

The BISAS Industry Prize celebrates early-career researchers whose work demonstrates clear relevance and application to the animal science industry. It highlights the importance of translating scientific innovation into practical solutions that benefit producers, consumers, and the wider sector.

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INDUSTRY PRIZE 2027

£200 PRIZE

Applicants are evaluated based on the quality and industry relevance of their abstract. A short list of five finalists will be selected to present to judges and session audience at the BISAS Annual Conference taking place in Dundee | 13 -15 April 2027.

To be eligible for the Industry Prize, you are required to be a BISAS member and have an accepted abstract showcasing your first or second paper at the Annual Conference.

The judges will assess your abstract and presentation based on several criteria including the transformative impact of the research, the practical and/or commercial applications of the work and how clearly these are communicated, as well as what is required to achieve positive practical impact.

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PRESENTATION

Ensure that key messages are clear and identified:

- what the impact to industry is
- why the work is important
- key findings and their relevance are evident
- how easy recommendations/outcomes are to implement
- an indication of potential return on investment
- potential effect of application of findings on welfare
- what your research and its application mean for the future

Applicants are asked to consider:

- The importance of their research to industry, appreciating that what they as a researcher think is relevant may not be to the end-user e.g., the producer. "What this means" when assessing your work, or "so what?". What is the benefit of this result?
 - For example, lambs grow faster being fed additive A. An excellent finding but what does this mean? More income? How much would additive A cost? Is it worth while using this additive? Is the additive available now or in development?
- Include aspects, such as return on investment or feasibility of introducing new concepts that have been derived from the research.

GUIDELINES

As a finalist, you will be required to present your submitted abstract to the judges and session audience. This presentation is your 'elevator pitch' and should contain relevance to industry with an emphasis on the practicality of implementation and/or cost benefit of implementation.

Your presentation, based on your submitted abstract, must be a maximum of five minutes long and will be followed by a live five-minute question and answer session where you will be quizzed, by the judges, on your presentation. Remember when answering questions, the focus is on "industry application".

Judging Criteria

The main criteria for winning the prize is "impact to industry" the judges will consider if your presentation includes/covers:

- clear and concise information/communication
- the practical and/or commercial applications of the work
- what is required to achieve positive practical impact.



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