



## CST RESEARCH EXCELLENCE AWARD TERMS OF REFERENCE

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<b>Award Information</b>	<b>Details</b>
Purpose of Award	To recognize research achievement and excellence in the field of transplantation, with significant promise to make a further substantial contribution to the field of transplantation
Number of Awards	One
Type of Research	May be clinical, basic, or translational
Application Available	January of each year
How to Submit	All materials to be submitted as a single PDF file to <a href="mailto:info@cst-transplant.ca">info@cst-transplant.ca</a>
Application Deadline	March 31 of each year
Award Notification	At least 6 weeks prior to Annual Scientific Meeting
Award Announcement	June 30 of each year
Award Presentation	At CST Annual Scientific Meeting
Award Amount	Up to \$1500 in travel expenses to attend Annual Scientific Meeting Plaque of Recognition. Name posted on CST website
Award Criteria	Excellence in one or more of: 1. Research contributions to the field of transplantation as assessed by publications and grant support 2. Contributions to the CST as assessed by committee service/special interest groups 3. Leadership and vision
<b>Eligibility Criteria</b>	
CST Membership Required	Yes, Full or Associate, active for last 5 years by submission deadline
Canadian Residence Required	Yes
Academic Rank Required	Assistant Professor or Associate Professor at a Canadian university
Application Required	Yes, in prescribed form
Letter of Support Required	Yes, one
Nomination Required	Optional
Curriculum Vitae Required	Yes, in CIHR Common CV Format
Brief Bio Required	Yes, outlining contributions and achievements in the field of transplantation and contributions to the CST (1 page limit)
Previous Winners Excluded	Yes, previous lifetime achievement, clinician recognition, <b>education and teaching excellence</b> award winners excluded
<b>Minimum overall score for award to be granted</b>	<b>3.7 (maximum score 5.0)</b>
Queries	CST Office: <a href="mailto:info@cst-transplant.ca">info@cst-transplant.ca</a>