



INNOVATION AWARDS

THE PAUL TERASAKI INNOVATION AWARD

The Paul Terasaki Innovation Award honors individuals who have not only made outstanding and sustained contributions to the biomedical scientific and engineering community but have also shown exemplary efforts to transform their inventions to real-world solutions. They also have shown considerable leadership within their field of interest and are actively serving in associated Societies. Special consideration will be given to candidates that in other words, these candidates have exhibited a record of accomplishment in high-impact innovations translated successfully.

After applications are thoroughly reviewed and evaluated by the Terasaki Scientific Advisory Board, recommended individuals will be presented to the Board of Directors for confirmation.

The Award:

- \$25,000
- Terasaki Innovation Summit 2025 Meeting Registration and Hotel Accommodations.
- Oral Presentation at TIS 2025

Criteria for Nominees:

- The candidate needs five or more years of active participation as a biomedical engineer in the private or public sector. Note: The five years do not require continuous active participation.
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- The candidate must have a demonstrable record of achievement and accomplishment in a specific field of interest within biomedical engineering. The achievement can be in research, education, industry, public service, new technology, or clinical practice. Individuals submitting nominations will have to summarize these points in a statement of 30 words or less.
- The candidate must plan to attend the Terasaki Innovation Summit 2025 and required to give an Oral presentation at TIS 2025.
- Letters of recommendation are required (max of three).
- The nominee's CV (not to exceed 10 pages).

How to Apply:

Applications must include:

- 500-1000 word statement for the applicant
- One single referee letter, this can have multiple signatures.
- An updated curriculum vitae (PDF format required)
- Include details of involvement in mentoring of/or support of the furthering of others' activities and careers, leadership potential, and teamwork
- Reprints of 2-6 publications of the work for which the nomination is being made
- Ineligible or incomplete packets will not be reviewed
- Awardee will be notified by Early January 2025.

Please email applications to:
tis2025awards@terasaki.org