



# ARTS-SCIENCES-LETTRES

## MEDAL RULES 2020

### COMMISSION SUPÉRIEURE DES RÉCOMPENSES

Dear Members,

In order to build your application file for a recognition from our Academic Society, we ask you to send back the completed attached form with all requested documents and the appropriate fees no later than March 13, 2020, to:

Arts-Sciences-Lettres Secretariat, 7, rue Robert Lindet - 75015 Paris France

Sincerely,

*La Commission Supérieure des Récompenses*

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Send your file, once by regular mail, to the Arts-Sciences-Lettres Secretariat, 7, rue Robert Lindet - 75015 Paris France

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#### Article 1. History.

An Arts-Sciences-Lettres Medal (Bronze, Tin, Silver, Vermeil, Gold, Platinum, High Level Vermeil, High Level Gold with Honor Plaque) is intended to encourage and recognize all persons who, in France or in the world, have distinguished themselves by their work and have contributed to the Arts, Sciences, Humanities, Arts and Crafts, Technical and Professional Teaching development by high quality work. The High Level Gold Medal with Honor Plaque, is given by the Board of Directors just as the High Level Vermeil Medal, is given in rare instances to persons who have provided outstanding services to the Academic Society ARTS-SCIENCES-LETTRES.

#### Article 2. Special Awards

Independently of these medals, special recognition can be awarded.

#### Article 3. Conditions

The adult candidates' list is set once per year, according pre-established conditions listed on the recognition forms.

#### Article 4. Diplomas of Honor

A Diploma of Honor (except all medals) could be given exceptionally during the year events when the President or his/her Representative is present at the event.

#### Article 5. Candidacies

Any member up to date with the payment fees could be granted a medal.

His/her request must be joined with a Criminal History Record Information Release Authorization Form less than 30 days old, all the required documents and the Fee for the creation of the file which are on the yearly updated form.

a) In case of acceptance, the file will not be returned, unless specially requested and at the candidate's return cost.

b) In case of adjournment or rejection, a processing fee of 15 Euros will be retained. When expressly requested, the file will be returned at the candidate's expense.

#### Article 6. Prize Giving

The diploma is given at the Recognition Ceremony (La Grande Fête).

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In case of recipient absence, the diploma will be sent to the winner via regular post at the recipient's expense.

#### Article 7. Medals

The Société medals and pins are sold exclusively at La Maison BACQUEVILLE  
6. 7. and 8 Galerie Monpensier - 75001 - PARIS FRANCE Tel: 01-42-96-26-90.

#### Article 8. Sanction

The Académique Société medal could be revoked upon decision of the board of directors in case of conviction or significant offenses against the honor.

#### Article 9. Awarding

The change to a upgrade category is not systematic.

To claim an upgraded medal, the candidate must justify of new artistic or humanitarian or scientist accomplishments.

Moreover, since his/her last award, the candidate must allow a minimum period of time of:

- 2 years between Bronze and Tin medals
- 4 years between Tin and Silver medals
- 5 years between Silver and Vermeil medals
- 8 years between Vermeil and Gold medals
- 10 years between Gold and Platinum medals

Please note that each decision is the responsibility of the Commissions Supérieure des Recompenses which decides without appeal.

#### Article 10. Honorific Distinction

The Society medals are considered as Honorific Distinction and are conveyed in the form of medals.

#### Article 11. Application

These medal rules apply to all candidates and candidates acknowledge reading and accepting them.

**Candidate's Signature:**  
(Read and accepted above rules)