



Call for Nomination/Application

James Hoeschele AsBIC Award

The "James Hoeschele AsBIC Award" was established with generous support from Prof. James Hoeschele (Eastern Michigan University), the co-inventor of carboplatin, to recognize outstanding scientific contributions in biological inorganic chemistry of scientists in their mid-careers in the Asia-Pacific region. The Award aims to encourage collaboration and strengthen cooperation within the Asia-Pacific biological inorganic chemistry community. The Award selection will be made by a review panel consisting of members of the AsBIC Steering Committee, representative of all areas, both scientific and geographic.

Award Details

Up to two awards will be presented every alternate year. The award recipients will be presented with a cash prize of US\$500 and award certificate. The award recipients will be invited to receive their prizes and deliver their award lectures at the next AsBIC conference.

Eligibility

To be eligible for the award, the candidates must be current members of the Society of Biological Inorganic Chemistry (SBIC) from the Asia-Pacific region (note that Israel is now included in AsBIC) and be under 50 years old, or no more than 25 years post PhD at the deadline for nomination. Career interruptions will be taken into consideration:

- career's responsibility;
- disruption due to international relocation for post-doctoral studies or other research employment not exceeding 3 months per international relocation;
- illness;
- maternity or parental leave; and/or
- unemployment, or non-research employment.

Register at <http://www.sbichem.org> to become an SBIC Member.

Nomination/Application Process

Nomination/Application dossier to include the following:

- Letter of nomination/application addressed to Selection Committee describing the accomplishments of the candidate that meet the criterion of "outstanding research in biological inorganic chemistry."
- Curriculum Vitae including a list of publications
- The five most influential publications by the candidate as the primary author that support the nomination/application
- Latest photograph
- A 300-word citation

Submit the completed nomination dossier to Prof Abhishek Dey (Chair, AsBIC Steering Committee); email: icad@iacs.res.in

Closing Date: **15 Jul 2024**

Selection Process

- The Selection Committee will comprise standing members of the AsBIC Steering Committee. Nominators, as well as those supplying supporting letters, will not be eligible as a member of the Selection Committee.
- Awards will only be made if the recipients attend the award presentation at the AsBIC conference.
- We are looking to reward and promote excellence considering the standards in the different sub-disciplines of biological inorganic chemistry.
- The Selection Committee reserves the right not to award.
- The decision of the panel is final and no appeal will be entertained.
- These guidelines may be subject to change.