March to the 30th of April 2021.