

## Erasmus Medal 2015

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The Academia Europaea on Monday 7 September 2015, on the occasion of the Academia Europaea's General Meeting in Darmstadt, awarded its Erasmus Medal to Professor Edith Hall MAE (London). The Erasmus Medal of the Academia Europaea is awarded on the recommendation of the Council, to a member who has maintained over a sustained period, the highest level of international scholarship and recognition by peers.

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