

Call for Applications - Stephan Koren Award 2026

Each year, the Full Professors' Association of the Vienna University of Economics and Business awards the Stephan Koren Prize in the course of an academic ceremony.

The purpose of this award is to support the new generation of academics at Vienna University of Economics and Business. It is awarded to doctoral candidates who, on the basis of their dissertation and their entire course of studies, have made a contribution to maintaining the high reputation of dissertations prepared at Vienna University of Economics and Business.

All graduates who completed their doctoral studies at Vienna University of Economics and Business in the calendar year **2025** with a dissertation graded as "excellent" ("sehr gut") are invited to participate.

Please send your complete application, together with

- The dissertation
- The evaluation sheet for the dissertation ("Beurteilungsprotokoll")
- The appraisals by the examiners of the dissertation
- Your CV
- A list of publications (works that have been published or submitted for publication) related to the dissertation project

to the following address **by April 30, 2026**:

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Applicants are requested to submit an electronic version of the above-listed documents.

The decision on awarding the prize, which is endowed with a total of **10,000 euros**, will be made by the Full Professors' Association of Vienna University of Economics and Business. Any recourse to the courts of law is excluded.

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