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The American Society for Nutrition Foundation's awards program honors scientists, clinicians, and scholars for significant achievements in nutrition research and practice. It is my distinct honor to welcome the new ASN Class of Fellows and congratulate the other award and scholarship recipients in 2018, our 90th year, at our flagship annual meeting here in Boston.



The ASN Fellow designation is the highest honor bestowed by the Society in recognition of significant discoveries and distinguished careers in nutrition. Brief bios on the newly recognized Fellows who have served ASN and the nutrition community with distinction follow in this brochure. Also included is information on more than 40 awards administered by our ASN Foundation and the 2018 recipients, as well as recognition of both 50-year ASN members, ASN Past Presidents, ASN Board of Directors, and the ASN Foundation Board. Please join me in congratulating and honoring these esteemed groups.

Thank you to the many ASN Foundation donors who annually support our efforts to advance the Society's role as a global leader in nutrition, health, and wellness. It is through your unwavering generosity that the ASN's Fellows and awards programs thrive. We ask for your continued support through the ASN Foundation's annual giving and planned giving campaigns to sustain and grow these wonderful programs in nutrition science and practice for many years to come.

Congratulations to all!

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Robert M. Russell".

Robert Russell, MD
Chair, ASN Foundation, and
Chair, ASN Fellows Committee



The American Society for Nutrition's Awards Program is administered through the ASN Foundation. The ASN Foundation was formed to advance understanding of nutrition science; support meritorious research; recognize and support outstanding investigators in all career stages; and explore the future of nutrition science and practice.

There are numerous ways to support the Foundation:

- Make an annual charitable donation;
- Donate to an ASN programmatic area such as student awards and scholarships;
- Make a tribute or memorial gift to honor a colleague or mentor;
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The ASN Class of 2018 Fellows

To be inducted as a Fellow of the Society is the highest honor ASN bestows, recognizing individuals for significant discoveries and distinguished careers in the field of nutrition. Members of the Class of 2018 join more than 400 ASN Fellows who have been recognized since the program began in 1952.

Linda Adair, PhD University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Dr. Linda Adair earned her PhD in Biological Anthropology at the University of Pennsylvania and completed a Mellon Postdoctoral Fellowship for Studies at the Interface of Biology and Demography



at the Carolina Population Center at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (UNC-CH). She is currently Professor of Nutrition at the Gillings School of Global Public Health at UNC-CH, a Fellow at the Carolina Population Center, and Honorary Professor at the University of the Witwatersrand in Johannesburg.

With a global concern, Dr. Adair's research focuses on maternal and child nutrition including the determinants and consequences of infant and early childhood growth patterns; the developmental origins of chronic disease risk; and the role of HIV in maternal nutritional status, pregnancy, and birth outcomes. She has led the Cebu (Philippines) Longitudinal Health and Nutrition Survey for nearly 30 years and works in China, South

Africa, Rwanda, and Malawi. Dr. Adair's methodological focus is on the design and implementation of population-based health/demographic/nutrition surveys and the application of longitudinal epidemiologic and structural models to health outcome research. At the University of North Carolina, she teaches courses in international nutrition and analytic methods in nutrition epidemiology. She has more than 300 peer-reviewed publications in biomedical journals.

Bruce N. Ames, PhD University of California, Berkeley

Dr. Bruce Ames is a world-renowned scientist and Professor Emeritus of



Biochemistry and Molecular Biology at University of California, Berkeley. The innovation Dr. Ames brings to his nutrition science research has resulted

in visionary concepts applied internationally.

He developed the Ames test, used as an initial screen for assessment of compounds and food components as possible carcinogens. It is one of the eight tests required under the

Pesticide Act, and one of six under the Toxic Substances Control Act. He also developed the “Triage Theory of Aging”, underscoring the role of mitochondrial stability and function in the aging process and the role that diet plays in anti-oxidant defense.

Dr. Ames is a member of the National Academy of Sciences and served on their Commission on Life Sciences. He has also served on the board of directors of the National Cancer Institute and the National Cancer Advisory Board. Dr. Ames has been nominated several times for the Nobel Prize and is a recipient of the U.S. National Medal of Science. His 550+ publications have resulted in his being among the few hundred most-cited scientists in all fields.

**Patsy Brannon, PhD
Cornell University**

Dr. Patsy Brannon, Professor of Nutritional Sciences and Director of the Dietetic Internship at Cornell University, has served nationally and internationally in nutrition. She serves on the National Academies of Sciences, Engineering and Medicine’s (NASEM) DRI Review Committee for Sodium and Potassium, USDA National Agricultural Research, Extension, Education, and Economics Advisory Board, FASEB Science Policy Committee, and ASN Committee on Advocacy and Science Policy. She has performed numerous roles for



ASN (including Chair of the Nutrition Sciences Council and member of the Board of Directors and Public Policy Committee Chair) and has been a member of the Institute of Medicine’s Food and Nutrition Board, NASEM WIC Food Package Review Committee, Dietary Reference Intakes for Calcium and Vitamin D Committee, and the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics’ first Educational Task Force. She also served as the Dean of the Cornell College of Human Ecology and Chair of the University of Maryland’s Department of Nutrition and Food Science.

Dr. Brannon’s research focuses on diet-gene interactions in the placenta and exocrine pancreas and vitamin D in pregnancy. She received her PhD in Nutritional Biochemistry from Cornell University and her BS magna cum laude and MS in Nutrition and Food Science from Florida State University.

**Nancy F. Butte, MPH, PhD
Baylor College of Medicine (emeritus)**

Dr. Nancy Butte is Emeritus Professor of Pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine. She earned her BS in Food and Nutritional Sciences at University of California, Berkeley, and MPH in Public Health Nutrition at the University of California, Berkeley, as well as her PhD in Nutritional Sciences. She completed her research career after 36 years at the USDA/ARS Children’s Nutrition



Research Center in the Department of Pediatrics, Baylor College of Medicine.

Dr. Butte is an internationally recognized expert in energy metabolism and childhood obesity. Her research addressed environmental and genetic factors contributing to obesity in Hispanic children and the development of childhood weight management programs based on lifestyle changes in diet and exercise. Using room respiration calorimetry and the doubly labeled water method, Dr. Butte's research helped define the energy requirements of infants, children and women during pregnancy and lactation. Her laboratory also pursued the energy cost of physical activities, and the development of wearable devices for the assessment of physical activity and energy expenditure in children and adolescents.

Dr. Butte has been a member of several advisory committees including the Institute of Medicine, FAO/WHO/UNU, USDA, NIH, CDC, National Science Foundation and U.S. Agency for International Development. She also served on several editorial boards. Dr. Butte is the author or co-author of 218 publications, and has contributed to more than 40 books and conference proceedings.

Kathryn Dewey, PhD
University of California, Davis

Dr. Kathryn Dewey received her PhD in Biological Sciences from the University



of Michigan in 1980. She joined the faculty in the Department of Nutrition at the University of California, Davis the same year, where she is currently a

Distinguished Professor and Director of the Program in International and Community Nutrition, a cross-disciplinary research unit that she co-founded in 1987.

Her research focuses on maternal and infant nutrition, including clinical and community-based research in the United States, Mexico, Costa Rica, Honduras, Guatemala, Peru, Ghana, Malawi, and Bangladesh. For the past ten years, she has led the International Lipid-based Nutrient Supplements (iLiNS) Project, a research consortium funded by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation that involved four randomized intervention trials in three African countries aimed at prevention of maternal and child undernutrition.

Dr. Dewey's professional service includes consultation for WHO, UNICEF, PAHO, NIH, and the National Academy of Medicine; scientific advisory committees for the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation and the UK Medical Research Council; member of the U.S. Food and Nutrition Board and the Board of Directors for the Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition;

and serving as President of two international societies: the Society for International Nutrition Research and the International Society for Research on Human Milk and Lactation.

Michael Gibney, PhD
University College, Dublin (emeritus)

Dr. Michael Gibney, MAgSc, MA, PhD, is Emeritus Professor of Food



and Health at University College Dublin and served as the inaugural Director of the UCD Institute of Food and Health (2006-2013).

He served on the Faculties of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Sydney and of Medicine at the University of Southampton, and Trinity College Dublin.

As a former President of the Nutrition Society, Dr. Gibney served on the EU Scientific Committee for Food and on the EU Scientific Steering Committee, chairing the EU working group on BSE. He was a member of the scientific advisory committee of the Sackler Institute of Nutrition of the New York Academy of Sciences, the Nestle Nutrition Council and the Google Food Innovation Lab. He chaired the board of the Food Safety Authority of Ireland and was inaugural editor-in-chief of the Nutrition Society suite of textbooks on human nutrition.

Dr. Gibney's research interests lie in metabolic and molecular nutrition, public health nutrition and

probabilistic risk analysis. He has been the principle investigator of many EU funded projects; most recently, he acts as the coordinator of an FP7 EU funded research project on personalized nutrition. He has published almost 300 peer-reviewed papers and presented plenary lectures to all major international conferences on nutrition. He maintains a blog (gibneyonfood.blogspot.ie) and has published several popular books on diet and health.

Eileen Kennedy, DSc
Tufts University

Dr. Eileen Kennedy is Professor of Nutrition and former Dean of the



Friedman School of Nutrition Science and Policy. She received her bachelor's degree from Hunter College in New York City, a master's in nutrition from the Pennsylvania

State University and a master's and Doctor of Science degree from the Harvard School of Public Health. Dr. Kennedy was appointed to the High Level Panel of Experts on Food Security and Nutrition for a term covering 2015-2019.

Dr. Kennedy has over 30 years' experience in US domestic and international policy. Her research has focused on the effects of government policies and programs on health, nutrition, food security, and poverty alleviation. She was part of the development of the TEAM nutrition program within the USDA. Dr. Kennedy

was the chief architect of the Healthy Eating Index, a single summary measure of diet quality used by government agencies for monitoring and evaluation.

Dr. Kennedy has held academic appointments at Tufts University, Columbia University, Cornell, and Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies. In conjunction with Dr. David Satcher, surgeon general, she co-chaired the 2000 US National Nutrition Summit. She was a member of the UN/SCN Advisory Group on Nutrition. In 2014 she was appointed to the Global Council on Food and Nutrition Security of the World Economic Forum.

David Klurfeld, PhD USDA ARS

Dr. David Klurfeld has been National Program Leader for Human Nutrition



in the Agricultural Research Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture since 2004. He is responsible for the scientific direction of the intramural

human nutrition research conducted by USDA laboratories. Prior to government service, he was Professor and Chairman of the Department of Nutrition & Food Science at Wayne State University in Detroit, Michigan for 12 years. Before that, he was on the faculty of The Wistar Institute and the University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine for 15 years.

Dr. Klurfeld's research focused on the relationship of diet and prevention of chronic diseases such as cancer, heart disease, and gallstones. Among his scientific discoveries, are the first demonstrations that red wine consumption resulted in fewer cardiovascular lesions, that the cholesterol-filled cells in human arterial lesions are white blood cells, that reducing calories was more important than reducing fat in the diet for decreasing cancer growth, and a mediator of this last effect was likely IGF-1. Dr. Klurfeld has published more than 195 peer-reviewed articles and book chapters and has been Associate Editor of the *American Journal for Clinical Nutrition* for 11 years. He is a member of National Institute for Diabetes, Digestive and Kidney Diseases Advisory Council.

Dr. Klurfeld received his undergraduate degree in general agriculture from Cornell University and both master's and doctorate degrees in pathology from the Medical College of Virginia.

Alice Lichtenstein, DSc Tufts University

Dr. Alice Lichtenstein is the Gershoff Professor of Nutrition Science and



Policy at the Friedman School and Director of the Cardiovascular Nutrition Laboratory and Senior Scientist at the Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center

on Aging, at Tufts University. She holds secondary appointments as Professor of Medicine at Tufts Medical Center, and an honorary doctoral degree from the University of Eastern Finland.

Dr. Lichtenstein's career research has focused on assessing the interplay between diet and heart disease risk. Past and current work includes addressing issues related to plant-based oils, novel vegetable oils differing in fatty acid profile, trans fatty acids, soy protein and isoflavones, sterol/stanol esters, and glycemic index, primarily in postmenopausal females and older males. Additional work has focused on the relationship between nutrient biomarkers and cardiovascular disease risk in population-based studies, and application of systematic review methodology to the field of nutrition.

Dr. Lichtenstein was a member of the 2000 and 2015 (vice-chair) Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committees. She currently serves on the American Heart Association's Nutrition Committee, and as an Associate Editor of the *Journal of Lipid Research* and Executive Editor of the *Tufts Health and Nutrition Letter*.

Judith Ann Marlett, PhD, RD
University of Wisconsin-Madison
(emeritus)

Dr. Judith Ann Marlett received her education at Miami University



(Ohio), University of Minnesota Hospitals, University of Minnesota, Mayo Graduate School of Medicine, and Harvard School of Public Health. She

spent her professional career at the University of Wisconsin-Madison, building a robust research program in dietary fiber and its mechanisms of action and composition, and serving as the instructor of Clinical Nutrition for dietetic majors, advising students and administering aspects of the undergraduate dietetic programs.

Dr. Marlett brought a unique skill set in digestive physiology, carbohydrate chemistry and deep experience in human nutrition and dietetics that allowed advances in her field matched by few others. Dr. Marlett's laboratory conducted the first controlled diet human studies examining the effects of wheat bran, oat bran, and low, medium and high fiber diets on bowel function, fiber digestibility and levels of several blood and stool components. A stable isotope-labeled bile acid study in humans was the first to elucidate some of the mechanisms of cholesterol-lowering by oats. In collaboration with multiple scientists on campus, her laboratory identified the active polysaccharide in psyllium seed husk and elucidated its structure.

This polysaccharide retains its viscosity throughout the gut, making it the major component responsible for psyllium's blood cholesterol-lowering and laxation effects.

Dr. Marlett served on the editorial boards of the *Journal of Nutrition*, *Journal of Food Composition and Analysis*, and *Today's Dietitian*. In 1989 she joined the editorial board of the *Journal of the Science of Food and Agriculture* and remains in this position, averaging 30 manuscripts a year.

Eric Ravussin, PhD
Pennington Biomedical Research Center

Dr. Eric Ravussin is a Boyd Professor at Louisiana State University. He received



his PhD in human physiology at the University of Lausanne, Switzerland. He is an internationally recognized translational investigator in obesity

and diabetes research.

Dr. Ravussin's research focuses on the molecular basis of obesity and its co-morbidities. His studies are aimed at understanding the molecular mechanisms that determine the inter-individual variability in energy expenditure, fat oxidation and energy balance in response to caloric restriction, increased or decreased physical activity, and overfeeding or physiological conditions such as puberty, pregnancy or menopause. His latest research is in the field of

aging with an emphasis on the impact of caloric restriction on human biomarkers of aging and longevity. Dr. Ravussin has published more than 500 peer reviewed manuscripts in the field of obesity, type 2 diabetes, and aging. He has mentored more than 60 postdoctoral fellows.

Dr. Ravussin has been the recipient of multiple awards including the 2001 E.V. McCollum Award for actively generating new concepts in nutrition and personally seeing to the execution of studies testing the validity of these concepts; the 2011 George Bray Founders Award recognizing significant contributions that advanced the scientific or clinical basis for understanding or treating obesity presented by The Obesity Society (TOS); and the 2017 Friends of Albert (Mickey) Stunkard Life Achievement Award presented by TOS in remembrance of Dr. Albert (Mickey) Stunkard and which recognizes people who have made a lifetime of outstanding contributions to the field of obesity in terms of scholarship, mentorship and education. Dr. Ravussin served as a former President of TOS and since 2012 has served as Editor in Chief of *Obesity*.





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THE ASN 50-YEAR MEMBERS

**Celebrating 50 Years of Membership in 2018*

ASN congratulates each of these members for their long-term commitment to advancing excellence in nutrition science and practice.

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Our Society's success in advancing excellence in nutrition research and practice is due in large part to the dedication of our volunteer leaders. ASN extends its appreciation to the following living Past Presidents. More than 130 scientists and clinicians have served as President of ASN or a predecessor Society since 1928. A complete list is available at nutrition.org.

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Fellows, 50-Year Members and Past Presidents Lunch

Sunday, June 10, 2018
Sheraton Boston, Republic Ballroom

Ticket Required – Add to your registration online or at Registration

WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

Robert Russell, MD
ASN Foundation Chair and Fellows Committee Chair

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ASN President

RECOGNITION OF 50 YEAR MEMBERS

Nathan Matusheski, PhD
ASN Membership Committee Chair

RECOGNITION OF PAST PRESIDENTS

John Courtney, PhD
ASN Executive Officer

CLOSING REMARKS

Robert Russell, MD
ASN Foundation Chair and Fellows Committee Chair

Senior Investigator Awards

Conrad A. Elvehjem Award for Public Service in Nutrition

Supported by Mondelez International

Given in recognition of specific and distinguished service to the public through the science of nutrition

John Erdman, PhD
University of Illinois at Urbana-
Champaign

Dannon Institute Mentorship Award *Supported by the Dannon Institute*

Given for outstanding mentorship in the development of successful nutritional research science investigators

Penny Kris-Etherton, PhD
Pennsylvania State University

David Kritchevsky Career Achievement Award in Nutrition *Supported by Mondelez International*

Presented in recognition of an

outstanding career in nutrition

Jose Ordovas, PhD

Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University

E.V. McCollum Award

Presented to a clinical investigator who is perceived as a major creative force, actively generating new concepts in nutrition and personally seeing to the execution of studies testing the validity of these concepts

Sarah Booth, PhD

USDA, Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University

E. V. McCollum International Lectureship in Nutrition

Encourages sound advancements in nutritional science and their application for improving the health and well-being of people worldwide

Aryeh Stein, PhD

Emory University

Excellence in Nutrition Education Award

Given for outstanding contributions to teaching nutrition

Michelle McGuire, PhD,

Washington State University

General Mills Bell Institute of Health and Nutrition Innovation Award

Supported by the General Mills Bell Institute of Human Health & Nutrition

Recognizes an investigator whose scientific contributions advance the understanding of the health benefits

of whole grains

Mario Ferruzzi, PhD

North Carolina State University

Kellogg Prize for Lifetime Achievements in International Nutrition

Supported by Kellogg Company

Awarded to a member of ASN's Global Nutrition Council (GNC) actively engaged in research to benefit populations in non-industrialized countries

Catherine Geissler, PhD

King's College London

Mary Swartz Rose Senior Investigator Award

Supported by the Council for Responsible Nutrition

Given to an investigator for outstanding research on the safety and efficacy of bioactive compounds for human health

Elizabeth Johnson, PhD

Tufts University

McCormick Science Institute Research Award

Endowed by the McCormick Science Institute

Presented to an investigator conducting clinical, translational, in vitro or ex vivo research whose contributions have advanced the understanding of the potential health benefits of culinary herbs and spices

Richard A. Anderson, PhD

Beltsville Human Nutrition Research Center

Senior Investigator Awards

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Osborne and Mendel Award *Supported by ILSI North America*

Given in recognition of outstanding recent basic research in nutrition

Vadim Gladyshev, PhD
Brigham and Women's Hospital,
Harvard Medical School

Pfizer Consumer Healthcare Nutritional Sciences Award *Supported by Pfizer*

Given in recognition of recent investigative contributions of significance to the basic understanding of human nutrition

Wayne Campbell, PhD
Purdue University

Robert H. Herman Memorial Award

Given to a clinical investigator in recognition of contributions of significance to the biochemical and metabolic aspects of human nutrition

Christos Mantzoros, MD
Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center,
Harvard Medical School

Robert Suskind and Leslie Lewinter-Suskind Pediatric Nutrition Lifetime Achievement Award

Endowed by Robert Suskind and Leslie Lewinter-Suskind

Presented to a physician, clinician or investigator who has made a significant lifetime contribution to the field of pediatric nutrition

Robert E. Black, MD, MPH
Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

Roland L. Weinsier Award for Excellence in Medical or Dental Nutrition Education

Supported by the Dannon Institute

Presented in recognition of an outstanding career in innovations in medical nutrition education

Carine Lenders, MD
Boston University

Special Awards

W.O. Atwater Lectureship *Supported & Managed by USDA Agricultural Research Service*

Steven Heymsfield, MD
Pennington Biomedical Research Center

Milton L. Sunde Award *Endowed by the Sunde Family*

Given for publication in *The Journal of Nutrition* of outstanding experimental, applied or fundamental research in nutrition that uses an avian species

Identification of Potential Plasma Biomarkers for Nonalcoholic Fatty Liver Disease by Integrating Transcriptomics and Proteomics in Laying Hens (J Nutr 2017;147:293–303)

Meng-Tsz Tsai
National Taiwan University

Shih-Torng Ding
National Taiwan University

Korean Nutrition Society (KNS) Award

Given to improve understanding and co-operation between KNS and ASN in nutritional matters of common interest and concern and to promote

excellence in nutrition research
Haewook Han, PhD, RD
 Harvard Vanguard Medical Associates

Volunteer of the Year Award

Recognizes outstanding contributions to enhance, promote, and support the activities and programs of ASN

Suzanne P. Murphy, PhD, RD
 University of Hawaii at Manoa

Science Policy Fellowships

Jennifer Mansfield, PhD Candidate
 Purdue University
Christopher Radlicz, MPH
 Ohio University

PREDOCTORAL FELLOWSHIPS

The Gerber Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship

Monica Pasqualino
 Johns Hopkins University

The Pfizer Predoctoral Fellowship

Andrew McLeod
 University of Illinois at Chicago

The Mars, Inc. Predoctoral Fellowship

Majid Mufaqam Syed Abdul
 University of Missouri

Mid-Career Awards

Inaugural Nevin Scrimshaw Mid-Career Award in Global Nutrition

Supported by the Sight and Life Foundation

Given to a mid-career professional who has done innovative work to advance the field of global nutrition

Lynnette Neufeld, PhD
 Global Alliance for Improved Nutrition

Young Investigator Awards

Bio-Serv Award in Experimental Animal Nutrition

Supported by Bio-Serv Inc.

Given for meritorious research in nutrition accomplished by an investigator within ten years of postgraduate training

Kirk Habegger, PhD
 University of Alabama at Birmingham

E.L.R. Stokstad Award

Endowed by the Stokstad Family

Given for outstanding fundamental research in nutrition, with preference for early stage scientists

Matam Vijay-Kumar, PhD
 University of Toledo

Mary Swartz Rose Young Investigator Award

Supported by the Council for Responsible Nutrition

Given to an investigator within ten years of postgraduate training, for outstanding research on the safety and efficacy of bioactive compounds for human health

S. Raza Shaikh, PhD
 University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Mead Johnson Award

Supported by Mead Johnson Pediatric Nutrition Institute



Young Investigator Awards

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Given to an investigator for a single outstanding piece of nutrition research or a series of papers on the same subject accomplished within ten years of completing postgraduate training

Rebecca Seguin, PhD
Cornell University

Norman Kretchmer Memorial Award in Nutrition and Development

Recognizes a young investigator for a substantial body of independent research in the field of nutrition, development and child health

Christine Stewart, PhD
University of California, Davis

Peter J. Reeds Young Investigator Award

Supported by *Ingredion*

Given for outstanding research in macronutrient metabolism accomplished within five years of receiving a PhD or completing a residency training

Hassan Dashti, PhD
Massachusetts General Hospital

Samuel J. Fomon Young Physician Award

Endowed by the *Nestlé Nutrition Institute*

Given to a physician within ten years of completion of medical postdoctoral training, for outstanding work in the general area of pediatric nutrition, infant growth or body composition

Ariel A. Salas, MD, MPH
University of Alabama at Birmingham

Vernon R. Young International Award for Amino Acid Research

Endowed by the *Ajinomoto Co. Inc.*

Given for a single outstanding piece of research or for a series of papers in a related area on amino acid metabolism

Eloy Bejarano, PhD
Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University

Graduate Student Research Award Competition

Organized by the *Nutritional Sciences Council* and sponsored by *Monsanto*

Silvia Berciano
Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition Research Center on Aging at Tufts University

Shruthi Cyriac
Emory University

Zahra Feizy
Texas Tech University

Anna Grummon
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Momodou Jallow
MRC Unit The Gambia

Mahrou Sadri
University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Jirayu Tanprasertsuk
Tufts University

Pan Zhuang
Zhejiang University

Yujiao Zu
Texas Tech University

Clinical Emerging Leader Award

Organized by the *Medical Nutrition Council*

Sahar Ajabshir

Florida International University

Harrison Carter

Need for Nutrition Education/
Innovation Programme

Rachel Criswell

Columbia University College of
Physicians and Surgeons

Shue Huang

The Pennsylvania State University

Joshua Hudson

Purdue University

Yi-Wen Jiang

Tongji Medical College, Huazhong
University of Science and Technology

Anna Kahkoska

University of North Carolina at Chapel
Hill

Maryam Kazemi

University of Saskatchewan

Carli Liguori

University of Illinois at Urbana-
Champaign

Harriet Okronipa

University of California, Davis

Alissa Smethers

The Pennsylvania State University

Anita Subramanian

The Pennsylvania State University

Global Nutrition Early Career Scholar Award

**Organized by the Global Nutrition
Council**

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Ranadip Chowdhury, MBBS, MD
New Delhi, India

Nutrition Translation Award Competition for Early Career Investigators

**Supported by the National Dairy
Council**

Maxwell Barffour

University of California, Davis and
Missouri State University

Patricia de Velasco

Federal University of Rio de Janeiro

Buyun Liu

University of Iowa

Anthony Martin

Cedars-Sinai Medical Center

Balaji Srinivasan

Cornell University

Postdoctoral Research Award Competition

Endowed by Dupont Health & Nutrition

Traci Bekelman

University of Colorado Anschutz
Medical Campus

Nafisa Jadavji

Carleton University and University of
Ottawa

Huicui Meng

Jean Mayer USDA Human Nutrition
Research Center on Aging at Tufts
University

Jane Naberhuis

USDA/ARS Children's Nutrition
Research Center, Baylor College of
Medicine

Sandra Okala

King's College London

Marko Rudar

Baylor College of Medicine



Young Investigator Awards

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Student Interest Group (SIG) Travel Award

Supported by The National Dairy Council

Janie Allaire

Laval University

Rong Fan

University of Nebraska-Lincoln

Zahra Feizy

Texas Tech University

Ellen Francis

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Emily Hu

Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health

Baibing Mi

University at Buffalo

Young Minority Investigator Oral Competition

Supported by the DSM Nutritional Products

Sanae Ferreira

Boston University School of Medicine

Shireen Flores

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