

Chronic Brain Injury Program

Paper & Image of the Year Awards

The Chronic Brain Injury Award Program (CBI) is pleased to offer the Paper of the Year and Image of the Year awards. These competitions serve to recognize and honor outstanding work produced by our academic community in the prior calendar year. Faculty, staff, and trainee affiliates of CBI are eligible for both competitions.

2023 CBI Paper of the Year

The CBI Paper of the Year competition will award one \$500.00 prize for an original research paper within the scope of CBI research themes, including but not limited to: neurotrauma, neurodegenerative disease, aging and development, cognition and behavior, technology development. The winner will present their work at an upcoming Buckeye Neurotrauma Lecture seminar. The winning paper and other submitted papers will be featured in CBI's annual report and via web and social media communications.

Only peer-reviewed journal articles published in calendar year 2023 will be considered. Only one paper per principal investigator will be considered. Please submit a PDF of the paper along with a brief statement (max 150 words) on the relevance and impact of the paper in the field. A review team of Ohio State faculty representing multiple disciplines will evaluate submissions and select one winner. Visit <https://go.osu.edu/cbihighlights> to see previous submissions.

Upload your submissions by January 15, 2024 to <https://go.osu.edu/cbiPOTY>

2023 CBI Image of the Year

The CBI Image of the Year competition aims to showcase the technical and creative skills in capturing research images across the CBI community. This competition is open to any type of still image (i.e. videos or animations are not eligible) produced as part of research activities.

Judging will consist of an evaluation by a panel of judges, and a people's choice vote. The judging panel will incorporate members of the CBI research community and Ohio State's visual arts creative inquiry community. Judges will assess images on technical proficiency, creativity/visual impact, and informational content. The competition will award cash prizes of \$250.00 (panel winner), \$150.00 (panel runner-up), and \$100.00 (people's choice, open during CBI Research Day).

Only one image per principal investigator will be considered. Submitted images must have been created by a member of the participating lab in 2023. Submissions must include the image formatted to a common filetype (ex .jpeg, .png, .tif / .tiff, .pdf, max 50MB), along with an accompanying description (max 150 words, .pdf format) that lists the image's creator and date of creation, explains the image's content and purpose, along with information on capture methods and techniques and the significance of the image to the research field. The image does not have to be published, but published works should be approved by the publisher and appropriately referenced in the accompanying description. Images may be optimized with standard imaging processing tools, but may not be otherwise manipulated or obscured. NOTE: All CBI Image of the Year entrants must agree to have their image accessed, viewed, posted and published by The Ohio State University on program websites, social media platforms, and in similar promotional material that showcases the work of the program. Participants must also acknowledge that by uploading an image that it will also be available for access and download by judges and potentially other non-Ohio State users.

Please upload your image and description files by January 15, 2024 at <https://go.osu.edu/cbiIOTY>



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