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SCI CANADA
AWARDS DINNER



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SCI is a unique multidisciplinary forum where science meets business on independent, impartial ground. SCI provides the opportunity for sharing information among sectors as diverse as Energy, Environment, Agri-Food, Health & Wellbeing & Materials.

Established in 1881 as the Society of Chemical Industry and in Canada in 1902, SCI is today a registered charity with individual members in over 70 countries. Its headquarters are in London.

Ever since its foundation SCI's principal objective has been to further the application of chemistry and related sciences for the public benefit, through our events and publications.

SCI CANADA GROUP AWARDS



The Canada Medal was inaugurated in 1939 and awarded for outstanding service to Canadian Industry that is based on chemistry processes and/or services.

The Kalev Puigi Award, inaugurated in 2002, is made to an individual or team for R&D projects performed during the past 10-15 years, which had a significant beneficial impact on the sponsoring company or on society.

The LeSeuer Memorial Award was inaugurated in 1955 and is given for the development of technical excellence, either in a university, an industrial setting or a research institution in Canada, which is of benefit to Canada in an industry based on chemistry.

The International Award, inaugurated in 1976, is given to acknowledge outstanding service to an industry based on chemistry, in the international sphere.

2020 SCI CANADA AWARD WINNERS



Naushad Jamani (for the Canada Medal)

Naushad Jamani most recently held the position of SVP Olefins at Nova Chemicals where over 30 years he helped build Nova Chemicals into the largest chemical company in Canada and its leading proponent of Responsible Care.



Prof Jamal Chaouki (for the Kalev Pugi Award)

Prof Chaouki of École Polytechnique de Montréal has a significant track record of industrially oriented research focused on the development of innovative technologies and processes for conversion of waste, biomass and complex raw materials to energy, fuels and chemicals.



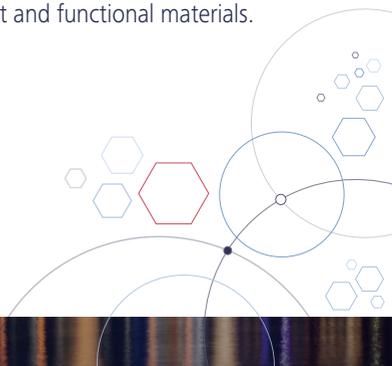
Prof Laurel Schafer (for the LeSeuer Award)

Prof Schafer of the University of British Columbia is recognised for her work in amination processes and catalysis, and in enantioselective catalytic synthesis of biopolymers.



Dr Jimi Tjong (for the International Award)

Dr Tjong of FORD Canada leads the Powertrain Engineering, Research and Development Centre (PERDC) at Windsor Essex in partnership with Canada's leading Universities and is known globally for his pioneering and innovative ideas, vision and leadership in making the global transportation value chain greener and sustainable, including low carbon fuel and low carbon lightweight and functional materials.



THE SCI CANADA AWARDS DINNER

On 26 March 2020 SCI is holding a Seminar & Awards Dinner for the presentation of the 2020 SCI Awards. This event brings together key members of the chemical and industrial community to celebrate the achievements of both the SCI Canada Award Winners and 2019 Student Merit Award Winners.

An afternoon seminar on the topic of Cannabis Chemistry and Business, attended by Canada Student Merit Award recipients and other leaders from industry and academia, will take place directly preceding the Awards Dinner. Reflecting the SCI strapline "where science meets business," there will be presentations on 'Fitness for Duty', an overview of 'Health Research on Cannabis and derived products', and 'Analytical Testing for effects on the Human Body'.

The event works to bring science and business together by enhancing connections between industry and chemical science and engineering professionals.



AFTERNOON SEMINAR PROGRAMME

13:00 Registration

13:30 Seminar Session 1

14:45 Refreshments and Networking

15:15 Seminar Session 2

16:30 Close

AWARDS DINNER PROGRAMME

18:00 Networking Reception

19:00 Guests Seated

Welcome & Introduction
Welcome to Student Merit Award (SMA)

*Sharon Todd, CEO, SCI
Winners / Stand and be Recognized*

19:15 Presentation of 1st Award

19:40 Presentation of 2nd Award

20:10 Presentation of 3rd Award

20:25 Inauguration of Outreach Award

20:45 Presentation of Canada Medal

21:15 Close

Hotel Bar Open for Networking

Find more details here: <http://bit.ly/SCIAwards>

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