

TMWA Award Sponsored by Chang Gung Medical Foundation

Chang Gung Medical Foundation and Awards Descriptions:

Chang Gung Medical Foundation was established in 1976 by the founder of the Formosa Plastics Group (FPG). In a time of extreme shortage of medical resources then, the intention of the launch was to provide accessible medical care, and to safeguard the health and dignity of the people in the society. The Foundation has since established nine Chang Gung Memorial Hospitals throughout Taiwan. In addition, CGMF has also been entrusted by the government to operate increasing numbers of regional hospitals throughout the island to reinforce equality of best medical care.

For a sustainable operation and to provide the most sophisticated medical care to people in Taiwan, CGMF has engaged in a full range of medical research. Specifically, this institution has established milestones in the fields of cancer research, translational medicine, stem cell therapy, microbiome therapy, application of artificial intelligence in precision medicine, and lately the fighting with SARS-CoV-2 pandemic.

Well-linked to the academic and industrial resources, it is the culture of Chang Gung Medical Foundation to support any effort to promote medical care for people in Taiwan, as the Foundation also takes the mission of conducting innovative and collaborative researches, and of integrating the knowledge into the multidisciplinary medicine for generations to come.

Please also visit Chang Gung Medical Foundation <https://www.cgmh.org.tw/en/>

Award Criteria:

This award of \$10,000 USD is granted to **two women physicians** (member or non-member) who has made the most outstanding contribution to the cause of women in the field of medicine, or to Taiwan Medical Women Association. Examples are:

- Woman physician who has made exceptional contributions to medical science, especially in women's health, through her basic and/or clinical research, publications, and leadership in her field.
- Woman physician either working or having worked for the promotion of international relations of Taiwan through advocating of Taiwan's contribution to international health
- Influenced the ever-expanding role of women in medicine

- Demonstrated commitment, originality, innovation, or creativity in her field of medicine
- Made exceptional contribution to her field of medicine
- Achieved recognition as a leader in women's health in the area of public policy, health care delivery, research, medical education, patient care, application of basic sciences to health care
- Promotion of human rights, gender equality, and social-related matters

Which can be supported by:

- Evidence of exceptional-quality scientific research
- Extensive publication record
- High national or international leadership profile
- Chair of national or international committees
- Presidency of national or international scientific organizations
- History of advocacy on women's, adolescent's, children's health issues

Award Nomination Form: <https://forms.gle/Y6AXrLf6AxBVyYeX6>

Application Period: February 14 to April 30, 2022

Announcement of winner: May 24, 2022

Awards Nomination Form

TMWA encourages nominations for our 2022 CGMF Award for TMWA. Please help us recognize medical women who have made outstanding contributions to medicine or to TMWA. Self-nomination is also encouraged.

DEADLINE: APRIL 30, 2022 **All submissions will be confirmed within 5 business days of receipt; should you not receive a confirmation, please contact us at info@mwia2022.net

** Required Documentation: (1) Submit your personal statement as to why you believe the nominee is worthy of the award. (2) Include the nominee's current CV and contact information. Other supporting papers may be attached with the nomination. Self-nomination needs to submit two recommendation letters. The letter of support from a person who has known the applicant for at least 5 years can assess the work as a peer or supervisor or co-worker. Note: In order to be eligible for the award, the awardees must have a **brief presentation of 5 minutes at the Awards Presentation Ceremony**, either in person or via a pre-taped video, during the 32nd International Congress of MWIA to be held in Taipei, Taiwan, 24th (Fri.) – 26th (Sun.) June 2022.

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