



2025 Award for Outstanding Research

The College of Science & Engineering Outstanding Research Award recognizes significant accomplishments in research and scholarly activity.

Eligibility

All CSE tenure-track/tenured, research, and fixed-term faculty are eligible for this award. Individuals may be nominated multiple times but only receive this award once every ten years.

Criteria for Selection

- Evidence of scholarly impact on the field or discipline.
- Demonstrated productivity and success, accounting for time in rank, as evidenced by peer-reviewed publications, external grant funding, and other measures (e.g., in-kind support or time at a shared research facility).
- Success in mentoring undergraduate students, graduate students, or postdoctoral staff in research leading to outcomes such as publications or presentations at external venues (regional, national, or international conferences) where the mentee is a co-author.
- Evidence of scholarly impact on society. For example, the applicant may describe how the program of research or research project(s) has supported positive outcomes in the communities where work was performed and/or evidence of translational or transferrable outcomes resulting from the work.
- Recognition of scholarly reputation (e.g., collaborations, panel participation, or awards).

Nomination and Application Process

- Nomination process
 - Nominations should describe why and how the nominee merits special recognition given one or more of the criteria above (maximum of one page). Self-nominations and nominations from colleagues, students, and alumni are encouraged.
 - Nominations must be received by the College of Science & Engineering Dean's office by Friday, April 7, 5:00 pm, [here](#) or via email to tycne1c@cmich.edu.
- Application process
 - Nominees will be asked to provide the following information:
 - A narrative that describes how the nominee meets one or more of the criteria for selection with specific examples.

- A table or list of scholarly research, publications, grant awards, and presentations that best represent the nominee's research program over the past ten years.
- Any additional evidence that supports the nominee's application.
- The application should be a maximum of three pages, exclusive of the nomination.
- Applications must be received by the College of Science & Engineering Dean's office by Friday, May 2, 5:00 pm, via email to tycne1c@cmich.edu.