

## INBRE Outstanding Mentorship and Teaching Award

The INBRE Outstanding Mentorship and Biomedical Training Award recognizes individuals from INBRE programs who demonstrate excellence in mentoring and teaching undergraduate and graduate students.

**Eligibility.** Candidates must be nominated by an INBRE PD/PI. Faculty who currently or previously received INBRE support are eligible. Candidates must have a strong publication record and a demonstrated commitment to biomedical mentoring and teaching. Nominees are required to attend the conference to be eligible to receive this award.

**Nomination Process.** Nominations require a Letter of Recommendation (LOR) from an INBRE PD/PI, two additional Letters of Support from faculty, and a Curriculum Vitae (CV) for the candidate.

- The LOR should be on letterhead and signed by the INBRE PD/PI. The LOR should focus on the candidate's commitment to teaching and mentoring the next generation of biomedical scientists. The letter should also comment on the ways in which the candidate exemplifies the ideals of research excellence in the undergraduate, graduate, or research institution setting.
- The additional LOS should be submitted by faculty, staff, or students with direct knowledge of the nominee's mentorship abilities.
- The CV should be recent and include the names and thematic research areas of mentees.

Nominations should be submitted **no later than April 15, 2024, at 11:59 PM ET**. All required documents should be submitted as a single PDF using the **Award Nomination** form on the conference website.

**Selection Process.** The winner will be chosen by the organizing committee based on nomination materials. The following guidelines will be used to select candidates for this award:

1. Recognition of achievements via positions, awards, and/or honors
2. Evidence of research productivity, such as grant or foundation awards, peer-reviewed publications, scientific presentations and/or research related service.
3. Evidence of successful mentoring and teaching of students or postdoctoral fellows.

*Winners will be announced in-person at the Awards Ceremony on Wednesday, June 19th. Nominees are required to attend the conference to be eligible for an award and must be present at the awards ceremony to receive an award.*