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## Economics Journalism Award 2023

The Swiss Society of Economics and Statistics awards this year's prize to **Mark Dittli** for his analytical and fact-based coverage of economics and finance topics of relevance for Switzerland. In addition to providing in-depth analysis, Mark Dittli experiments with new media platforms and channels to foster dissemination and discussion.

The award is presented at the Society's annual congress in Neuchâtel on 29 June 2023.

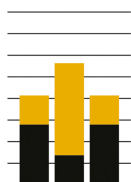
### Background

In a country where citizens are frequently tasked with deciding on important economic questions, journalists must rely on sound economic arguments when reporting and commenting. Against this background, the Society recognizes outstanding economics journalism in Switzerland with an award.

The key criterion for eligibility is that the journalist uses sound arguments based on economic theory and/or empirics. No other restrictions are imposed.

The selection process is organized as follows: All members of the Society are invited to nominate journalists who cover economics issues and cater to a Swiss audience. A selection committee composed of board members reviews the nominations and makes a proposal to the board. The board decides.

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