



LORNE GENOME AWARDS 2024

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Lorne Genome Mid-Career Awards (2) – Sponsored by Millennium Science

Prize: \$1,500



This year two Mid-Career Awards will be available, sponsored by Millennium Science. The awards will go to winners from 2 different pronoun groups (i.e. one winner identifying as she/her and one winner identifying as he/him).

The awards acknowledge outstanding contributions to Australian genomic research, including novel analytical concepts.

Criteria includes:

- Abstract submitted through the online abstract portal by the presenting author
- 2-page CV outlining recent publications, funding, awards, supervision etc.
- 1 page summary of the applicants work and its impact including national and international standing.
- Open to any applicant up to 10 years EFT post PhD, allowing for the following career disruptions:
 - Two years per child for primary carers.
 - Any other considerations beyond this timeframe can be provided in a career disruption statement. A separate COVID disruption statement can also be provided. Applicant must be working in Australia.



Winner will be selected from applications and will receive a platform presentation and a cash prize.

Email attachments as a single document to the conference secretariat by Friday 11th November 2023.

Lorne Genome ECR Award

Prize: \$500

There will be one Lorne Genome ECR Award awarded to the best ECR talk at the conference. The winner will receive a \$500 cash award.

All registered ECRs will have their talks judged by members of the Organising Committee and selected audience participants. **No applications required.**

Lorne Genome Student Award

The Lorne Genome Student Award is intended to encourage and reward research excellence in the field of genome biology.

The winner receives the opportunity to give an oral presentation at the conference and a cash prize.

Criteria includes:

- Abstract submitted through online abstract portal with applicant first (presenting author).
- Research must have been conducted by the student at an Australian institution and form part of their PhD thesis.
- Applicants must be enrolled as a PhD student at the time of application.
- Student must be available to attend the conference and present their research as a talk in a suitable session.
- Open to anyone enrolled in an undergraduate or postgraduate degree.

Winner will be selected from submitted abstracts and will receive a platform presentation at the meeting and a cash prize

Students do not need to apply for the Lorne Genome Student Award; the winner will be selected from submitted abstracts.



Student Travel Award

Prize: \$500

Students and early career post-docs (<5 years post PhD) who would otherwise be unable to attend the meeting are eligible to apply for one of 5 Lorne Genome Travel Awards (\$500 each).

Criteria includes:

- Abstract submitted through online abstract portal with applicant first (presenting author).
- Letter of support from research supervisor outlining the case for travel support funding. Details of alternative or additional available funding should be given.
- Open to anyone enrolled in undergraduate or postgraduate degree (<5 years post PhD).

Recipients will be selected from submitted abstracts and supervisor statements and will receive funds towards travel costs.

Preference will be given to students with a clear need for financial support.

There are 5 awards available.

Only applicable for face-to-face attendees.

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Student Poster Prizes

Prize: \$200

Five cash prizes will be awarded to the best posters from student presenters at the conference. Posters will be judged by the Organising Committee and invited speakers.