

## **Regulations of Awards**

### **Prous Institute – Overton and Meyer Award for New Technologies in Drug Discovery**

§ 1) The Award is established by Prous Institute for Biomedical Research, having its registered offices at Via Augusta 59, Office 706, 08006 Barcelona, Spain.

§ 2) The award encourages research and innovation in respect to the technological means used in the drug discovery field. The winner will be selected on account of his, or her discovery, evaluation and use of such technologies.

§ 3) The Award will consist of a diploma, € 7.500, a lecture by the Award recipient, and travel expenses incidental to receiving the Award. Funding will be provided by Prous Institute.

§ 4) The Award shall be open to any Scientist whose work complies with the description given under §2 of these regulations and whose accomplishment has not yet been honoured by other EFMC awards.

§ 5) The Award will be given biennially, starting in 2004.

§ 6) The Executive Committee of the European Federation for Medicinal Chemistry (EFMC) is responsible for the final selection of the recipient upon proposal by the Award Nomination Committee.

§ 7) The Award Nomination Committee will consist of five members: the President of the EFMC, who will chair the Committee, and four additional members nominated by the EC Committee after a proposal made by the EFMC President.

§ 8) A call for nominations will be published before October 1st of the year preceding the year in which the Award will be presented, in suitable scientific journals and by notifying key scientific institutions and societies. Nominations should consist of a letter proposing the candidate(s), a brief biographical sketch with a list of selected publications, and two supporting letters. Self-nominations are also accepted. The Award will be presented during the biennial meeting of the EFMC, i.e. at the International Symposium on Medicinal Chemistry, during which the recipient will be invited to give a presentation.

§ 9) Prous Institute is responsible for the correct execution of these regulations and will act to the best of its knowledge and ability to resolve cases for which these regulations do not provide exact guidance.