

The Hans Walz Foundation at the Robert Bosch Foundation announces herewith
the

Hans Walz prize for studies on the history of homeopathy

which originated outside the Institute for the History of Medicine of the Robert Bosch Foundation.

Hans Walz (1873-1974) was a right-hand man of Robert Bosch the Elder and for many years CEO of the Robert Bosch Company as well as member of the board of trustees of the Stuttgart Homoeopathic Hospital Corporation. Throughout his life he was professionally and personally engaged in advancing homeopathy.

The aim of the prize is to promote the research of the history of homeopathy outside the Institute for the History of Medicine of the Robert Bosch Foundation. The prize will be awarded for a major study (Master- or Diploma-thesis, doctoral dissertation, monograph) which is either still unpublished or published in 2007, 2008 or 2009. The language can be German, English or French. The prize amounts to 1500 Euro.

The winner of the prize will be chosen by a jury, and the prize will be awarded every second year in Stuttgart.

The work of the 2007 winner of the prize, Birgit Lochbrunner, is published (together with the Karl und Veronica Carstens-Stiftung) under the title *Der Chinarindenversuch. Schlüsselexperiment für die Homöopathie?*, Essen 2007 (www.kvc-verlag.de). The work of the 2005 winner of the prize, Jens Busche, *Ein homöopathisches Patientennetzwerk im Herzogtum Anhalt-Bernburg. Die Familie von Kersten und ihr Umfeld in den Jahren 1831-1835* in the series "Quellen und Studien zur Homöopathiesgeschichte" (Haug-Verlag, Stuttgart 2008) <http://www.medizinverlage.de/detailseiten/9783830472858.html>.

Deadline for nominations and applications is 30th of August 2009.

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