



NOMINATIONS AND APPLICATIONS FOR THE VICE-CHANCELLOR'S RESEARCH AWARD

The award is open to all academic staff who are under 40 years of age on 01 September in the year in which they are nominated. Researchers of exceptional quality and proven achievement with sustained records of scholarship or creative endeavor will be considered.

The following documents should be forwarded:

- (a) Curriculum vitae
- (b) Details of publications, reviews of publications (or cited references) and other evidence of distinction
- (c) The names of five referees (National and International) whom the Committee may consult. Please note that referees should be approached by the nominator(s)/applicant(s) to agree to act as a referee. Referees should be persons of standing (two of whom should be international where the field of activity makes this a reasonable requirement) in the candidate's discipline. The University reserves the right to call for assessor reports. Please provide full details: title, name, physical address, e-mail address, telephone and fax numbers.

One award will be made annually provided that there is a nominee whose work is of sufficiently high standard. The funds awarded may be used for self-initiated research or creative endeavour and would be given unconditionally for any legitimate research expense including equipment, running expenses, travel or a combination of these. The only requirements will be research/scholarly/creative productivity.

Please note that:

- This is a single award.
- The awards are made on merit and it is possible that in a given year there may be no award made
- The University reserves the right to withdraw the Award at any time if, in the opinion of the University the recipient's conduct or behaviour is considered to be unethical or not in conformity with the honour and status of the Award.

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