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**THE LOUIS AND ARTUR LUCIAN  
AWARD FOR RESEARCH IN  
CIRCULATORY DISEASES**

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Dear Colleague:

I am writing to solicit your collaboration in securing nominations for the thirty-sixth annual Louis and Artur Lucian Award for Research in Circulatory Diseases. This Award, which was conferred for the first time in 1978, was established through a bequest to McGill University under the will of the late Olga Leibovici.

The Louis and Artur Lucian Award is designed to honor outstanding research in the field of circulatory diseases. The Award provides for financial support of the investigators and their families during their visit to McGill University. Note that the conditions and the amount of the Award were changed over the past few years.

It is hoped that through this Award, collaborative research in the field of circulatory diseases can be established between McGill and research centers elsewhere in Canada, the United States and other countries of the world.

Please do not hesitate to propose investigators that may qualify for this Award. To do so, please utilize the enclosed form.

Sincerely,

Jacques Genest, MD, FRCP(C)  
Professor, Faculty of Medicine, McGill University  
Director, Centre for Innovative Medicine

Enclosures



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## THE LOUIS AND ARTUR LUCIAN AWARD FOR RESEARCH IN CIRCULATORY DISEASES

A Committee of the McGill University Faculty of Medicine chooses the investigators to be honored by this Award. The Committee is assisted in its task by an international panel of consultants who are distinguished scientists in the field of medicine, pathology, physiology, pharmacology, and surgery.

### THE LOUIS AND ARTUR LUCIAN AWARD COMMITTEE

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### QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE AWARD

The Award will be conferred upon the individual or individuals nominated, who in the opinion of the Award Committee, have made the most outstanding contribution towards research in the field of circulatory diseases. The Award Committee recognizes no geographical limitations; nominations are invited without distinction as to gender or nationality. Preference will be given to work done in the recent past.

**Prospective recipients should be nominated on the attached nomination form. This form together with supporting materials should be received on or before March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2014, and emailed to [jacques.genest@muhc.mcgill.ca](mailto:jacques.genest@muhc.mcgill.ca) or mailed to:**

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Each year McGill University confers the Louis and Artur Lucian Award for outstanding research in the field of circulatory diseases. The purpose of this Award is to honor a scientific investigator or group of investigators whose contribution to knowledge in this field is deemed worthy of special recognition. The successful candidate is invited to spend a period of time at McGill University to have interchanges with members of the McGill community and possibly to undertake a research collaboration with McGill investigators in the field of circulatory diseases.

The awardee or awardees receive \$60,000 (Cdn) as a prize.

The Louis and Artur Lucian Award was established in 1978 under the will of the late Olga Leibovici through a bequest to McGill University and to honor the donor's two brothers.

### Past Recipients:

2013	David Ginsburg	– University of Michigan Medical School
2012	Garret A. Fitzgerald	– Perelman School of Medicine
2011	Shaun R. Coughlin	– University of California, San Francisco
2010	Marlene Rabinovitch	– Stanford University School of Medicine
2009	Peter Libby	– Harvard Medical School
2008	Piero Anversa	– Harvard Medical School
2007	Not Awarded	
2006	Peter Carmeliet	– University of Leuven
2005	Michael E. Gimbrone Jr.	– Harvard Medical School
2004	Roberto Bolli	– University of Louisville
2003	Eric N. Olson	– University of Texas Southwestern Medical Centre
2002	Salim Yusuf	– McMaster University
2001	Mark C. Fishman	– Harvard Medical School
2000	Robert J. Lefkowitz	– Duke University Medical School
1999	Victor J. Dzau	– Harvard Medical School
1998	Eduardo Marban	– Johns Hopkins University
1997	Russell Ross	– University of Washington
1996	Robert Furchgott	– State University of New York
	Salvador Moncada	– University College, London
1995	Andrew and Avril Somlyo	– University of Virginia, Charlottesville
1994	John B. Barlow	– University of the Witwaterstrand, South Africa
1993	Arthur Brown	– Baylor College of Medicine
1992	Judah Folkman	– The Children's Hospital, Boston
1991	José Jalife	– State University of NY, Syracuse
1990	Barbara Meyrick	– Vanderbilt University
1989	Francis Chinard	– New Jersey Medical School
	Ian Phillips	– University of Florida
1988	Aubrey Taylor	– University of South Alabama
1987	Daniel Steinberg	– University of California
1986	Dirk Brutsaert	– University of Antwerp
1985	Earl Wood	– Mayo Clinic
1984	James and Una Ryan	– University of Miami
1983	Norman Staub	– University of California
1982	Christian Crone	– University of Copenhagen
1981	Gilbert Thompson	– Hammersmith Hospital
1980	Solbert Permutt	– Johns Hopkins University
1979	James Bassingthwaighe	– University of Washington
1978	Nicolae and Maya Simionescu	– Bucharest and Yale University

## NOMINATION FORM

### 2014 LOUIS AND ARTUR LUCIAN AWARD FOR RESEARCH IN CIRCULATORY DISEASES

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**ALL NOMINATIONS SHOULD BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE MARCH 21<sup>ST</sup>, 2014**

<i>Please type:</i>	Name of Nominee: _____
	Academic Title: _____
	Institutional Address: _____
	_____
	Names of other members, if group is to be considered: _____
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Please provide the following information and return it together with this nomination form:

1. A summary, preferably less than 1,000 words, of the research on which this nomination is based and its significance in the field of circulatory diseases.
2. A brief biographical sketch of the nominee (NIH format, 4pages – see [www.nih.gov](http://www.nih.gov)).
3. An indication of up to ten of the nominee's most significant publications related to the research noted under Item 1, and the reason for their significance.
4. An outline of the proposed research and/or academic activities (seminars, discussions) to be carried out at McGill and the names of potential McGill correspondents and host laboratories. A one to two-week residence at McGill University during the academic year should be considered by the nominee.
5. A full Curriculum Vitae, including training, positions held and awards received by the nominee and, if available and applicable, a summary of grant funding, including amounts, during the last five years and a complete listing of the nominee's publications (please omit abstracts).

<i>Please type:</i>	Name of Proposer: _____
	Academic Title: _____
	Institutional Address: _____
	_____
	Telephone: _____
	Email: _____
	Date: _____

*This nomination form and the supporting information will not be returned.  
Please send application by email or courier.*