

## **IX GÉRARD BOULVERT INTERNATIONAL PRIZE IN ROMAN LAW**

*The «Gérard Boulvert Society for the Study of European Civilization and for the History of its Legal Systems», in agreement with the Journal «Index» and accepting the invitation issued by Italian and foreign institutions and scholars, announces the Ninth Gérard Boulvert International Prize in Roman Law. This award, supported by the Istituto Banco di Napoli Fondazione, aims to encourage the development of research in Roman Law and to recognize, in the name of Gérard Boulvert, the works of young scholars of all nationalities published in the preceding three years.*

1. The competition is hereby announced for the «Ninth Gérard Boulvert International Prize in Roman Law» for a «first work» in the form of a monograph in the disciplines of Roman Law.

2. The amount of the prize, which cannot be divided, is twelve thousand euros (12,000 euros). The winner will also be awarded the medal of the University of Naples Federico II.

Special prizes, made available by the Board, will be bestowed by the Constitutional Court of the Italian Republic, by the Institut de Droit Romain, University of Paris II, by Italian and foreign Universities, by the Centro Romanistico Internazionale Copanello (the «Henryk Kupiszewski Prize») and by the Fondazione Cassa di Risparmi di Livorno.

3. The competition is open to scholars who have published, or written in a final form, their first monograph on topics concerning the history of Roman law and ancient laws during the triennium 2010 – 2011 – 2012.

4. Entries – using the form which can be downloaded on the website [www.premioboulvert.unina.it](http://www.premioboulvert.unina.it) – must reach the President of the Boulvert Prize, Professor Luigi Labruna, at [boulvert@unina.it](mailto:boulvert@unina.it), by December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2012.

On or before the same deadline five copies of the work entered in the competition must be sent to the Secretariat of the Prize, Dr. Daniela Piccione c/o Consorzio Boulvert, via Porta di Massa 32 - I - 80133 Napoli.

Works written in languages other than Italian, French, German, English, Spanish or Latin must be accompanied by a detailed summary (30-50 pages) in one of these languages.

5. The Board, in its final reasoned judgment, will award the Prize during the autumn of 2013.

6. The Board consists of the Director of «Index», Professor Luigi Labruna, University of Naples Federico II, and of Professors Jean Andreau, Director of Studies at the EHESS; Paris, Luigi Capogrossi Colognesi, University of Rome La Sapienza; Alessandro Corbino, President of the Centro Romanistico Internazionale Copanello; Teresa Giménez-Candela University Autònoma of Barcelona; Michel Humbert, University of Paris II; Rolf Knütel, University of Bonn; Pascal Pichonnaz University of Fribourg; Alan Rodger, Justice of the Supreme Court of the United Kingdom, London; Martin Schermaier, University of Bonn; Laurens Winkel, University Erasmus of Rotterdam, and by professors emeriti Hans Ankum, University of Amsterdam; Peter Stein, Queens' College, Cambridge and Gunter Wesener, University of Graz.

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