2023



BLAVATNIK NATIONAL AWARDS FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS

NOMINATE LEADING FACULTY CANDIDATES

LIFE SCIENCES

PHYSICAL SCIENCES & ENGINEERING

CHEMISTRY



ONE LAUREATE IN EACH CATEGORY AWARDED **\$250,000**

NOMINATIONS OPEN ON SEPTEMBER 28, 2022 NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON NOVEMBER 9, 2022 NOMINATE AT www.blavatnikawards.org LETTERS OF SUPPORT MUST BE SUBMITTED BY **NOVEMBER 23, 2022**

LAUREATES OF THE 2019 **BLAVATNIK NATIONAL AWARDS**



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Program: Blavatnik National Awards for Young Scientists

Mission: Recognize America's most promising faculty-rank researchers

ELIGIBILITY

The nominee must:

- Have been born in or after 1981*.
- Hold a doctoral degree (PhD, DPhil, MD, DDS, DVM, etc.).
- Currently hold a faculty position at an invited institution in the United States .
- Currently conduct research as a principal investigator in one of the disciplinary categories in Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, or Chemistry.
- The Blavatnik Awards strongly encourages the nomination of women and other underrepresented groups in science and engineering.

* Age limit exceptions will be considered in exceptional circumstances upon a detailed written submission from the nominating institution.

LIMITED SUBMISSION

- Candidates must be nominated by their institution. **Self-nominations are not allowed.**
- Each institution may submit up to three nominations, one in each disciplinary category of Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, and Chemistry.
- Nominations must be submitted using the online nomination system.

NOMINATION MATERIALS

- Nominator's Rationale for Nomination (200 words).
- Nominee's **Curriculum Vitae**.
- Nominee's **Research Summary** (1,000 words).
- Full-text publications and/or patents representing the nominee's work (up to 4).
- Names and email addresses for two letter writers.
- Nominee's Professional Service and Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Statement (1 page)

Nominate at: www.blavatnikawards.org



Blavatnik Awards Young Scientists Categories: Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, and Chemistry



Awards: One Laureate in each Category awarded US\$250,000 in directly paid, unrestricted funds

EVALUATION CRITERIA

Nominees and their work as independent investigators will be evaluated according to the following criteria:

- *Quality*: The extent to which the work is reliable, valid, credible, and scientifically rigorous.
- *Impact*: The extent to which the work addresses an important problem and is influential in the nominee's field.
- *Novelty*: The extent to which the work challenges existing paradigms, employs new methodologies or concepts, and/or pursues an original question.
- *Promise*: Future prospects in the nominee's field and potential for further significant contributions to science.

QUESTIONS

This is a summary of the Blavatnik National Awards program. Please see our website, <u>www.blavatnikawards.org</u>, for full details and nomination guidelines. For general questions about rules and eligibility, please consult our <u>Frequently Asked Questions page</u>.

For all other inquiries, please contact the Blavatnik Awards team at <u>blavatnikawards@nyas.org</u> or 212.298.8630.



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