

Foundation prize "Living Danube"

The private foundation "Naturerbe Donau" of Dr. Maja Countess Du Moulin Eckart and Dieter Count of Brühl for the second time awards the international foundation prize

"Living Danube"

The prize addresses key players throughout the Danube region to support their extraordinarily valuable efforts for sustainable development along the Danube. The aim is to reward commitment and achievements that contribute in an exemplary manner to the protection and conservation of the natural heritage along the entire Danube.

Endowed with € 15,000

(€ 10,000 in cash and a gold medal worth € 5,000)

the foundation prize "Living Danube" is intended for individuals, groups and associations whose innovative activities, successful research results or life achievements are marked by a sustainable improvement of the natural heritage along the Danube.



The focus is on implementing measures to strengthen biodiversity and dynamic processes in the river system and the floodplains of the Danube from the source to the mouth, on the creation of structures and collaborations that sustainably support these goals and on scientific research that provides the basis for this. The merits should be so convincing that an imitation effect is achieved.

Innovative, network integrated solutions across national borders and cooperationbuilding services with an interdisciplinary character are particularly taken into account.

The prize is awarded every two years, currently for the year 2022.

Applicants can contact one of the institutions and persons entitled to submit proposals or submit their meaningful applications with an digital application form (PDF files) directly to the Foundation (<u>stiftungspreis@stiftung-naturerbe-donau.de</u>) by 30 June 2021. Alternatively, applications can also be submitted directly by the institutions and persons entitled to submit proposals.

Entitled for the proposal are:

- The members of the of the Foundation "Naturerbe Donau"
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- The for the promotion of the Auenzentrum Neuburg
- The Aueninstitut Neuburg
- Members of the Priority Area 6 Steering Group of the EU Danube Region Strategy

Further information can also be found on the Foundation's website (<u>http://www.stiftung-naturerbe-donau.de</u>))