

Umbrella Award Call for Nominations

After successful establishing of the Umbrella Award by RWTH Aachen University, Technion – Israel Institute of Technology, and Forschungszentrum Jülich GmbH, we are very pleased to announce a call for nomination for the **2023 Umbrella Award** focusing on **Life Science and Engineering: Data Analytics, Neuroscience and Multiscale Biomedical Engineering**

The award, partly funded by the Deutsche Technion Gesellschaft e.V., amounts to 5,000 Euros for an awardee per institution. The award includes funds for an extended exchange visit to Aachen/Jülich in case the awardee is from the Technion, or vice versa.

The call is open to young faculty members, those who have received their doctoral degree within and up to six years. For additional years ERC regulations hold.

This call is being published jointly by all three institutions. **Nominations** will be collated by the Umbrella offices in each institution and reviewed by a committee formed by two representatives from each institute. One awardee per institution will be chosen who will be expected to deliver an award lecture during the exchange visit, and during the Umbrella symposium. To participate in the **Symposium from 30 May to 1 June 2023** in Haifa/Israel is a precondition for the awardee.

Nominations may be submitted latest by **22 January 2023** by noontime (local time).

Nominations should include **a short description of scientific merits of the nominee, a short CV, and a list of publications**. Nominations must be approved in writing and submitted by the corresponding faculty dean. Self-nominations will not be accepted.

Addresses

Nominations may be submitted electronically

- at the **Technion**, to [Faina Vatmacher](mailto:coordination.evpr@technion.ac.il) (coordination.evpr@technion.ac.il), Office of the Executive VP for Research
- at **RWTH Aachen University**, to [Iris Schümmer](mailto:umbrella@rwth-aachen.de) (umbrella@rwth-aachen.de), Department 4.0 – Research
- at **Forschungszentrum Jülich**, to [Eva Portius](mailto:e.portius@fz-juelich.de) (e.portius@fz-juelich.de), Manager International Relations, (UE-B)