Call for Entries: Olga Radzyner Award 2014 for Scientific Work on European Economic Integration

In 2000, the Oesterreichische Nationalbank (OeNB) established an award to commemorate Olga Radzyner, former Head of the OeNB's Foreign Research Division, who pioneered the OeNB's CESEE-related research activities. The award is bestowed on young economists for excellent research on topics of European economic integration and is conferred annually. In 2014, four applicants are eligible to receive a single payment of EUR 3,000 each from an annual total of EUR 12,000.

Submitted papers should cover European economic integration issues and be in English or German. They should not exceed 30 pages and should preferably be in the form of a working paper or scientific article. Authors shall submit their work before their 35th birthday and shall be citizens of any of the following countries: Albania, Belarus, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, the Czech Republic, Estonia, FYR Macedonia, Hungary, Kosovo, Latvia, Lithuania, Moldova, Montenegro, Poland, Romania, Russia, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia or Ukraine. Previous winners of the Olga Radzyner Award, ESCB central bank employees as well as current and former OeNB staff are not eligible. In case of co-authored work, each of the co-authors has to fulfill all the entry criteria.

Authors shall send their submissions either by electronic mail to *eva.gehringer-wasserbauer@oenb.at* or by postal mail – with the envelope marked "Olga Radzyner Award 2014" – to the Oesterreichische Nationalbank, Foreign Research Division, Otto-Wagner-Platz 3, POB 61, 1011 Vienna, Austria. Entries for the 2014 award should arrive by September 19, 2014, at the latest. Together with their submissions, applicants shall provide copies of their birth or citizenship certificates and a brief CV.

For detailed information, please visit the OeNB's website at *www.oenb.at/en/About-Us/Research-Promotion/Grants/Olga-Radzyner-Award.html* or contact Ms. Eva Gehringer-Wasserbauer in the OeNB's Foreign Research Division (write to *eva.gehringer-wasserbauer@oenb.at* or phone +43-1-40420-5205).