



AuPS Awards and Prizes

THE MICHAEL ROBERTS EXCELLENCE IN PHYSIOLOGY EDUCATION AWARD

The Michael Roberts Excellence in Physiology Education Award is an award bestowed periodically by the Australian Physiological Society in memory of Professor Michael Roberts, who was a lifelong passionate and dedicated advocate of physiology teaching and education.

The award is intended to recognise AuPS members who have demonstrated a sustained performance of excellence in the delivery of physiology education at the tertiary level, and make a contribution to the teaching activities of AuPS.

Application & Eligibility:

The award is open to ordinary financial members of the Australian Physiological Society who are actively engaged in physiology education. (note: provisional members* are not eligible to apply)

Candidates should provide a single page argued case for their nomination. In addition, candidates must provide evidence of achievement and impact which could include any of the following: letters of support from colleagues familiar with the teaching environment, detail of sustained high level teaching evaluation, student recognition, awards, success in obtaining substantial educational research funding and publications. Applications containing a brief Curriculum Vitae and evidence of achievement should be a **maximum** of three pages, **plus a single page argument for their nomination**.

In considering nominations, the judges will take into account the nominee's contributions to scientific meetings of the Society.

Prize:

The recipient of this award will be presented with a medal and a cash award, at the conference dinner in the year of the award, and will be invited to deliver a keynote lecture at the Educational Symposium in the following year's AuPS conference.

Email applications to the AuPS National Secretary

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Closing date: Applications close 5pm, 8th October 2021.

Past winners can be viewed in the [archive](#)

*Provisional membership. Applicants who apply for AuPS membership and pay their subscription fees have the status of provisional member until their application is ratified by a vote of the Society members at the Annual General Meeting (AGM) in November/December each year. In practical terms, this means anyone who applies for AuPS membership after the 10th December 2020 AGM won't be eligible for AuPS grants and awards until 2022. If you would like to be eligible for next year's awards you will need to apply for membership before the AGM this year.