

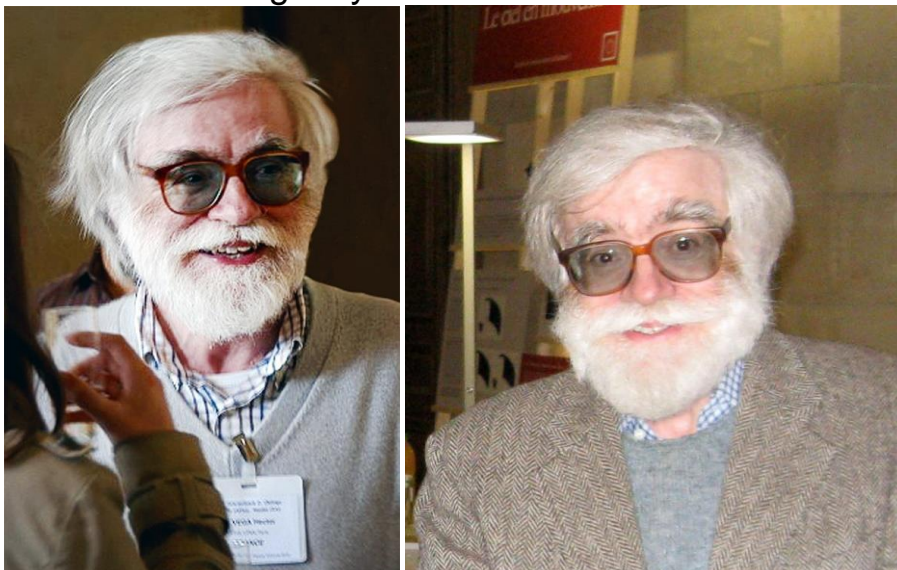
A NEW MEDAL: THE HECTOR DE VEGA MEDAL

In the honor of Héctor de Vega, the Scientist and the Human Person, a Medal with his portrait and his name was created, coined and edited:
The Héctor de Vega Medal

Science with a great intellectual exigency and a human face.



The first side of the medal shows the name, dates and an artistic engraving of Héctor de Vega's portrait inspired by the picture taken by Nadia Charbit Blumenfeld. In the reverse side of the Medal the following text is engraved in french: Héctor J. de Vega. The Gentleman of Science. Theoretical Physicist. The Chalonge School thankful. Science with Great Intellectual Exigency and a Human Face.



Announcement of the Medal: Opening of the Programme Héctor de Vega of the Year 2016 - Last News of the Universe - 26 March 2016.

First Medal: Autumn Session "Last News of the Universe" 26 March 2016:

Dr. Alba ZANINI (INFN Turin, physicist, Ambassador of the city of Turin for Science and Culture and Ambassador of the Chalonge- de Vega School).

Second Medal: Spring Interdisciplinary Session "The Human and the Universe" 19 May 2016:

Dr. Nadia CHARBIT BLUMENFELD (Medical doctor, BLUMENFELD's Family, grandfather Erwin photographer, father Henry physicist Saclay, mother Kathleen photographer), author of the photo portrait of Héctor from which the portrait of the Medal was engraved.

Third Medal: Chalonge Meudon Workshop 2016: 15-17 June 2016:

Professor Peter L.BIERMANN (Max-Planck Institute -Bonn and University of Alabama-Tuscaloosa, astrophysicist, Chalonge Medal)

Next Medal presentations will follow on different occasions and meetings.

This Meeting: The 20th Paris Cosmology Colloquium Chalonge - de Vega, 20-22 July 2016:

Professor Gerard F. GILMORE (Institute of Astronomy, University of Cambridge, Fellow of the Royal Society UK, Chalonge Medal)

Professor Anthony LASENBY(Cavendish Laboratory-Astrophysics and Cosmology, University of Cambridge, UK, Chalonge Medal)

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