

Call for nominations for the 2018 ICMRBS Founders' Medal

Dear Colleagues,

On behalf of the 2018 ICMRBS committee and the award selection committee, I would like to invite you to nominate young and excellent magnetic resonance spectroscopists for the Founders' Medal of the 2018 ICMRBS, <http://www.icmrbs.org/founders-medal.html>. This prestigious award was established in 2002 by the ICMRBS Council to **recognize exceptional contributions by young scientists** to the development and progress of the field of magnetic resonance in biological systems. **The awardee should be no more than 12 years post-Ph.D. (plus 1 year for each child)** at the time of the meeting. The awardee will be presented with the medal at the upcoming XXVIII ICMRBS meeting, to be held in [Dublin, Ireland, on August 19-24, 2018](#), along with USD \$3,000, and will be invited to present a lecture at this conference.

For your information, previous recipients for the Founders' Medal were:

- 2002 Lewis Kay, University of Toronto, Canada
- 2005 Nico Tjandra, National Institutes of Health, USA
- 2006 Marc Baldus, Max-Planck-Institute for Biophysical Chemistry, Germany
- 2008 Chad Rienstra, University of Illinois, USA
- 2010 Mei Hong, Iowa State University, USA
- 2012 Hashim Al-Hashimi, University of Michigan, USA
- 2014 Christopher Jaroniec, Ohio State University, USA
- 2016 Adam Lange, Humboldt University and FMP Berlin, Germany

Nominations should be submitted to meihong@mit.edu by **Tuesday May 29, 2018**. The nomination package should include:

- a signed nomination letter
- an outline of the nominee's exceptional contributions
- the nominee's CV and publication list

We hope that you will take a moment to nominate the most talented and dynamic young biological NMR spectroscopists, to help to keep our field vibrant and innovative.

With best wishes,

Mei Hong
On behalf of the award selection committee

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