

## **About the Xplorer Prize**

Established by the Tencent Foundation, the Xplorer Prize is a merit-based public-interest award, developed and evaluated by prominent scientists. The award is also one of the most generous talent funding programmes for young scientists in China. Focusing on basic sciences and frontier technologies, the Xplorer Prize is awarded to up to 50 young scientists every year. Recipients receive a no-strings-attached fund totalling RMB 3,000,000 over a five-year period to further their scientific research. Since 2020, the second year of the award, it has been open to young scientists from Hong Kong and Macau.