



Awarding of the Animal Protection Research Prize 2025

on 22nd April 2025 in the Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture in Berlin

Program flow

The event will be held in German. Our award winners will give their speeches in English. Simultaneous translation will be provided on site.

(The program is subject to change)

10:30 AM Check-in of registered visitors

11:00 AM Greetings

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Gilbert Schönfelder

Head of the German Centre for the Protection of Laboratory Animals (Bf3R)

11:10 AM Welcome and laudation

Dr. Ophelia Nick

Parliamentary State Secretary of the Federal Minister of Food and Agriculture

11:20 AM Lecture by the winner of the Animal Protection Research Prize for outstanding research

in the replacement and reduction of animal testing

Prof. Dr. Hans Clevers

Head of the Roche Research and Early Development and Researcher at University of

Utrecht

11:50 AM Laudation

Dr. Ophelia Nick

Parliamentary State Secretary of the Federal Minister of Food and Agriculture

12:00 AM Lecture by the winner of the Animal Protection Research Prize for social and civic

engagement in the field of laboratory animals

Prof. Dr. Adrian Smith

Head of Norecopa, the Norwegian 3R-Centre and 3R-Plattform

12:30 PM Closing words

Prof. Dr. Gilbert Schönfelder

Head of the German Centre for the Protection of Laboratory Animals (Bf3R)

12:35 PM Get-together with snacks in the press foyer

02:00 PM End of the event

Arrival information

Federal Ministry of Food and Agriculture (BMEL) Press foyer (2.E.010) Entrance via Französische Str. 2 10117 Berlin

Journey description here

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