

YALE UNIVERSITY ■ SCHOLAR AWARD COMPETITION

SEARLE SCHOLARS PROGRAM

DEADLINES

Expressions of Interest (PI Name, Project Title) by May 16, 2018 (required)

Internal Competition Deadline: May 30, 2018 at 5:00pm

Sponsor deadline for proposals: September 28, 2018

SPONSOR'S WEBSITE

Program: <http://www.searlescholars.net/go.php?id=5>

Advisory Board: <http://www.searlescholars.net/go.php?id=18>

2017 Recipients: <http://www.searlescholars.net/go.php?id=6>

2015-17 Recipients / Project Descriptions: <http://www.searlescholars.net/go.php?id=13> (click on names for abstracts)

FUNDING

\$100,000 per year for a period of 3 years. (Total: \$300,000)

NOMINATION LIMITATION

Yale University may nominate two (2) candidates.

PURPOSE

The Searle Scholars Program supports the independent research of exceptional young scientists who have already demonstrated innovation in their research and have recently joined the tenure track faculty. Applicants are expected to be pursuing independent research careers in biochemistry, cell biology, genetics, immunology, neuroscience, pharmacology, and related areas in chemistry, medicine, and the biological sciences.

The Program is primarily interested in the potential of applicants to make innovative and high-impact contributions to research over an extended period of time.

Potential applicants who are unsure of whether their research is appropriate for this program are encouraged to examine, carefully, the research interests of previous Searle scholars, particularly if the proposed research has clinical and basic components. (Clinical research, by itself, will not be funded.)

ELIGIBILITY

- Candidates must have begun or will begin their **first** appointment as an assistant professor at Yale (tenure-track) on or after July 1, 2017; successful applicants are usually in their first or second year.
- Candidates who have already held an appointment as assistant professor at another institution are not eligible.
- There are no restrictions placed on funding from other sources of support.

PAST RECIPIENTS CURRENTLY AT YALE

1982, Jordan Pober ... 1983, Gary Brudvig ... 1991, Jorge Galan ... 1992, Mark Hochstrasser ... 1993, Mark Solomon ... 1997, Scott Strobel ... 2000, Ruslan Medzhitov ... 2002, Peter Takizawa ... 2003, Walther Mothes, Anna Marie Pyle ... 2004, David Zenisek ... 2005, John MacMicking ... 2010, Seth Herzon ... 2011, Megan King ... 2013, Jason Crawford ... 2014, Damon Clark, Matthew Simon ... 2016, Sarah Slavoff ... 2018, Hesper Rego ...

INTERNAL COMPETITION PROCEDURES

READ CAREFULLY and follow all instructions and guidance provided for internal competition submissions at: <https://your.yale.edu/research-support/office-sponsored-projects/funding/scholar-awards/internal-competition-procedures>

For this internal competition, please include a letter of recommendation from your department chair or section chief. On the internal competition [face page](#), under "Referees," please list this person + 3 additional people you plan to ask for letters of recommendation if nominated for this award.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CONTACT:

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