**Senior Investigator Award – Biofabrication 2022**

**Aim**

The purpose of the ISBF’s Senior Investigator Award is to recognize a senior investigator who has made significant scientific contributions to the field of biofabrication.

**Award Eligibility**

The nominated individuals must have received their terminal degree 10 years or more from the time of the award and be actively contributing to the field of biofabrication. An individual nominated for the ISBF’s Senior Investigator Award MUST be an active registered member of the ISBF and MUST physically attend the 2022 Biofabrication Conference in Pisa, Italy.

**Award Criteria**

The Prize will be awarded to a senior investigator that has addressed one or more of the following topics in their research:

1. design, synthesis and/or characterization of new printable biomaterials
2. design, fabrication and/or validation of novel biomedical devices and/or fabrication processes
3. implementation of novel physical. mathematical or informatics models for the prediction, characterization and and/or analysis of biomedical devices
4. development of novel tools for biofabrication
5. development of novel *in vitro* biofabricated models
6. development of novel applications or the translation of biofabricated constructs to preclinical or clinical practice
7. industrial realization of a device, process or materials for applications in Biofabrication

**Prize**

The ISBF Awards Committee will select the Senior Investigator. The award winner receives

* Invitation to speak for 20 minutes at the Biofabrication 2022 Closing Ceremony
* Lifetime Honorary ISBF Membership
* A plaque

**Announcement**

This 2022 ISBF Senior Investigator Awardee will be publically announced by the ISBF 2022 Awards Committee the week of September 4, 2022 on the Biofabrication 2022 meeting website and subsequently on the ISBF’s website.

**Application Procedure and Deadlines**

1. Each candidate is nominated in secret by at least two society members that send the nominiation via a single e-mail message to the Awards Committee Chair, Dr. David Dean (David.Dean@osumc.edu) or, if David Dean is a nominee or nominator, to the ISBF President, Dr. James Yoo (jyoo@wakehealth.edu).
2. The society members that nominate a candidate should also provide the following as a single \*.PDF file:
	1. Affiliation and Contact – no more than one page (form on Biofabrication 2021 Awards webpage)
	2. Nominee’s curriculum vitae – no more than 6 pages (0.5 inch margins and 11 point font)
	3. Three letters of recommendation
	4. One page summary of the nominee’s major accomplishments (0.5 inch margins, 11 point font).
3. The nomination messages must have a send date and time no later than 8:59PM (US Pacific time) August 5, 2022. Notification of Award: September 4, 2022.

**Selection Criteria**

The candidatures will be examined and evaluated on the basis of the following criteria:

1) Overall level of productivity in the area of Biofabrication

2) Significant contribution to the area of Biofabrication

3) Innovation in the field of Biofabrication

**Review Committee Decision and Announcement**

The Awards Committee consists of 7 members of the International Society of Biofabrication. If one of the candidates is on the Awards Committee, they cannot participate in the review or final decision. If a nominator is on the Awards Committee, they cannot vote on or discuss their nominee but can rank the other nominees.

**Affiliation and Contact Information**

 **2022 International Society for Biofabrication Award Application**

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**Educational History (most recent first):**

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**Recent Employment History (most recent first):**

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**Selected Publications:**

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**Selected Honors and Awards:**

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