

OHIO Emerging Presidential Research Scholar Award

DEADLINES

Application deadline: Thursday, March 20, 2025, 4:00 p.m.

Note, applications must be submitted by the College.

Purpose

The Emerging Presidential Research Scholar Award (E-PRS) recognizes outstanding, emerging tenure-track faculty who have demonstrated excellence in research, scholarship and creative activity.

The number of awards will be determined based on the assessment of the applicant pool.

Eligibility

Full-time, tenure-track, faculty who:

- Have been OHIO faculty for at least three years at the time of the award nomination.
- Are at least 3 and no more than 9 years of being hired into any tenure-track position (at OHIO or elsewhere).
- Are no more than two years post receiving tenure.

Faculty can only receive this award once.

Criteria

Criteria include emerging faculty who demonstrate:

- Significant contributions to their field through their research/creative works; and
- Clear promise for continued, significant productivity in their research/creativity.

Nomination, Review and Selection

Colleges submit applications to the Vice President for Research and Creative Activity (VPRCA) at research@ohio.edu with the subject heading "Emerging Presidential Research Scholar Nomination". Note, each college will be responsible for setting their own deadlines and criteria for accepting and reviewing applications.

The VPRCA, in consultation with the Provost, will make selections based on recommendations from the Council for Research, Scholarship and Creative Activity.

College	Number of Applications
College of Business Scripps College of Communication Patton College of Education RUSS College of Engineering & Technology College of Fine Arts Health Sciences & Professions Heritage College of Osteopathic Medicine	2

Voinovich School	1
College of Arts and Sciences	3

Application

The following must be submitted (in this order) as one PDF document:

1. Letter of nomination from department chair, school director or Center/Institute director (limit = 2 single-space pages)
2. Narrative from nominee that highlights their significant contributions to their field through research or creative works and demonstrates their clear promise for continued, significant productivity (limit = 2 single-spaced pages, 1" margins, 12-point font)
3. Progress toward tenure letters or annual evaluation letters (no more than 3 letters)
4. Nominee's curriculum vitae

No additional materials should be included.

Completed nominations, with all supporting documentation, must be submitted by the College to the Vice President for Research and Creative Activity by the deadline at research@ohio.edu with the subject heading "Emerging Presidential Research Scholar Nomination".

Recognition The recipients of the OHIO Emerging Faculty Researcher/Artist Award will be recognized at an annual university faculty awards celebration. Recipients will receive a cash award of \$6,000.