



UPC Special Doctoral Awards 2023

The UPC recognizes ICFO PhD graduate Jonas Fischer with the Extraordinary PhD Thesis Award

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The Extraordinary PhD Awards, given annually by the Technical University of Catalonia? Barcelona Tech (UPC), aim to recognize the best doctoral theses which have obtained *cum laude* in their final PhD defense evaluation. This year, the UPC announced the list of 12 awardees in the broad area of *Sciences*, which includes the thesis of ICFO PhD graduate Dr. Jonas Fischer among the list of extraordinary doctoral works for the academic period 2

Dr. Jonas Fischer obtained his MSc degree in Photonics from the Munich University of Applied Sciences in Germany. He joined the [Medical Optics research group](#) led by ICREA Prof Dr. Turgut Durduran to carry out his PhD studies on neuromonitoring within the BitMap project. Dr Fischer thesis entitled **Transcranial Diffuse Optical Measurements of Pulsatility Derived Parameters for Neuromonitoring Applications** was supervised by **Prof Dr Turgut Durduran and Dr Udo M. Weigel**.

Congratulations Jonas for this outstanding award!