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Call

EASAS Research Student Awards

One of the stated aims of the European Association for South Asian Studies is to encourage and support young scholars working in the field of South Asian Studies. In pursuit of this aim, the Association is offering awards linked to its biennial conference. Awards are to be made for the most outstanding papers by currently registered research students presenting at the conference. At the 28th EASAS conference in Heidelberg, up to three awards of €300 each will be made. All current PhD students fully registered and presenting at the conference may submit their paper for consideration. The submitted papers will be considered by a panel of judges selected by the EASAS Council.

Details

Submission criteria:

- Authors must be currently registered PhD students.
- Papers must be delivered at the conference.
- Papers must be written in English.
- Papers must be full and complete (including references and bibliography).
- Papers must be in the range 6000 to 8000 words.
- Papers must include an abstract up to 200 words.
- Papers must be submitted by email to *office@easas.eu* by **10 September 2025**.
- Please include the subject line 'EASAS Research Student Awards' in your email.

Assessment criteria:

- The papers will be assessed in terms of their contribution to the field, the quality of their research data, and their ability to convey ideas and arguments clearly and effectively.
- After these primary considerations have been taken into account, the panel will hope to make awards that reflect the full range of disciplines represented at the conference.
- A named panel of judges will assess the qualities of the papers under consideration.
- The awards will be made on the basis of the written paper, not its presentation (although the paper must be presented at the conference).