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The Harrington Prize, which carries a $20,000 honorarium, is a collaboration between the Harrington Discovery Institute at University Hospitals in Cleveland, Ohio—part of The Harrington Project for Discovery & Development—and the American Society for Clinical Investigation (ASCI), one of the nation’s oldest and most respected medical honor societies. The Harrington Discovery Institute is a nonprofit institute dedicated to helping physicians and scientists advance promising discoveries into medicines for unmet needs.  Both organizations recognize the challenges associated with translating discoveries into medicines, and they are eager to highlight those who have navigated the path successfully or whose work has led to novel treatments.  A committee composed of members of the Harrington Discovery Institute Scientific Advisory Board and the ASCI Council will review the nominations and select the awardee. In addition to the honorarium, the 2022 recipient will deliver the Harrington Prize Lecture at the 2022 Joint Meeting of the Association of American Physicians (AAP), the ASCI, and the American Physician Scientists Association (APSA); will lecture at the 2022 Harrington Discovery Institute Symposium; and will publish a personal essay in the *Journal of Clinical Investigation.*  **Submitting a Nomination:**   * The deadline for nominations is **September 20, 2021**. * Multiple nominations from an institution are welcomed. * Teams are accepted for a nomination, but a primary nominee is required. * Nomination guidelines can be found at [HarringtonDiscovery.org/ThePrize](https://click.emails.uhhospitals.org/?qs=4f3f2a3fff900c4c5a09bc0080f65116c589b11a8b436beb1b2e1dc24dbdd54f91fb101b97f62986305910349e270352).   **Previous Harrington Prize recipients:**   * **2014**: **Harry Dietz, MD, Johns Hopkins University**, for his contributions to the understanding of the biology and treatment of Marfan syndrome, a disorder leading to deadly aneurysms in children and adults. * **2015**: **Douglas R. Lowy, MD, The National Cancer Institute**, in recognition of his discoveries that led to the development of the Human Papillomavirus vaccine to prevent cervical cancer. * **2016**: **Jeffrey M. Friedman, MD, PhD, The Rockefeller University**, for his discovery of leptin, which controls feeding behavior and is used to treat related clinical disorders. * **2017**: **Jointly awarded to Daniel J. Drucker, MD, Mount Sinai Hospital, Canada, Joel F. Habener, MD, Massachusetts General Hospital, and Jens J. Holst, MD, DMSc, University of Copenhagen, Denmark**, for their discovery of incretin hormones and for the translation of these findings into transformative therapies for major metabolic diseases such as diabetes. * **2018**: **Helen H. Hobbs, MD, UT Southwestern Medical Center**, for the discovery of the link between a gene mutation (PCSK9) and lower levels of LDL, which has improved the treatment of high cholesterol. * **2019**: **Carl H. June, MD, University of Pennsylvania**, for advancing the clinical application of CAR T therapy for cancer treatment, and for his sustained contributions to the field of cellular immunology. * **2020**: **Stuart H. Orkin, MD, Harvard University**, for breakthrough discoveries on red blood cells that offer new treatments for patients with sickle cell disease and beta-thalassemia, which are among the most common genetic disorders. * **2021: Jointly awarded to Warren J. Leonard, MD, NHLBI and John J. O’Shea, MD,  NIAMS, NIH**, for their respective contributions to the field of immunology, from fundamental discovery to therapeutic impact.   For questions or more information about the nomination requirements, visit [HarringtonDiscovery.org/ThePrize](https://click.emails.uhhospitals.org/?qs=4f3f2a3fff900c4c5a09bc0080f65116c589b11a8b436beb1b2e1dc24dbdd54f91fb101b97f62986305910349e270352) or contact Bronwyn Monroe, Harrington Discovery Institute Program Director, at [Bronwyn.Monroe@HarringtonDiscovery.org](mailto:Bronwyn.Monroe@HarringtonDiscovery.org?subject=).  **About Harrington Discovery Institute** The Harrington Discovery Institute at University Hospitals in Cleveland, OH—part of The Harrington Project for Discovery & Development—aims to advance medicine and society by enabling our nation’s most inventive scientists to turn their discoveries into medicines that improve human health. The institute was created in 2012 with a $50 million founding gift from the Harrington family and instantiates the commitment they share with University Hospitals to a Vision for a ‘Better World.’ For more information, visit: [HarringtonDiscovery.org](https://click.emails.uhhospitals.org/?qs=4f3f2a3fff900c4c15cad6faa24624d032e57ec83b914404947a19c47e31fdaa529fbb978295f44cc597d3595bdd0fc6).  **About The American Society for Clinical Investigation** Founded in 1908, the American Society for Clinical Investigation is one of the oldest and most esteemed nonprofit honor societies of physician-scientists. Membership is by election only, and only researchers who are 50 years of age or younger are eligible for nomination to the Society. Therefore, membership in the ASCI is a recognition of a researcher’s significant contributions, at a relatively young age, to the understanding of human disease. The Society counts among its ranks more than 3,000 members, many of whom are leaders in academic medicine and industry. Many members have been recognized by election to the U.S. National Academy of Sciences and the U.S. National Academy of Medicine. The ASCI is also proud to have among its membership winners of the Nobel Prize and the Lasker Award. The ASCI convenes an annual meeting with the Association of American Physicians, and the Society self-publishes the prestigious Journal of Clinical Investigation (founded 1924), and JCI Insight (founded 2016).  **University Hospitals** Founded in 1866, University Hospitals serves the needs of patients through an integrated network of 18 hospitals, more than 50 health centers and outpatient facilities, and 200 physician offices in 16 counties throughout northern Ohio. The system’s flagship academic medical center, University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center, located in Cleveland’s University Circle, is affiliated with Case Western Reserve University School of Medicine. The main campus also includes University Hospitals Rainbow Babies & Children's Hospital, ranked among the top children’s hospitals in the nation; University Hospitals MacDonald Women's Hospital, Ohio's only hospital for women; University Hospitals Harrington Heart & Vascular Institute, a high-volume national referral center for complex cardiovascular procedures; and University Hospitals Seidman Cancer Center, part of the NCI-designated Case Comprehensive Cancer Center. UH is home to some of the most prestigious clinical and research programs in the nation, including cancer, pediatrics, women's health, orthopedics, radiology, neuroscience, cardiology and cardiovascular surgery, digestive health, transplantation and urology. 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