

Dear Colleagues,

As the Editor-in-Chief of *Diseases*, it is my great pleasure to announce the winner of the *Diseases* 2023 Best PhD Thesis Award. This award is for a PhD student or recently qualified PhD who has produced a highly anticipated thesis with great academic potential.

2023 BEST PHD THESIS AWARD

WINNER

The award has been granted to:

"Study of Erythroid Antioxidant Depletion in Childhood Obesity" by Álvaro González Domínguez, University of Cádiz, Spain.

The winner will receive CHF 800, an electronic certificate and a chance to publish a paper free of charge after peer review in *Diseases* in 2024.

On behalf of the evaluation committee, I congratulate the winner on his accomplishments. We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the applicants for submitting their exceptional theses and thank the Award Committee for voting and helping with this award.

Prof. Dr. Maurizio Battino Editor-in-Chief, *Diseases*



