

## SolarPACES Technology Innovation Award Criteria

### Criteria:

Technological Innovations relevant to a more rapid deployment of CSP technology through:

1. Performance/cost ratio increase
2. Improved manufacturing technology
3. Better component lifetime
4. Improved environmental profile

The innovation should be realized at least in technical prototype and its characteristics should have been published according to scientific standards. Such a publication should be part of the application.

Applicants may be persons or groups of persons.

### Application Process:

Proposals must include:

1. 1-page description of the innovative idea and its impact, and the role of the applicant(s)
2. A scientific publication on details of the innovation
3. CVs of the applicants

Applications must be sent to the SolarPACES Secretariat: [secretariat@solarpaces.org](mailto:secretariat@solarpaces.org) until the deadline as stated in the award process webpage: <https://www.solarpaces.org/all-solarpaces-conferences/awards/>

### The Winner is awarded with:

1. Award Certificate
2. Invitation to the SolarPACES conference for one representative.
3. Presentations of the Awards during the SolarPACES Conference
4. Announcement on the SolarPACES Website