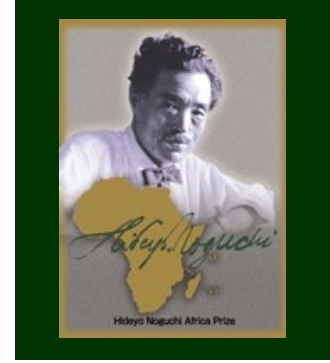


Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize Newsletter



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The Fifth Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize nominations open



Dr. Hideyo Noguchi in his lab at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research (Photo: Hideyo Noguchi Memorial Foundation)

The Fifth Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize nominations are open from March 27, 2024. Information on the Fifth Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize nominations including the Nomination Guidelines and the Nomination Form is available on the website shown below. The nomination deadline is September 20, 2024.

The Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize, based on the aspirations of Dr. Hideyo Noguchi, who died while conducting research on yellow fever in Africa, is intended to honor individuals who have made outstanding achievements in medical research or medical activities to combat infectious diseases and promote public health in Africa, thereby improving the health and welfare of people living in Africa and, by extension, humanity as a whole. It has been 19 years since the establishment of this prize in July 2006, but infectious diseases are still spreading in

Africa, and it is still fresh in our minds that the Covid 19 pandemic has become a common threat to humanity. Under these circumstances, the significance and purpose of this award are becoming increasingly important. In addition, the awarding of this prize coincides with the cycle of the African Development Conference (TICAD), and is one of the important pillars of Japan's assistance for developments of Africa.

The Government of Japan will award the Fifth Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize on the occasion of the Ninth Tokyo International Conference on African Development (TICAD9), which is scheduled to be held in August 2025. We look forward to receiving your nominations.

Website concerning the Fifth Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize nominations

The Nomination Guidelines and the Nomination Form, with information on how to submit the form, are available at: <https://www.cao.go.jp/noguchisho/english/info/nomination5.html>

■ A new pamphlet created in Japanese, English, and French

A new pamphlet on the Hideyo Noguchi Africa Prize has been created in Japanese, English, and French. Each language edition is available at:

Japanese

<https://www.cao.go.jp/noguchisho/index.html>

English and French

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