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## EFCE call for nominations – Process Intensification

For the fifth time, the European Federation of Chemical Engineering (EFCE) is pleased to announce the call for nominations for the prestigious **EFCE Excellence Award in Process Intensification**.

This biennial award recognises an outstanding PhD thesis in the field of process intensification. The award consists of a cash prize of EUR 1,500 and a certificate and a travel grant of up to EUR 500. The winner will be invited to give a presentation at a special session during the sixth European Process Intensification Conference (EPIC6).

EPIC6, jointly organised with IPIC1 and APSPIS3, will be held in Barcelona, Spain, on 1 - 5 October 2017 in conjunction with the tenth World Congress of Chemical Engineering (WCCE10).

Any PhD thesis in the area of process intensification supervised at a university or PhDawarding institution of an EFCE Member Country is eligible for nomination. The nominator is the supervisor of the PhD candidate. The candidate's thesis must have been defended between 1 January 2015 and 31 December 2016.

Previous award winners include Dr.-Ing. Carsten Buchaly (2009), Dr.Ir. Patrick W.A.M. Wenmakers (2011), Dr. Ernesto Altman Restrepo (2013), and Dr. Danilo Alberto Cantero Sposetti (2015).

The deadline for submission of nominations is **28 April 2017**.

Further information about the nomination procedure, eligibility, and supporting documentation can be obtained at: http://www.efce.info/ExcellenceAwardProcessIntensification.html

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EFCE Working Party on Process Intensification (<u>http://www.efce.info/WP\_PI</u>)

IPIC1/EPIC6/APSPIS3 (<u>http://www.wcce10.org/index.php/jointevents/ipic1-epic6-apspis3</u>)

10<sup>th</sup> World Congress of Chemical Engineering (WCCE10) (<u>http://www.wcce10.org</u>)

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#### About chemical engineers

Chemical, biochemical and process engineering is the application of science, maths and economics to the process of turning raw materials into everyday products. Professional chemical engineers design, construct and manage process operations all over the world. Oil and gas, pharmaceuticals, food and drink, synthetic fibres and clean drinking water are just some of the products where chemical engineering plays a central role.

#### About EFCE

Founded in 1953, The European Federation of Chemical Engineering (EFCE) is a nonprofit-making association, whose object is to promote co-operation in Europe between non-profit-making professional scientific and technical societies in 30 countries for the general advancement of chemical engineering and as a means of furthering the development of chemical engineering. See <u>www.efce.org</u>