

SMASIS DIVISION TECHNICAL COMMITTEE AWARD DESCRIPTION

AWARD YEAR: 2024

Award Title: Bioinspired Smart Materials and Systems Best Paper Award

Awarding TC Name: Bioinspired Smart Materials and Systems

Award Description: The award seeks to recognize research in the development, characterization, and application of bioinspired materials and systems. Nominations must be an original, peer-reviewed journal paper, and self-nominations are permitted.

Award Eligibility: Nominated journal papers for this cycle should have a public release between January 1, 2023 and December 31, 2023. A SMASIS Senator may nominate one paper per award cycle.

Timeline / Critical Dates: See common timeline provided by the Division.

Nomination Process: If you are a SMASIS Division Senator, please email the nomination to the TC Award POC. Please provide a PDF, and the complete paper citation information including DOI number.

Evaluation Criteria: Nominated contributions will be evaluated based on the following criteria:

- A. Originality of investigations and research methods.
- B. Overall quality of technical content and composition.
- C. Impact on the field of bioinspired materials and structures.

TC Award POC:

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