# **Faculty of Science Research Excellence & Impact Award**

# A Faculty of Science Award

Application Deadline: Friday, March 1, 2024

#### **Purpose:**

To recognize, encourage, and reward faculty whose research efforts have been particularly significant and outstanding, and are also recognized nationally, and internationally.

# Criteria:

The committee will be examining the application packages for evidence of:

- National and international research contributions (conferences, awards, publications, etc.)
- Research that is novel, innovative and impactful, and thus has contributed significantly to the field of research, may potentially improve quality of life and/or encouraged additional research
- Research that raises the profile and reputation of the Faculty of Science and University of Windsor

### **Eligibility:**

Faculty of Science faculty members of all ranks. Nominees must not have received this award (previously named Research Impact Award) during the previous 5 years.

#### **Nomination Process:**

Nominations may be made by colleagues, students or through self-nomination. Student nominators are highly encouraged to collaborate with faculty and/or staff members.

# **Application Packages:**

Application packages will include:

- 1. Nomination letter or application detailing the reasons for the submission.
- 2. 1 letter of support (letter must be from an individual other than the nominator)
- 3. CV

Application packages should be submitted electronically to: <a href="mailto:scienceawards@uwindsor.ca">scienceawards@uwindsor.ca</a>

# **Review Process:**

Application packages will be circulated to the Award Committee electronically for individual review. The committee will then meet to discuss the applications and reach a decision. The Award Committee, struck and chaired by the Dean of Science, will consist of Associate Deans and Department Heads/Directors (or their designates).

#### Award:

The Award will be given to a maximum of two individuals each year. One award will be designated for each of these categories:

- 1. Early Career Faculty Members (within first six years of their faculty appointment)
- 2. Mid to Senior Career Faculty Members

Successful applicants will receive a \$2000 research grant, and a certificate.

# For additional information, please contact:

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