

Poster Prizes of the Day of BioMedical Research 2026

Anja Helmer

received the the prize for the Best Preclinical Project for the poster entitled

[Sex differences in cardiac recovery and ventricular gene expression in a rat model of donation after circulatory death \(DCD\)](#)



Lara Marie Aschenbrenner

received the the prize for the Best Clinical Project for the poster entitled

[Internal Control Bias Related to Death Implicitly Differs in Suicidal Behaviour based on Frequency and Recency of Attempts](#)



Kai Busslinger

received the the prize for the Best Project by a medical student for the poster entitled

[Cardiac Arrhythmia Detection using Photoplethysmography in Real-world Ambulatory Setting: The EnHeart Study](#)



Melanie Cristine Scalise

received the Alumni MedBern Research Award
for the poster entitled

[Host-associated microbial evolution generates
dominant gut communities that reshape
metabolism](#)



Prize for the Best DBMR Publication 2025

Chrysanthi Kouri

[Oligogenic analysis across broad phenotypes of 46,XY differences in sex development associated with NR5A1/SF-1 variants: findings from the international SF1 next study](#)

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Benoît Pochon Prize 2025

Saranda Nimani

[QT syndromes: arrhythmogenic mechanisms and novel therapeutic approaches](#)



DBMR Technician of 2026 Award

Matthias Brunner

[Lung Precision Medicine](#)



Johanna Dürmüller-Bol DBMR Research Award 2026

Co- Awardees

Christina Grimm - [From building blocks to building interactions: decoding placental and maternal contributions to early gestation fetal brain development](#)

Elham Kashani - [Beyond TGF \$\beta\$: autocrine activin signaling as the cell-intrinsic engine of glioblastoma stem cell maintenance](#)

