

Robin Cosgrove Prize

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The new Prize for Innovative Ideas to Promote Ethics in Finance 2006/2007

HOW TO PARTICIPATE

The prize is aimed at young people, **under the age of 35**.

Candidates are invited to submit written papers **that have not been previously published**.

Papers (maximum of 5'000 words including annexes) could be **analytical in character or proposals for practical projects**. In all cases, they should meet three criteria:

- intellectual rigour;
- innovative ideas;
- clear conclusions.

Official languages are **English and French**.

Rules and official application form will be delivered on **expression of interest**, which is mandatory. Final deadline for submission of entries is **February 28th**, **2007** (00:00 – CET).

An international jury, comprising prominent experts in finance and ethics, will designate one or more prizewinners and allocate the sum of **USD 20,000** between them.

The nominees will be informed at the latest by 1st July 2007. The prizewinners will be announced at a **special ceremony to be held in 2007.**

MISSION AND VISION

The Robin Cosgrove Prize promotes greater awareness among young people throughout the world of the **benefits of ethics in finance**.

This prize honours the vision of Robin, a bright investment banker who died at age 31. He believed passionately that a major barrier to economic development was the lack of integrity and ethical practice in banking and finance.



The Robin Cosgrove Prize is managed by the Observatoire de la Finance, a Swiss not-for-profit foundation based in Geneva (www.obsfin.ch) and Dr Carol Cosgrove Sacks, Robin's mother.