

Dezső Dévényi (1948-2009) award ceremony and scientific presentation

7 December 2023



The programme for today

- Short introduction about the history of the Award
- Gábor Radnóti: Who was Dezső Dévényi?
- Scientific presentation of the 2023 award winner

- **Máté Mile (Norwegian Meteorological Institute):
Advanced assimilation of satellite observations in
a limited-area numerical weather prediction
model over the Arctic region**

- Q&A

- Award handover ceremony
- Closure
- (Virtual online gathering afterwards)



History of the award (1)

- Memorial meeting (physical): 21 June 2010 (a Met. Society event in autumn 2010)
 - Speakers: Rudolf Czelnai, Gábor Radnóti, István Szunyogh, Stan Benjamin, István Ihász, András Horányi and Péter Tasnádi
- Memorial volume including articles from the 2010 Memorial event (published in 2014)
 - 2010: the design and the preparation of the award (Tamara Kubaszova)
 - “It works in practice but how can be certain that it will work in theory?”



History of the award (2)

- Dezső Dévényi Numerikus Weather Prediction Award from 2011 onward (we have the 10th awardee this year)
 - 2011: Ágnes Havasi
 - 2013: Ildikó Pieczka
 - 2015: Hajnalka Breuer
 - 2017: Gabriella Szépszó
 - 2018: Timea Haszpra
 - 2019: Csaba Torma
 - 2020: Péter Torma
 - 2021: Gabriella Allaga-Zsebeházi
 - 2022: Noémi Sarkadi
- The Award ceremony was part of the official celebration of the World Meteorological Day (23rd of March) at the Hungarian Meteorological Service (from 2011 to 2018).
- From 2019 onwards we have our own event in the autumn (Dezső died on Thanksgiving Day) with the presentation of the actual winner
- Committee: Patricia Dévényi, Stan Benjamin (from 2022), György Major (until 2021), Gabor Radnóti, Gabriella Szépszó (from 2018) and András Horányi

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