



**Call for Nominations for the 2023 AUA Research Forum:
“Early-Career Investigators Showcase”
Sunday, April 30, 2023
McCormick Place Convention Center — Chicago, Illinois, USA**

We invite you to help the AUA showcase the research achievements of our international members among their peers at the AUA Annual Meeting!

The 2023 AUA Research Forum: “Early-Career Investigators Showcase” is dedicated to the work of early-career investigators, and is meant to showcase basic, translational, and clinical research at the AUA Annual Meeting. We are seeking nominations from our international partner societies and associations to identify young researchers who exemplify the best and brightest early-career investigators and lines of research poised to make an impact in urology.

We are asking each international organization to nominate no more than three individuals. Five international nominees will be selected to present a poster, and **one** international nominee will be selected by a peer-review process to give a podium presentation at the Showcase on April 30, 2023 in Chicago. These presentations will be judged by senior investigators, and awards will be presented for those judged to be the top three presenters.

Nomination Criteria: The nominee must...

- Be an AUA member in good standing.
- Possess a MD or PhD (or equivalent) degree.
- Be within eight years of completing residency or doctorate (must have completed in 2015 or later). Residents, including chief residents, are eligible.
- Previous speakers in this Showcase are not eligible for re-nomination; however, previous nominees that were not selected as speakers are eligible for re-nomination.

Nomination/Application Process

Each nominating organization may nominate up to three early-career researchers. The nominating organization must provide the Nominated researcher’s full name and e-mail address. Please provide the nominee’s full name and e-mail address by e-mail to Genevieve Hood at Ghood@auanet.org, **no later than 11:59 PM Eastern on Wednesday, February 8, 2023.**

The nominee will then receive an invitation to complete their application through ProposalCentral (<https://proposalcentral.com/>). The documents and information listed below will be requested within ProposalCentral.

1. Nominee information (must include: AUA ID number, email address, mobile phone number, mailing address, and date completed residency or doctorate.)
2. A one-page abstract of the project that includes the title of the research project



3. An NIH-style biosketch of the nominee, in accordance with current NIH biosketch guidelines (five-page maximum) located at <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/forms/biosketch.htm>
4. A personal statement from the nominee that affirms their desire and commitment to participate in the Early Career Investigators Showcase
5. A letter from the nominating organization that emphasizes the importance and potential impact of the nominee's research

Poster Presenter and Speaker Expectations

All nominees are expected to attend the Research Forum and display posters of their work, whether or not they are chosen as speakers. The Office of Research will promote the work of these investigators in numerous ways (e.g. *AUA Investigator*, and/or *AUA News*). Poster presenters will be acknowledged from the podium.

Nominees selected as speakers will be notified **no later than Thursday, March 9, 2023**. A total of **eight minutes** will be allotted for each presentation. Speakers are asked to provide no more than five slides; the **eight-minute** time limit will be enforced. During the Forum program, a panel of senior investigators will judge the presentations for content, presentation skills, relevance, innovation, and potential impact. Awards will be presented for those judged to be the top three presenters.

Timeline

- **Wednesday, February 8, 2023:** Nominee name and email due via e-mail to Genevieve Hood at Ghood@auanet.org
- **Wednesday, February 22, 2023:** Applications due via Proposal Central
- **Thursday, March 9, 2023:** Selected poster presenters and speakers will be notified and invited
- **Sunday, April 30, 2023:** Early-Career Investigators Showcase event in Chicago

Please note: This is not a travel award. The AUA does NOT provide any travel funding for this program. The selected poster and podium presenters must cover their own costs for travel and meeting registration fees.

Questions

Please direct questions regarding the program to Genevieve Hood at Ghood@auanet.org.



AUA Early-Career Investigators Showcase Podium Presenters (2010 - 2022)

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