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## Al-Babtain's "Andalusian Prize" awarded to Spanish researcher

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KUWAIT, May 6 (KUNA) -- Foundation of Abdul Aziz Saud Al-Babtain Prize for Poetic Creativity's "Andalusian Prize" was awarded to Spanish researcher Jose Ramirez del Rio, the Foundation announced here Sunday

Del Rio, whose research on Islamic conquests of western Spain won the prize, will be honored in a ceremony to be held on May 21 at University of Granada. The ceremony will see the attendance of poet Abdul Aziz Saud Al-Babtain and Rector of the University Francisco Gonzalez Lodeiro, the Kuwait-based cultural institution said in a statement

Del Rio's paper indicated that the era of Islamic conquests was the most important in the history of the Iberian Peninsula. It reviewed political and economic spectrums of the area at that time," it noted Foundation of Abdul Aziz Saud Al-Babtain Prize for Poetic Creativity was launched in Cairo in 1989. (end) yt.hb KUNA 061610 May 12NNNN

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