

Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce the "Climate 2021 Best Paper Awards" for papers published in Climate from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021. Two papers will each receive an award. The papers will be selected after thorough evaluation by the journal Award Committee led by the Editor-in-Chief Dr. Steven McNult, and the winners will be announced by the end of January 2023.

2021 BEST PAPER AWARDS

Eligibility for the awards:

- Papers published in *Climate* from 1 January 2021 to 31 December 2021;
- Open to all career levels;
- All types of articles are eligible;
- Both regular and Special Issue submissions will be considered.

Selection Criteria:

The papers will be selected by the journal Award Committee according to the following criteria (data source: Web of Science (Clarivate Analytics)):

- Scientific merit and broad impact;
- Relevance to the journal's field;
- Originality of the research objectives and/or the ideas presented;
- Creativity of the study design or uniqueness of the approaches and concepts;
- Clarity of presentation;
- Citation and download rates till the end of 2022.

Prizes:

- Two papers award: 600 CHF each and a chance to publish a paper free of charge in Climate in 2023;
- Each winner will also receive a certificate.

The winners will be announced on the journal website by the end of January 2023.

Kind regards, Climate Editorial Office

