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UEG Member Societies

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Call for Lifetime Achievement Award 2023

Dear Colleague

We would be grateful if you could nominate suitable candidates for the **UEG Lifetime Achievement Award**. This prestigious honour will be given to an individual who has had a career spanning at least 30 years, whose outstanding accomplishments have significantly improved the lives of people in relation to digestive health and whose contributions, leadership and impact have been of importance for UEG and is widely acknowledged by the broader gastroenterological community.

Please note that this award is given both for contributions in the field of gastroenterology and hepatology as well as for dedication and commitment to the United European Gastroenterology community.

The **Lifetime Achievement Award will be formally presented** at UEG Week Vienna 2023, October 14-17. The details of the award ceremony will be announced in due course. The awardee will receive a commemorative plaque, a lifelong free registration to UEG Week and invitation to the UEG Night or similar gala events.

UEG only accepts nominations from UEG Ordinary Member Societies and National Member Societies. The completed nomination documents described below must be sent as pdf files to the UEG Headquarters Management (att. Wilma Hofer, w.hofer@ueg.eu).

- Short Curriculum Vitae of the candidate (**max. 2 A4 pages**)
- Brief statement of no more than **50 words** summarising the candidate's contribution to gastroenterology as a whole and the UEG community in particular
- A concise description (**max. 1 A4 page**) of how these contributions, whether they have been in research, leadership, or mentorship, have had a lasting impact on the gastrointestinal field and/or the community and/or UEG and demonstrate a lifetime commitment (publications supporting these contributions may be directly referenced)
- A statement indicating the candidate's H-index using Web of Science

Candidates must have agreed on the nomination.

If a candidate is supported by more than one society, nominating societies are asked to submit one joint nomination.

Deadline for nominations: May 30, 2023

The successful recipient will be selected by UEG Council in July, and the UEG Headquarters Management will contact the recipient thereafter.

UEG is looking forward to receiving your nomination.

With kind regards



Helena Cortez Pinto
UEG President



Jeanin van Hooft
UEG Secretary General