



The Ramzi S. Cotran Young Investigator Award



The **Ramzi S. Cotran Young Investigator Award** was established by the USCAP Board of Directors to recognize a body of investigative work which has contributed significantly to the diagnosis and understanding of human disease. This award is restricted to USCAP members who are under the age of 45 and in good standing with USCAP for at least one year prior to receiving the award.

This important award is named after Dr. Ramzi S. Cotran, Past-President of USCAP, outstanding pathologist, person, and mentor.

The award consists of a commemorative plaque and \$5,000.

Selection Process

Awardees are selected by The Ramzi S. Cotran Young Investigator Award Committee. Committee members rank the candidates and provide their assessment to the Committee Chair. The Chair notifies the Executive Vice President (EVP) of his/her selection. The EVP presents the individual to the Board of Directors for ratification (preferably at the Interim Meeting) and subsequently notifies the winner and arranges for the plaque and check. The awardee does not have to be present at the Annual Meeting and travel funds are not included.

It is preferable that the Michael Gimbrone Professor of Pathology (Harvard Medical School) and Chair, Department of Pathology, Brigham and Women's Hospital, Dr. Jon C. Aster, presents the award on **Saturday, March 19, 2022**.

Young Investigator Award Committee

The Committee consists of five (5) members:

- a) Three members of the Board of Directors (one of whom will serve as Chair)
- b) Two at-large members not currently serving on the Board of Directors

Appointed members serve two-year staggered terms and may not serve a second consecutive term.

The Executive Committee at its Annual Meeting makes appointments to this committee.

**Application must be submitted by: Thursday, October 7, 2021
at 3:00 PM Eastern Daylight Time.**

Previous Awardees

- 2021 Lanjing "L.J." Zhang
- 2020 David A. Solomon
- 2019 Laura D. Wood
- 2018 Lynette M. Sholl
- 2017 Anthony J. Gill
- 2016 Donna Hansel
- 2015 Charles Mullighan
- 2014 John Iafrate
- 2013 Celina Kleer
- 2012 Cristina Antonescu
- 2011 Shuji Ogino
- 2010 Jorge S. Reis-Filho
- 2009 Christine Lacobuzio-Donahue
- 2008 Anirban Maitra
- 2007 Arul M. Chinnaiyan
- 2006 Kojo S. J. Elenitoba-Johnson
- 2005 Marc Ladanyi
- 2004 Mark A. Rubin
- 2003 Julia A. Bridge
- 2002 Frederic G. Barr
- 2001 Ralph Hruban
- 2000 Mary Sunday
- 1999 Lawrence M. Weiss
- 1998 Cheryl L. Willman
- 1997 Christopher D.M. Fletcher
- 1996 James R. Downing

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