

Breathing as One Young Investigators Research Award Letter of Nomination

The Lung Health Foundation (LHF) Breathing as One (BaO) Young Investigators Research Award program is a peer reviewed application process that aims to increase the capacity and quality of research on lung disease in Ontario by providing promising investigators, early in their careers, with the support needed to carry out independent research of relevance to respiratory health.

Each year, up to 3 applicants may be nominated by their institutions based on having accomplished a significant and innovative piece of work since their initial academic appointment though only one will potentially be chosen to receive the award. The institution must also agree to a 1:1 matching agreement with the Lung Health Foundation whereby they provide half of the funding the successful applicant will receive (up to \$15,000 from the Lung Health Foundation and \$15,000 from the institution).

Please use the following template to submit* a nomination from your institute:

I, _____, the **Chair of the Department/Division** of
_____ at _____ institute, nominate
_____ for a Lung Health Foundation Breathing as One Young
Investigators Research Award for the 2021-2022 granting year.

**Outline of the position of the applicant's research activities within the
Department/Division (approx. 250-500 words):**

Summary of the applicant’s significant or innovative accomplishments as related to research (approx. 250-500 words):

Signatures

By checking the following box and signing below, you confirm that you are aware of the requirement for the institution to match LHF’s contribution of up to \$15,000 for one year towards the research project and are certain your institution will agree to this stipulation by the time the full application is submitted (deadline of Monday February 15 2021 by 4:00pm EST)

<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Signature of Chair of Department/Division	Date (YYYY/MM/DD)
<input type="checkbox"/>		
	Signature of Applicant	Date (YYYY/MM/DD)

****BEFORE registering their intent to apply, applicants should make sure they have this form filled out and signed by the Chair of their Department/Division. It is important that it be uploaded at the same time as registration/intent to apply (deadline of Monday February 15, 2021 by 4:00pm EST) as the electronic form cannot be modified after submission.***