

# Paediatrics Awards and Recognition Committee (ARC) Bulletin

**SickKids** | Paediatrics Awards and Recognition Committee



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The Department of Paediatrics Awards and Nomination Committee (ARC) was formed in March 2021 with the objective of increasing the local, national and international profile of the Department of Paediatrics, University of Toronto through the strategic promotion of our talented faculty. This will enhance the academic profile and career development of our Department of Paediatrics faculty at the University of Toronto and internationally.

## Upcoming Awards and Deadlines

With the strategic goal of promoting SickKids Faculty to increase our local, regional and international impact/profile, our plan is to send a quarterly communication listing upcoming awards with full details. Attached are details of upcoming awards. We encourage you to consider whether you are competitive for any of these awards, or if they are suitable to you; and also whether you'd like to nominate your colleagues who you feel are competitive.



**\*\*\*CALL FOR NOMINATIONS: Pediatric Chairs of Canada (PCC) Awards\*\*\***

### PCC Annual Pediatric Academic Leadership Awards - 4 Categories:

- 1. Clinician Practitioner:** Excellence in leadership will be primarily focused on the clinician whose clinical practice has served as an outstanding environment for the education of trainees and the advancement of practice through knowledge translation and dissemination, as well as leadership within the discipline.
- 2. Clinician Educator:** Excellence in leadership will be primarily demonstrated through the advancement of educational innovation and practice that enhances the quality of teaching related to children and youth, and more broadly
- 3. Clinician Investigator:** Excellence in leadership will be primarily demonstrated through outstanding leadership in the development of environments that foster opportunity for child and youth health research.
- 4. Emerging Academic Leader:** Excellence will be primarily focused on the faculty member who has shown great initiative and leadership, early in their career. Emerging leaders understand the power of influence without authority, position or title; they demonstrate good judgement and show initiative, they are a role model to peers, and they have begun to make meaningful contributions to advance the future of pediatrics, improving health outcomes for all children. Note: candidates must be within the first ten years of service within the faculty, excluding leaves of absence (e.g. parental leave)

### How to Apply:

If you wish to nominate a candidate - please send a CV, and paragraph to support the nomination to [arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca](mailto:arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca)

### Deadline:

Please note, the deadline for receipt of nominations is March 28th at PCC - we kindly request that nominations be sent to our committee no later than February 16th. The Department can put forward one candidate for each award.

## Awards Highlights



Dr. Theo Moraes was recently awarded the **Michelle Harkness Mentorship Award (MHMA)** for Mentoring Excellence. Congratulations on this well-deserved recognition of your exemplary commitment to mentorship!



The **American Association for Cancer Research (AACR)** Academy recognizes and honours distinguished scientists whose scientific contributions propel significant innovation and progress against cancer. Congratulations to Dr. David Malkin on your election to the Fellows of the AACR!

**Have you recently received an award, or know of a colleague that received an award that you'd like to be highlighted in the ARC Bulletin? Please send us the details at [arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca](mailto:arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca)**

## Subspecialty Awards

We would like to start collecting information to add to our database on subspecialty awards and need your help! Please forward any information to [arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca](mailto:arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca) or put us in touch with a representative in your division who might be able to provide this information. We will then share this information in our quarterly bulletins.

## Article of Interest



Check out this interesting read as featured on Science.org! [‘The benefits of awards - even if you don’t win’](#)

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### ARC Committee Members:

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For any questions or feedback/comments, please contact us at [arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca](mailto:arc.paediatrics@sickkids.ca).



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