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| THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES, ST. AUGUSTINE |

**PRINCIPAL’S Research Awards 2023**

**Most Outstanding Graduate Researcher Award**

**Outstanding Research Mentorship Award**

**Application Form**

**To be completed and submitted to the Research Awards email**

**(**[**STA-research.awards@sta.uwi.edu**](mailto:STA-research.awards@sta.uwi.edu)**) on or before 11.59 pm of Monday 6 November 2023 for consideration by the Campus Research Awards Committee**

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| **IMPORTANT INFORMATION** |

These awards will go to (i) the student who has produced quality thesis with High Commendation and demonstrated significant impact of their research work **over the past 2 years** (ii) the lead supervisor who has provided outstanding mentorship to the corresponding graduate student.

These awards will be presented to thesis produced in (i) Humanities/Arts/Social Sciences (1 for graduate student research & lead supervisor) (ii) Food and Agriculture/Engineering/Medical Sciences/Science and Technology (1 for graduate student research & lead supervisor)

**Application Process**

* Full-time academic staff members & students graduated in the last 2 years are eligible to apply. **This should be submitted as one application for consideration of MOST OUTSTANDING GRADUATE RESEARCHER AWARD & OUTSTANDING RESEARCH MENTORSHIP AWARD.**
* There is no limit on the number of awards a staff member may receive.
* Applicants are responsible for ensuring the accuracy of information provided in the application form.
* Only applications submitted using the relevant Award Template will be considered.
* The decision of the Campus Research Awards Committee is final, and it reserves the right to verify statements made on the application form.
* Applications should be submitted with cover letter clearly indicating the name of the award being applied for.
* Applications should be submitted to the Research Awards Committee’s email

([STA-research.awards@sta.uwi.edu](mailto:STA-research.awards@sta.uwi.edu)) **on or before 11.59 pm of Monday 6 November 2023**.

**Application Details**

**APPLICATION FOR … ………………………………………………………………..**

1. **Name of Student**: [Please insert]
2. **Name of the Lead Supervisor**: [Please insert]
3. **Name of Student’s Department**: [Please insert]
4. **Name of Student’s Faculty**: [Please insert]
5. **Title of the thesis & Year of Graduation:** [Please insert]
6. **Present position of the student:** [Please insert]
7. **List of Publications produced from the thesis**

(Include impact factor and citations where applicable)

1. Papers published Peer reviewed Journals.
2. Books
3. Book Chapters
4. Conference Presentations
5. Technical reports
6. Policy papers
7. Intellectual Property Rights (Patents/Copyright/Trade marks/Design rights/Geographical Indications etc)
8. Highlight of the publications (From appropriate site indexing author publications: Eg. Google Scholar/Scopus Author Search/ResearchGate/Adscientificindex/Any other)
9. **Research grants or scholarships received for thesis work (**Please include supporting evidence, as far as possible**)**

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| Title of the research grants /Scholarships | Grant Value | Period | Funding Agency |
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1. **Professional recognition/Awards received for thesis work**
2. **Briefly describe the impact of the thesis work to societal improvement or environmental sustainability (**Please include supporting statements and evidence, as far as possible**)**
3. **Statement of nomination for the MOST OUTSTANDING GRADUATE RESEARCHER AWARD & OUTSTANDING RESEARCH MENTORSHIP AWARD** (Please state why you both should be considered for this award. This statement of nomination should not exceed 1000 words)

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| **Signature of Applicant (Student)** |  | **Date** |

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| **Signature of Applicant (Lead Supervisor)** |  | **Date** |