## **Pedro Navascués Prize for PhD Theses**

The judges of the Pedro Navascués Prize for PhD Theses met on 27 November 2023. The judges were Beatriz Blasco Esquivias, Javier García-Gutiérrez Mosteiro and Ignacio Menéndez-Pidal de Navascués.

The judges noted the fine quality of the submissions and after a lengthy discussion a majority ruled to give the following prizes:

The 6000-euro Pedro Navascués Prize for PhD Theses went to the paper submitted by José Manuel Sanz García, entitled Evolución del diseño de firmes de carreteras y nuevos materiales en la era de la economía circular. Un cambio de paradigma [Evolution of road surface design and new materials in the age of the circular economy. A paradigm shift].

The 1000-euro second prize went to the paper submitted by Beatriz González Montes, entitled El culto a las aguas y sus manifestaciones materiales: ninfeos, caldas y balnea del noroeste de la Península Ibérica. De los precedentes antiguos a la alta Edad Media [Water worship and its material manifestations: nymphaea, hot springs and balneae of the northwestern Iberian Peninsula. From ancient forerunners to the early Middle Ages].

The judges thank all participants for their efforts.