

Prestigious Awards Committee: Inventory of Major External Awards Open to York University Faculty Members

Important Note: Deadline dates and terms/criteria of awards change from time to time; check web sites for confirmation of these and other details.

Awards With Broad Disciplinary/Interdisciplinary Reach (Entirely Open or Open to Humanities and Social Sciences generally)

Primarily Research-Related:

Award	Nature of Award/Eligibility	Criteria in Brief	Deadline/More information
Balzan Prize (International)	-Four prizes in two general fields: scientific and humanistic (specific areas designated each year) -1 million Swiss francs	Most meritorious initiatives in the cause of humanity, peace and brotherhood	Deadline: March 15 http://www.balzan.org/en/balzan-prize-milan_54.html
Bora Laskin National Fellowship in Human Rights Research (SSHRC) (Canada) (Note: not currently offered)	-Social sciences and humanities -\$55,000 stipend plus \$10,000 for research and research-related travel expenses (not intended for junior scholars)	To support research, preferably of a multidisciplinary or interdisciplinary nature, and to develop Canadian expertise in the field of human rights, with emphasis on themes and issues relevant to Canadian human rights	Deadline: not currently offered http://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/funding-financement/programmes-programmes/fellowships/bora_laskin-eng.aspx
Canada's Top 40 under 40 (Caldwell Partners) (Canada)	-Any discipline or field	Significant contributions under the age of 40	Deadline: November 30 http://www.top40award-canada.org/
Canada Prizes (Canadian Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences) (Canada)	-Humanities and social sciences -4 prizes selected from applications to Aid for Scholarly Publications Program -\$2500	Manuscripts that are vital to growth of humanity's knowledge and enrich social, cultural and intellectual life: best English work in social sciences; best English work in humanities; best French work in social sciences; best French work in humanities	Deadline: not specified http://www.fedcan.ca/content/en/575/aid-to-scholarly-publications-program-scholarly-book-prizes.html
David C. Smith Award (COU) (Canada)	-Higher education -Recipient delivers lecture on theme of award	Significant contribution to scholarship and policy on higher education in Canada	Deadline: not specified http://www.cou.on.ca/About/Chairs-and-Awards/David-C--Smith-Award.aspx
Dan David Prize (International)	-Multi-disciplinary; area varies by year -3 prizes annually; \$1M US	Exceptional excellence and contribution to humanity in the sciences, arts, humanities, public service and business (past, present and future dimensions)	Deadline: November 30 http://www.dandavidprize.org/

Early Researcher Awards (Ministry of Research and Innovation) (formerly Premier's Research Excellence Awards) (Ontario)	-open to all disciplines including humanities and social sciences -\$100,000 (matching funding required)	Innovative young scholars (first 5 years of career) seeking to build research teams	Deadline: mid-November http://www.mri.gov.on.ca/english/programs/era/program.asp
Economic and Social Research Council (UK) - - Social Science Research Council (US) Visiting Fellowships (International)	-Social sciences and Humanities Fellowships: ~5000 GBP	Engagement of scholars from the Americas in collaborative activities with members of ESRC-supported projects in Britain (or British scholars at ESRC-supported projects visit collaborators in the Americas)	Deadline: not specified http://www.ssrc.org/fellowships/esrc-ssrc-collaborative-visiting-fellowships/
Federation of Chinese Canadian Professionals Education Foundation Award of Merit (Ontario)	-Any discipline or field	Professional achievements of distinguished Chinese professionals	Deadline: July http://www.fccpontario.com/
Fulbright Traditional Scholar Awards/Visiting Research Chairs (Canada/US) Note: by application	-Multi-disciplinary -Research grant taken up at US institution	Research/teaching relevant to Canada/US relations, issues; outstanding researchers working to develop collaborations with US scholars	Deadline: mid-November http://www.cies.org/vs_scholars/vs_awards/
Guggenheim Fellowships (International) Note: by application	-Multi-disciplinary -Fellowships	Advanced scholars	Deadline: September 15 http://www.gf.org/
Humboldt Research Awards (Also Fellowships for junior and senior scholars) (International)	-Multi-disciplinary -Up to 100 per year -60,000 EUR (must be nominated by German scholar for collaboration)	Internationally recognized academics Fundamental discoveries, theories in own field and impacting others	Deadline: Ongoing http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/humboldt-award.html
John C. Polanyi Prizes (Ontario)	-Up to 5 prizes annually in areas (broadly defined): Physics, Chemistry, Physiology or Medicine,	Outstanding researchers in the early stages of their career who are continuing to post-doctoral studies or have recently started a faculty appointment at an Ontario	Deadlines: To Dean of FGS: December 1; to COU: January 30 http://ocgs.cou.on.ca/_bin/home/polanyi.cfm

	Literature, and Economic Science	university	
John G. Diefenbaker Award (Canada Council) (Note: brings a German scholar to a Canadian institution)	-Humanities or social sciences -\$75,000 plus travel expenses	Brings German scholar to Canada to work with colleagues here	Deadline: December 1 http://www.canadacouncil.ca/prizes/
Jules and Gabrielle Léger Fellowship (SSHRC) (Canada) (Note: not currently offered)	-Humanities and social sciences -(Awarded every 2 years) -\$50,000 per year	Research on historical and contemporary contribution of the Crown and its representatives to political, constitutional, cultural, intellectual and social life of the country	Deadline: not offered http://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/funding-financement/programmes-programmes/fellowships/leger-eng.aspx
Killam Prizes (Canada Council) (Canada)	-Health sciences; natural sciences; engineering; social sciences; and humanities (one per year in each field) -\$100,000	Scholars of exceptional ability who are engaged in research projects of broad significance and widespread interest; distinguished career contributions	Deadline: June 15 http://www.canadacouncil.ca/prizes/
Killam Fellowships (Canada) Note: by application	-Any of humanities; social sciences; natural sciences; health sciences; engineering -\$70,000 (2 years release time)	Support for research projects of scholars of exceptional ability who are engaged in research projects of broad significance and widespread interest	Deadline: May 15 http://killam.canadacouncil.ca/
Konrad Adenauer Research Award (Canada-Germany)	-Humanities and social sciences -75,000 EUR	Lifetime academic achievement; award supports collaboration between Canadian and German scholars	Deadline: January 31 http://www.humboldt-foundation.de/web/adenauer-award.html
Kyoto Prize (International)	-Annually in 3 areas: Advanced Technology, Basic Sciences, and Arts and Philosophy (specific fields determined annually) -50 million Yen each plus medal	Significant contribution to scientific, cultural, and spiritual betterment of mankind	Deadline: not specified http://www.inamori-f.or.jp/index_e.html
Manning Innovation Awards	-Multi-disciplinary -3 awards: Principal, Award of	Development and successful marketing of a new concept, process or procedure	Deadline: December 1 http://www.manningawards.ca/

(Canada)	Distinction, Innovation (2/year) \$10,000-\$100,000		
Molson Prizes (Canada Council for the Arts) (Canada)	-Humanities, social sciences, fine arts (2/year in humanities/social sciences and fine arts) -\$50,000	Substantial and distinguished continuing contribution to the cultural or intellectual heritage of Canada	Deadline: December 1 http://www.canadacouncil.ca/prizes/molson/
Nobel Prizes (International)	-Physics and Engineering Physics, Chemistry, Economics, Medicine, Literature, plus Nobel Peace Prize	Achievements in field	Deadline: varies by award http://nobelprize.org/
Northern Science Award (Canada)	-“Science” refers to all fields of inquiry advancing understanding of the natural world and society -\$10,000 and medal	Award to Aboriginal individual or group for significant contribution to meritorious knowledge and understanding of the Canadian North	Deadline: November 30 http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/nth/st/awd-eng.asp
Peter and Patricia Gruber Foundation International Awards (International)	-Multi-disciplinary; awards given in categories: Cosmology, Genetics, Justice, Women's Rights and Neuroscience -\$50,000 and medal	Discoveries and contributions that effect fundamental shifts in knowledge and culture	Deadline: December 15 http://www.gruberprizes.org/
Pravasi Bharatiya Samman Award (International)	-Multi-disciplinary Open to non-resident Indians (up to 15/year) -Medal and citation	Significant contributions to better understanding of India abroad, welfare of Indians in diaspora, philanthropy, links between India and diaspora, enhancement of India's prestige	Deadline: July 31 http://www.moia.gov.in/services.aspx?id1=30&id=m2&idp=30&mainid=23
Royal Society of Canada: Fellowship (Canada)	-Academies: Humanities, social sciences, sciences	Distinction, nationally and internationally, by publishing learned works or original research in fields	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/
Royal Society of Canada Alice Wilson Award (Canada)	-Multi-disciplinary -Open to women pursuing postdoctoral study -\$1000 and diploma	Woman of outstanding academic qualifications who is entering a career in scholarship or research at the postdoctoral level (chosen from recipients of postdoctoral	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php

		fellowships)	
Royal Society of Canada Award in Gender Studies (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities, women/gender studies -Biennial award	Contributions to understanding of gender issues	Deadline: December 1 (2013) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Innis-Gérin Medal (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities Biennial award: medal	Distinguished and sustained contribution to the literature of the social sciences	Deadline: December 1 (2012) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Pierre Chauveau Medal (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities Biennial award: medal	Distinguished contribution to knowledge in the humanities	Deadline: December 1 (2012) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Sir John William Dawson Medal (Canada)	-Multi-disciplinary -\$2500 and medal Biennial award	Important contributions of knowledge in multiple domains	Deadline: December 1 (2012) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
SSHRC Aurora Prize (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities -\$25,000	Outstanding new researcher building a reputation for original research (top new scholars from Insight Development Grant competition are considered; separate nomination not required)	Deadline: Insight Development Grant deadline http://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/results-resultats/prizes-prix/aurora-aurore-eng.aspx
SSHRC Gold Medal for Achievement in Research (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities (highest honour of SSHRC) -\$100,000 and medal	Leadership and originality that has advanced the field, enriched society, contributed to cultural and intellectual life of Canada	Deadline: March 9 http://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/results-resultats/prizes-prix/gold-or-eng.aspx
Trudeau Fellowships (Canada)	-Social sciences and humanities and creative arts -\$225,000 (3 years)	Leading thinkers in any field with interest in one of the four themes of the Trudeau Foundation: human rights and dignity; responsible citizenship; Canada and the world; and people and their natural environment	Deadline: November 15 http://www.trudeaufoundation.ca
Wolf Prizes (International)	-Sciences: Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Medicine,	Promotion of science and art for benefit of mankind	Deadline: August 31 http://www.wolffund.org.il/main.asp?idMain=13

	Agriculture -Arts: Architecture, Music, Painting, Sculpture -5 or 6 prizes annually -\$100,000 and certificate		
World Cultural Council Awards (International)	-Three areas: arts, sciences, education (some awarded in alternate years) -\$10,000 US, medal, diploma	Outstanding achievements in science, education and the arts (individuals or institutions)	Deadline: not specified http://www.consejoculturalmundial.org/

Teaching-Related Awards and Other Categories:

Award	Nature of Award/Eligibility	Criteria	Deadline/More information
3M Teaching Fellowship (STLHE) (Canada)	-Participation in retreat to share experiences -10 per year	Teaching excellence and educational leadership	Deadline: August 31 http://www.mcmaster.ca/3Mteachingfellowships/
Alan Blizzard Award (STLHE) (Canada)	-Citation, presentation at STLHE conference (\$2000)	Teaching collaboration	Deadline: mid-February http://www.stlhe.ca/awards/alan-blizzard-award/
Canadian Bureau for International Education Awards (Canada)	-Any discipline -Various awards for faculty, staff, students	Leadership in and contributions to internationalization and international education	Deadline: June http://www.cbie.ca/english/membership/awards.htm
Christopher Knapper Lifetime Achievement Award (STLHE) (Canada)	-Any discipline -Citation, presentation at STLHE conference	Significant lifetime contributions to teaching, learning and educational development in Canadian higher education	Deadline: December 1 http://www.stlhe.ca/awards/chris-knapper-award/
Canadian Urban Leadership Awards (Canada)	-Various categories -Open to individuals, groups, organizations	Significant contributions to improving the quality of life in Canada's cities and urban regions	Deadline: early March http://canurb.org/content/urban-leadership-awards
Governor General's Awards (includes Literary Awards, Caring Canadian Award, etc.) (Canada)	-Various awards in several categories	Honours Canadians for contributions to particular fields or for community contributions	Deadline: not specified http://www.gg.ca/document.aspx?id=187
OCUFA Teaching and Librarianship Awards (also Service Award, Lorimer Bargaining Award, Status of Women Award) (Ontario)	-Any field -Approx. 7 per year -Teaching/librarianship	Outstanding performance in teaching/librarianship	Deadline: mid-May http://ocufa.on.ca/ocufa-awards/
Ontario Government Awards (Ontario)	-Several awards for volunteer service, community action, good citizenship, senior achievement, etc.	Vary with awards	Deadline: varies with awards http://www.citizenship.gov.on.ca/english/citizenship/honoursandawards.shtml

Order of Canada (Governor General) (Canada)	-Any field -Various levels -Medal	Significant lifetime achievements and remarkable service	No deadline; ongoing process http://www.gg.ca/document.aspx?id=72
Order of Ontario (Ontario)	-Any field	Excellence and achievement of the highest degree in any field	Deadline: mid-March http://www.citizenship.gov.on.ca/english/citizenship/honours/orderofontario.shtml
YWCA (Toronto) Women of Distinction Awards (Ontario)	-Several categories, including one for young women, in range of fields including education	Women who demonstrate leadership, have improved lives of women and girls	Deadline: November 1 http://www.ywcatoronto.org/

Awards Open to More Limited Range of Disciplines/Fields:

Award	Nature of Award/Eligibility	Criteria	Deadline/More information
<i>Sciences, Engineering and/or Health and/or Environment</i>			
American Association for the Advancement of Science Awards (International)	-Sciences, engineering, science & technology -Various awards	Contributions to public understanding of science, scientific community	Deadline varies by award http://www.aaas.org/aboutaaas/awards/
American Astronomical Society Awards (International)	-Fields include astronomy, physics, engineering, geological sciences -Various awards	Awards for research, promotion of advancement of astronomy	Deadline varies by award http://aas.org/grants
American Chemistry Society Awards (International)	-Chemistry, chemical engineering Various (about 50) awards Prizes range from \$3000-\$5000	Outstanding individual or team accomplishments in fields of chemistry	Deadline varies by award http://portal.acs.org/portal/acs/corg/content
Benjamin Franklin Medal (International)	-Areas: chemistry, computer and cognitive science, earth and environmental science, electrical engineering, life science, mechanical engineering, physics -Celebration and awards ceremony	For great innovation has benefited humanity, advanced science, launched new fields of inquiry, and deepened our understanding of the universe, with potential for future development	Deadline: ongoing http://www.fi.edu/franklinawards/call.html
Blue Planet Prize (International)	-Areas of environment (issues, problems) -Certificate of merit, commemorative trophy, and 50 million Yen	To individuals and organizations who have made outstanding achievements in scientific research and its application and in so doing have helped provide solutions to global environmental problems	Deadline: October http://www.af-info.or.jp/blog/b-info_en/
Bower Award and Prize for Achievement in Science (Franklin Institute) (International)	-Various fields in sciences, computer science, engineering, etc. -Gold medal and prize of US	For individuals whose work has had a significant impact in a specific scientific field (as announced by the Institute each year)	Deadline: May 31 http://www.fi.edu/franklinawards/call.html

	\$250,000		
Brockhouse Canada Prize (NSERC) (Canada)	-Sciences and engineering -\$250,000 team research grant	For interdisciplinary teams of researchers; research of international significance in past 6 years	Deadline: March 1 http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/Brockhouse-Brockhouse/Index-Index_eng.asp
Burroughs Wellcome Career Awards for Medical Scientists (International)	-\$700,000 over 5 years	For junior researchers; must hold clinical degree and be clinical fellow, resident, instructor or a post-doctoral researcher	Deadline: early October http://www.bwfund.org/pages/188/Career-Awards-for-Medical-Scientists/
Canada Gairdner Global Health Award (Canada)	-Biomedical Science, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Health Research, International Initiatives -\$100,000	Major scientific advances in any one of four areas: basic science; clinical science; population health; or environmental health; significant impact on health outcomes in developing world	Deadline: October 1 http://www.gairdner.org/awards/nominati/globalheal
Canada Gairdner International Award (Canada)	-Biomedical science -\$100,000	Original contributions to medicine, combating disease	Deadline: October 1 http://www.gairdner.org/
Canada Gairdner Wightman Award (Canada)	-Biomedical science -\$100,000	Leadership in medical science	Deadline: October 1 http://www.gairdner.org/awards/wightman
Canadian Academy of Engineering Fellowships (Canada)	-Engineering -Honorary fellowship (must be nominated by a member)	Dedication to application of science and engineering for benefit of Canada	Deadline: October 31 http://www.acad-eng-gen.ca
Canadian Academy of Health Fellowships (Canada)	-Dentistry, Medicine, Pharmacy and Nutrition, Biomedical Science, Social Sciences & Humanities, Health Research, Toxicology, Nursing -Honorary fellowship	Leadership contributions to promotion of health science	Deadline: late March http://www.caahs-acss.ca/e/home/
Canadian Association of Geographers Awards (Canada)	-Geography; various awards	Scholarly distinction in geography; geography in the service of government or business; service to the profession of geography	Deadline: January 31 http://www.cag-acg.ca/en/cag_awards.html
Canadian Association of	-Physics and Engineering	Contributions and achievements in various	Deadline: mid-January

Physicists Medals (Canada)	physics (medals are in several sub-fields of physics; some are biennial)	fields of physics; outstanding achievement by a physicist aged ≤ 40	http://www.cap.ca/en/activities/medals-and-awards
Canadian Council of Professional Engineers Awards and Prizes (Canada)	-Engineering -Various awards	Outstanding Canadian engineers, teams of engineers, engineering projects and young engineers	Deadline: early January http://www.engineerscanada.ca/e/pr_awards_1.cfm
Canadian Mathematical Society Awards and Prizes (Canada)	-Mathematics -Various awards	Contributions to innovation, education	Deadline: varies with awards http://www.cms.math.ca/Prizes/
Canadian Paediatric Society Awards (Canada)	-Medicine, Health -Various awards (some biennial)	Contributions to research on children re. population health, community health	Deadline: mid-January http://www.cps.ca/English/Awards&Grants/index.htm
Canadian Science and Engineering Hall of Fame (Canada)	-Science and technology, natural sciences, and engineering	Contributions to science and engineering with benefits to society	Deadline: November 1 http://www.sciencetech.technomuses.ca/english/about/hallfame/u_main_e.cfm
Chemical Institute of Canada Awards (Canada)	-Chemistry, chemical engineering, chemical technology -Various awards (some biennial)	Contributions to profession	Deadline: varies with awards http://www.cheminst.ca/index.php/ci_id/1688/la_id/1.htm
CIHR Health Researcher of the Year (Michael Smith Award) (Canada) (Note: by application)	-Health -Biomedical and/or clinical research and health services and/or population health Medal and \$100,000/year for 5 years	Career award; high degree of innovation, creativity, leadership and dedication in health research	Deadline: mid-March http://www.researchnet-recherchenet.ca/rnr16/vwOpprtntyDtIs.do?prog=1212&view=search&progType=CIHR-15&type=AND&resultCount=25
CIHR Partnership Award (Canada)	-Health -\$25,000 research grant	Innovative collaborative approaches to health research and knowledge translation	Deadline: May 1 http://www.cihr-irsc.gc.ca/e/27367.html
Crafoord Prize (Royal Swedish Academy of Sciences) (International)	-Geological Sciences, Biology, Mathematics, Civil and Geological Engineering, Medicine, Biomedical	Awarded for (1) Astronomy & Mathematics, (2) Biosciences, or (3) Geosciences on a rotating basis	Deadline: April 15 http://www.crafoordprize.se/

	Science -USD 500,000		
Douglas R. Colton Medal for Research Excellence (Canada)	-Computer Science, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Engineering -Open to junior faculty, students -Medal, \$4500	Innovation in research in microsystems and related technologies	Deadline: mid-September http://www.cmc.ca/NewsAndEvents/Awards/Colton.aspx
Electrochemical Society Awards (International)	-Physics and Engineering Physics, Chemistry, Chemical Engineering, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Engineering -Various awards	Outstanding achievements in electrochemistry and solid-state science and technology	Deadline: varies with award http://www.electrochem.org/awards/
Geological Association of Canada Awards and Medals (Canada)	-Geological sciences, earth sciences (variety of awards)	Contributions to earth sciences	Deadline: December 30 http://www.gac.ca/awards/
Harvey Prize (International)	-Science & Technology, Health Research (disciplines vary from year to year) -\$75,000 (2 annually)	Outstanding achievements in the field, inspirational contributions Additional award (every 5 years) for contribution to peace in the Middle East	Deadline: not specified http://www.admin.technion.ac.il/harvey/
Japan Prize (International)	-Science and technology (fields designated annually) -50M Yen, certificate	Contribution to the progress of science and technology and the advancement of world peace and prosperity (nominations by invitation of Japan Foundation)	Deadline: February 28 http://www.japanprize.jp/en/prize.html
Kavli Prize (Norwegian Academy of Science and Letters) (International)	-Physics and Engineering Physics, Medicine, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Health -\$1M USD (awards in 3 areas)	Outstanding achievement in advancing knowledge and understanding in nanoscience, neuroscience and astrophysics	Deadline: December 1 http://www.kavliprize.no

	every 2 years)		
King Faisal International Prizes (International)	-Science & Technology, Medicine, Arabic Literature, Islamic Studies, (different disciplines each year) -\$200,000 US and medallion	Works benefiting mankind and advancing knowledge	Deadline: not specified http://www.kff.com/
Lasker Medical Research Awards (International)	-Basic medical research and clinical medical research \$100,000 US	Work seminal to understanding disease and the human being's capacity to overcome it	Deadline: not specified http://www.laskerfoundation.org/awards/index.htm
Lee Kuan Yew Water Prize (International)	-Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Environment ~\$220,000	Contributions to solving global water problems through technologies or innovative policies and programs which benefit humanity	Deadline: October 31 http://www.siww.com.sg/lee-kuan-yew-water-prize
National Cancer Institute of Canada (NCIC) Awards for Excellence in Cancer Research (Canada)	-Medicine, Biomedical Science, Health Research Various awards (including graduate student awards) -\$1000-\$2000 plus research grant	Outstanding achievements in cancer research at various levels including young investigators	Deadline: November 30 http://www.cancer.ca/Canada-wide/Cancer%20research/Honouring%20our%20researchers.aspx?sc_lang=en
NSERC Award for Science Promotion (formerly Michael Smith Award) (Canada)	-Sciences -\$10,000 (individual)/\$25,000 (group) and medal	Outstanding contribution to promotion of science in Canada through activities encouraging popular interest in science or developing science abilities	Deadline: September 1 http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/SciencePromotion-PromotionScience/Index-Index_eng.asp
NSERC E.W.R. Steacie Memorial Fellowships (Canada)	-Sciences and engineering -\$90,000 towards salary -Up to 6 awards annually for 2 years	Promising scientists and engineers earning an international reputation	Deadline: early June http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/Steacie-Steacie/Index-Index_eng.asp
NSERC Herzberg Medal (Canada)	-Natural sciences and engineering -\$1M (also 2 \$50K awards) and medal	For sustained excellence and influence in research, for a body of work conducted in Canada that has substantially advanced the natural sciences or engineering fields	Deadline: March 1 http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/Herzberg-Herzberg/Index-Index_eng.asp
NSERC John C. Polanyi Award (Canada)	-Natural sciences and engineering	Recent outstanding Canadian scientific advance; high degree of significance,	Deadline: March 1 http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/Polanyi-Polanyi/Index-Index_eng.asp

	-Individual or group (must have received NSERC funding) -\$250,000 research grant	novelty and impact on the research community and Canadian society	
Prince Mahidol Awards - Medicine and Public Health (International)	-Medicine, health research -\$50,000 US and medal	Exemplary contributions to the advancement of medicine, public health and human services in the world	Deadline: May 31 http://www.princemahidolaward.org/index.en.php
Royal Society of Canada Bancroft Award (Canada)	-Geological Sciences, Civil and Geological Engineering -Biennial award -\$2500 and diploma	Research and instruction in science of geology	Deadline: December 1 (2013) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Flavelle Medal (Canada)	-Biology, Medicine, Veterinary Medicine, Biomedical Science -Biennial award: medal	Outstanding contribution to biological science in previous ten years	Deadline: December 1 (2013) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Henry Marshall Tory Award (Canada)	-Physics and Engineering Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics -Biennial award: medal	Outstanding research in any branch of astronomy, chemistry, mathematics, physics, or an allied science, primarily in previous eight years	Deadline: December 1 (2012) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada John L. Synge Award (Canada)	-Mathematics -Awarded irregularly -\$2500 and diploma	Outstanding research in mathematical sciences	Deadline: awarded at irregular intervals http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada McLaughlin Medal (Canada)	-Biomedical science, medicine -Medal	Important and sustained research in medical science	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Miroslaw Romanowski Medal (Canada)	-Biology, Animal Science, Soil Science, Agriculture and Bioresource Engineering, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Agriculture, Toxicology, Environment	Significant contributions relating to environmental problems or improvements to ecosystem	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php

	-\$3000 and medal		
Royal Society of Canada Rutherford Memorial Medals (Canada)	-Physics and Engineering Physics, Chemistry -\$2500 and medal	Outstanding research in physics and chemistry (some preference to candidates under 40)	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Willet G. Miller Award (Canada)	-Geological Sciences, Natural Sciences & Engineering -Biennial award: medal	Outstanding research in earth sciences	Deadline: December 1 (2012) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada McNeil Medal (Canada)	-Sciences -\$1500 and medal	Public awareness of science	Deadline: December 1 http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
SETAC Awards (Society for Environmental Toxicology and Chemistry) (International)	-Chemistry, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Toxicology, Environment -Value varies with award	Outstanding contributions of individuals or groups of individuals, to the environmental sciences	Deadline: Varies with award http://www.setac.org/node/13
Sloan Research Fellowships (International)	-Chemistry, computational and evolutionary molecular biology, computer science, economics, mathematics, neuroscience, and physics -Annually 118 fellowships -\$50,000 for 2 years	Support excellent young scholars in their fields	Deadline: September 15 http://www.sloan.org/fellowships
Steacie Prize for Natural Sciences (Canada)	-Natural sciences and engineering -\$15,000	Young scientist (under 40) for outstanding scientific research carried out in Canada	Deadline: June 30 http://www.steacieprize.ca/index_e.html
Synergy Awards for Innovation (NSERC) (Canada)	-Natural sciences and engineering -Several categories/awards \$200,000 to university	Outstanding university-industry R&D partnership	Deadline: April 15 http://www.nserc-crsng.gc.ca/Prizes-Prix/Synergy-Synergie/Index-Index_eng.asp
Tyler Prize for Environmental Achievement (International)	-Medicine, Biomedical Science, Science & Technology, Natural Sciences & Engineering, Toxicology, Environment	Achievements in environmental science, energy and medicine that benefit mankind	Deadline: September 15 http://www.usc.edu/tylerprize/

	-\$200,000 and medal		
Volvo Environment Prize (International)	-Range of fields/areas including environmental protection, life sciences, earth sciences and social sciences -Approx. \$190,000 US	Outstanding innovations or scientific discoveries within environmental field	Deadline: December 1 http://www.environment-prize.com
Welch Award in Chemistry (International)	-Chemistry, chemical engineering -\$300,00 US	Basic chemical research contributions for the benefit of mankind	Deadline: February 1 http://www.welch1.org
<i>Librarianship</i>			
Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) Awards (International)	Various awards Open to librarians	For achievement and distinguished service; research awards/grants; and publications; also award for best practices in the marketing of academic and research libraries	Deadline: varies with awards http://www.ala.org/ala/awardsgrants/index.cfm
<i>Specific Areas of Humanities and Social Sciences</i>			
American Studies Association Bode- Pearson Prize (International)	-Lifetime membership in ASA -Awarded "periodically" (other ASA prizes also available)	Outstanding contributions: lifetime of achievement and service within the field of American Studies	Deadline: June 30 http://www.theasa.net/prizes_and_grants/page/awards_and_prizes/
Association for Asian Studies Award for Distinguished Contributions to Asian Studies (International)	(other prizes also available from association)	Outstanding scholarship and service to the field.	Deadline: Varies with prizes http://www.asian-studies.org/publications/book-prizes.htm
Association for Canadian Studies Award of Merit (Canada)	-\$500 and certificate	Contributions to the development of Canadian studies in Canada	Deadline: August 31 http://www.acs-aec.ca/
Bank of Canada Fellowship Awards (Canada)	-\$90,000 per year for 5 years to develop partnerships with experts outside the Bank in areas critical to the Bank's	For academics recognized for their expertise and excellence in areas critical to the mandate of the Bank of Canada, and who are undertaking leading-edge research	Deadline: November 15 http://www.bankofcanada.ca/en/fellowship/overview.html

	mandate -- i.e., macroeconomics, monetary economics, international finance and the economics of financial markets and institutions	that contributes to the development of knowledge and research capabilities in these fields	
Bank of Canada Governor's Award (Canada)	-Open to junior colleagues in economics, business, commerce -\$25,000 for two years	Demonstrated potential to continue to make exemplary research contributions in areas critical to the Bank of Canada's mandate: monetary policy, currency, financial-system sustainability, and funds management	Deadline: November 15 http://www.bankofcanada.ca/en/fellowship/gov_overview.html
Cundhill International Prize in History at McGill (Canada)	-History -\$75,000 US (plus 2 \$10,000 awards)	Book in English with a profound literary, social and academic impact in the area of history (nominated by publishers)	Deadline: May 31 http://www.mcgill.ca/cundillprize/about/
Gabrielle Roy Prize (Association of Quebec and Canadian Literatures) (Canada)	-One English, one French -Monetary, medal, certificate	Canadian and/or Quebec literary criticism (nominated by publisher)	Deadline: not specified http://www.alcq-acql.ca/
Pierre Berton Award (Governor General's History Award for Popular Media) (Canada)	-Canadian history -\$5000	Distinguished achievement in presenting Canadian history in an informative and engaging manner	Deadline: May 31
Royal Society of Canada J.B. Tyrrell Medal (Canada)	-Canadian history -Biennial award: medal	Outstanding work in history of Canada	Deadline: December 1 (2013) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Royal Society of Canada Lorne Pierce Medal (Canada)	-Literature -Biennial award: medal	Achievement in critical or imaginative literature (English or French); preference to work on Canadian subjects	Deadline: December 1 (2013) http://www.rsc.ca/awards_rscawards.php
Vanier Medal of the Institute of Public Administration of Canada (Canada)	-Public service -Medal	Distinctive leadership in public administration and public service in Canada, or contribution to field through writings or other endeavours	Deadline: March 31 http://www.ipac.ca/Vanier-Home

<i>Fine Arts</i>			
Canada Council Walter Carsen Prize in Performing Arts (Canada)	Dance, theatre, music (awarded on a rotating basis) \$50,000	Highest level of artistic excellence and distinguished career achievement by a Canadian professional artist	Deadline: April 30 http://www.canadacouncil.ca/prizes/walter_carsen/ze127223013627968750.htm
Governor General's Awards in Visual and Media Arts (Canada Council) (Canada)	Several categories including film and video, visual arts, architecture, art criticism, audio and new media		Deadline: June 1 http://www.canadacouncil.ca/prizes/ggavma/ky129399278859350353.htm?subsiteurl=%2fcanadacouncil%2farchives%2fprizes%2fgyvma%2f2011%2fdefault-e.html

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