



2023 National Research Awards Ceremony

Prof. F. Pelayo Garcia de Arquer takes home the National Young Research Award 'Felisa Martin Bravo'

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In a ceremony that took place at the Ducal Palace in Gandia, Valencia, the King and Queen of Spain presided over the presentation of the 2023 National Research Awards, which are the most important recognition in Spain in the field of scientific research, highlighting the talent of the individuals and entities awarded who, through their work, contribute to the advancement and progress of society.

King Felipe and Queen Letizia were accompanied in the ceremony by the President of the Valencian Generalitat, Carlos Mazon; the Minister of Science, Innovation, and Universities, Diana Morant; and the Mayor of Gandia, Jose Manuel Prieto, among other authorities and members of the jury.

The 2023 National Research Awards and the 2023 National Research Awards for Young Researchers, were awarded across ten wide categories. **ICFO Prof. F. Pelayo Garcia de Arquer**, leader of [the CO2 Mitigation Accelerated by Photons](#) research group, received th

'Felisa Martin Bravo' National Research Prize for Young researchers, in the area of Physics, Materials and Earth Sciences, for his pioneering and interdisciplinary contributions to these fields with relevant applications in the generation of clean energy and the development of optoelectronic elements

? Congratulations Pelayo and all recipients of the 2023 National Research Awards for this prestigious recognition

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2023 National Research Award winners



Video of the Ceremony