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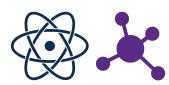
NOMINATE LEADING FACULTY CANDIDATES

LIFE SCIENCES

PHYSICAL SCIENCES & ENGINEERING

CHEMICAL SCIENCES





ONE LAUREATE IN EACH CATEGORY AWARDED \$250,000

FIVE FINALISTS IN EACH CATEGORY AWARDED \$15,000

NOMINATIONS OPEN ON OCTOBER 9, 2024 NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON **DECEMBER 4, 2024**

NOMINATE AT www.blavatnikawards.org

LETTERS OF SUPPORT MUST BE SUBMITTED BY **DECEMBER 18, 2024**

LAUREATES OF THE 2022 BLAVATNIK NATIONAL AWARDS FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS



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2025 BLAVATNIK NATIONAL AWARDS FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS





Program: Blavatnik National Awards for Young Scientists



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



Categories: Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, and Chemical Sciences



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

Five Finalists in each Category awarded US\$15,000 each in directly paid, unrestricted funds

ELIGIBILITY

The nominee must:

- Have been born in or after 1983*.
- 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 Chemical Sciences.
- 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.

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.

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 Chemical Sciences.
- Nominations must be submitted using the online nomination system.

QUESTIONS

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

For all other inquiries, please contact the Blavatnik Awards team at blavatnikawards@nyas.org or 212.298.3742.

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)



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