2023 BLAVATNIK AWARDS FOR YOUNG SCIENTISTS IN ISRAEL
NOMINATE LEADING FACULTY CANDIDATES

ONE LAUREATE IN EACH CATEGORY AWARDED $100,000

NOMINATIONS OPEN ON JULY 6, 2022
NOMINATIONS CLOSE ON AUGUST 31, 2022
NOMINATE AT www.blavatnikawards.org
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DRIVING THE NEXT GENERATION OF SCIENTIFIC INNOVATION
**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 Israel.
- 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 nine nominations, three in each disciplinary category of Life Sciences, Physical Sciences & Engineering, and Chemistry.
- Nominations must be submitted using the online nomination system.

**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 Awards for Young Scientists in Israel. For complete details, please read in full the 2023 Blavatnik Awards in Israel Guidelines and Nomination Materials & Instructions sections on our website, blavatnikawards.org. For general questions about rules and eligibility, please also view the Frequently Asked Questions section of this site. For all other inquiries, please contact the Blavatnik Awards team at blavatnikawardsisrael@nyas.org or (+1)212.298.8626.