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The 2023 Fyssen International Prize will be awarded for research in :

### COGNITION AND RELIGION

Cognition plays an important role in theories of religion and religious practices can evidently influence cognitive processes – but how is the relation between the two best captured and is there one approach that can account for influences in both directions ?

The Prize will be awarded to an internationally recognized scholar who has significantly advanced our understanding of the relation between cognition and religion.

This Prize will be awarded to a scientist who has conducted distinguished research in the areas supported by the Foundation: **Ethology, Psychology, Neurobiology, Social Anthropology, Ethnology, Human Palaeontology and Archaeology.**

It is expected that the applicant would have influenced significantly cognitive sciences at the international level.

The award for the International Prize is **100 000 €**.

**The application must be submitted by a recognized scientist and include:**

- A recommendation letter,
- A curriculum vitae and a list of publications,
- A summary (four pages maximum) of the scientific achievements that justify the awarding of the Prize.

**Complete application shall be sent by post in 1 hard copy to:**

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