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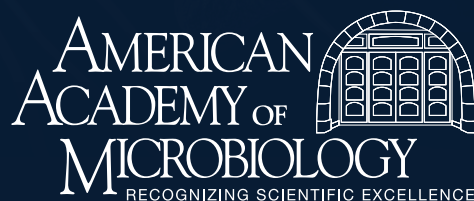


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ASM Alice C. Evans Award for Advancement of Women

2023: Lorraine A. Findlay
 2022: Gemma Reguera
 2021: Jennifer Glass
 2020: Caitilyn Allen
 2019: Hazel Barton
 2018: Carolyn Teschke
 2017: Diane Griffin
 2016: Carol Gross
 2015: Nancy Hopkins
 2014: Bonnie L. Bassler
 2013: Joan Steitz
 2012: Micah I. Krichevsky
 2011: Susan L. Forsburg
 2010: Sara Rothman
 2009: Millicent Goldschmidt
 2008: Jo Handelsman
 2007: Martha M. Howe
 2006: Joan W. Bennett
 2005: Helen Conrad Davies
 2004: Marian C. Johnson-Thompson
 2003: Eva Ruth Kashket
 2002: Marlene Belfort
 2001: Alice Shih-hou Huang
 2000: Anne Morris Hooke
 1999: Ruth T. Kirschstein
 1998: Arnold L. Demain
 1997: Ellen Jo Baron
 1996: Jean E. Brenchley
 1994: Barbara Iglewski
 1993: Lorraine Freidman
 1992: Ruth Gordon
 1991: No Award Given
 1990: Margaret Pittman
 1989: Viola Mae Young-Horvath
 1988: Rita R. Colwell
 1986: Elizabeth O'Hern
 1985: Loretta Leive
 1983: Frederick C. Neidhardt

ASM Award for Applied and Biotechnological Research

2023: Kim Lewis
 2022: Joseph C. Glorioso, III
 2021: Dennis Hruby
 2020: Eleftherios (Terry) Papoutsakis
 2019: K. T. Shanmugam

*** Similar to old ASM Awards:*

Dupont Industrial Biosciences Award in Applied and Environmental Microbiology

2018: Michael Adams and Robert Kelly
 2017: Lonnie Ingram
 2016: Joseph Suflita
 2015: David Karl
 2014: Douglas G. Capone
 2013: Mary Lidstrom
 2012: Bess Ward
 2011: Stephen J. Giovannoni
 2010: Caroline S. Harwood
 2009: Jim C. Spain
 2008: Edward F. DeLong
 2007: J. Gijs Kuenen
 2006: David Stahl
 2005: J. William Costerton
 2004: Derek R. Lovley
 2003: Kenneth H. Nealson and Eugene Rosenberg
 2002: Lily Y. Young
 2001: Gill G. Geesey
 2000: Steven E. Lindow
 1999: Ralph S. Wolfe
 1998: E. Imre Friedmann
 1997: David T. Gibson
 1996: Norman R. Pace
 1995: Ananda M. Chakrabarty
 1994: Gary S. Saylor
 1993: David C. White
 1992: James Tiedje
 1991: Ronald Atlas
 1990: Guenther Stotzky
 1989: No award given

1988: Richard Y. Morita
 1987: Larry L. McKay
 1986: Marvin P. Bryant
 1985: Rita R. Colwell
 1984: Thomas D. Brock
 1983: John H. Brewer
 1982: Holger Jannasch
 1981: William Sandine
 1980: Martin Alexander
 1979: David Perlman
 1978: Moshe Shiho
 1977: David Gottlieb

Promega Biotechnology Research Award

*(*Before 2002, the Award was known as the Chiron Corporation Biotechnology Research Award)*

2018: Timothy Donohue
 2017: Raymond St. Leger
 2016: James Collins
 2015: Ben Shen
 2014: Joachim Messing
 2013: Jay Keasling
 2012: Bernhard Palsson
 2011: Stephen Quake
 2010: Maynard Olson
 2009: George M. Church
 2008: David Lipman
 2007: George P. Smith
 2006: Marvin H. Caruthers
 2005: Claire M. Fraser
 2004: Christopher T. Walsh
 2003: Patrick O. Brown
 2002: No Award Given
 2001: Stuart L. Schreiber
 2000: Stanley Fields
 1999: J. Craig Venter
 1998: David Botstein, Ronald Davis,
 and Eric Lander
 1997: Stephen P.A. Fodor
 1996: Lois K. Miller
 1995: Larry Gold
 1994: Richard A. Young
 1993: David A. Hopwood
 1992: Kary B. Mullis

1991: Eugene Nester
 1990: Arnold L. Demain
 1989: Leroy E. Hood
 1988: Stanley N. Cohen and
 Herbert W. Boyer

ASM Award for Basic Research

2023: Eugene V. Koonin
 2022: Donald Bryant
 2021: Sue Wickner
 2020: Lora Hooper
 2019: Joseph Heitman

ASM Award for Early Career Applied and Biotechnological Research

2023: James T. Morton
 2022: César de la Fuente
 2021: Kizzmekia Corbett
 2020: Michelle O'Malley
 2019: No award

ASM Award for Early Career Basic Research

2023: Jeremy Michael Rock
 2022: Ankur Dalia
 2021: Sebastian Lourido
 2020: Philip Kranzusch
 2019: Nicholas Heaton

ASM Award for Early Career Environmental Research

2023: Maria Eugenia Inda
 2022: Karthik Anantharaman
 2021: A. Murat Eren
 2020: Amy Apprill
 2019: Subba Rao Chaganti

ASM Award for Environmental Research

2023: John D. Coates
 2022: Mary Firestone
 2021: Terry Hazen
 2020: Ronald Oremland
 2019: Jizhong Zhou

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 1995: Ananda M. Chakrabarty
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 1993: David C. White
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 1991: Ronald Atlas
 1990: Guenther Stotzky
 1989: No award given
 1988: Richard Y. Morita
 1987: Larry L. McKay

1986: Marvin P. Bryant
 1985: Rita R. Colwell
 1984: Thomas D. Brock
 1983: John H. Brewer
 1982: Holger Jannasch
 1981: William Sandine
 1980: Martin Alexander
 1979: David Perlman
 1978: Moshe Shiho
 1977: David Gottlieb

ASM Award for Graduate Education

(formerly ASM Award for Education)

2023: Ronald W. Griffith

ASM Award for Education

(In 2023, Award name changed to ASM Award for Graduate Education)

2022: Heidi Goodrich-Blair, PhD
 2021: Nichole Broderick
 2020: Edith Porter
 2019: Vincent Racaniello

*** Similar to old ASM Award:*

ASM Graduate Microbiology Teaching Award

2018: Eric Gillock
 2017: Thomas Dela Cruz
 2016: Patrick Schlievert
 2015: Aaron Mitchell
 2014: Shelley Payne
 2013: Jo Handelsman
 2012: Joanna B. Goldberg
 2011: Jonathan Beckwith
 2010: Thomas M. Schmidt
 2009: Abigail A. Salyers
 2008: Gary M. Dunny
 2007: Diana Downs

ASM Award for Research or Leadership in Clinical Microbiology

2023: Charles Y. Chiu
 2022: Romney Humphries
 2021: Melissa Miller
 2020: Carey-Ann Burnham
 2019: Stephen Jenkins

This award combined two old ASM awards

Award for Research in Clinical Microbiology

2018: Kimberle Chapin
 2017: Saha Samir
 2016: Donna Wolk
 2015: Robin Patel
 2014: Angela M. Caliendo
 2013: Christine Ginocchio
 2012: Patrice Courvalin
 2011: Karen C. Carroll
 2010: J. Stephen Dumler
 2009: Mohamed Karmali
 2008: Stephen C. Edberg
 2007: Gary W. Procop
 2006: Franklin R. Cockerill, III
 2005: Lance R. Peterson
 2004: Melvin Weinstein
 2003: Clyde Thornsberry
 2002: Thomas F. Smith
 2001: Donald E. Low
 2000: Fred C. Tenover
 1999: Sydney M. Finegold
 1998: Richard R. Facklam
 1997: Michael A. Pfaller
 1996: Alexander von Graevenitz
 1995: Gary V. Doern
 1994: Raymond C. Bartlett
 1993: Patrick R. Murray
 1992: James H. Jorgensen
 1991: L. Barth Reller
 1990: Gerald L. Gilardi
 1989: John A. Washington
 1988: John Matsen
 1987: Herman Friedman
 1986: Stanley Falkow
 1985: Lillian V. Holderman

1984: Alexander C. Sonnenwirth
 1983: G. D. Hsuing
 1982: William B. Cherry
 1981: Albert Balows
 1980: Amedeo Bondi
 1979: Henry D. Isenberg
 1978: John C. Sherris

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Sonnenwirth Award for Leadership in Clinical Microbiology

2018: Mary Jane Ferraro, PhD, MPH
 2017: Richard Thomson
 2016: Richard Hodinka
 2015: Dr. James Jorgensen
 2014: Davise Larone
 2013: Roberta Carey
 2012: Susan E. Sharp
 2011: Melvin P. Weinstein
 2010: Patricia Charache
 2009: Lynne S. Garcia
 2008: Geraldine S. Hall
 2007: Vickie S. Baselski
 2006: Janet Hindler
 2005: Joseph M. Campos
 2004: Alice S. Weissfeld
 2003: J. Michael Miller
 2002: Patrick R. Murray
 2001: Peter H. Gilligan
 2000: Ellen Jo Baron
 1999: Albert Balows
 1998: Joseph L. Staneck
 1997: L. Barth Reller
 1996: Edward J. Bottone
 1995: Frank P. Koontz
 1994: Marie B. Coyle
 1993: John M. Matsen
 1992: Paul D. Ellner
 1991: Josephine A. Morello
 1990: Raymond C. Bartlett
 1989: Henry D. Isenberg
 1988: John C. Sherris
 1987: David Schlessinger
 1986: Sydney Finegold

ASM Award for Service

2023: Robert C. Jerris
 2022: Yvette S. McCarter
 2021: Barbara Robinson-Dunn
 2020: Christina Kellogg
 2019: Patrick Schloss

ASM Carski Award for Undergraduate Education

2023: Amy M. Siegesmund
 2022: Nancy Boury
 2021: Jason Tor
 2020: David Westenberg
 2019: Louise Temple
 2018: Mark Martin
 2017: Patricia Shields
 2016: Loretta Brancaccio-Taras
 2015: Susan Merkel
 2014: Erica Suchman
 2013: Graham Hatfull
 2012: Lilliam Casillas-Martinez
 2011: Spencer A. Benson
 2010: John J. Tudor
 2009: Jo Handelsman
 2008: Jeffrey Pommerville
 2007: Lawrence R. Aaronson
 2006: Amy Cheng Vollmer
 2005: Carolyn Hovde Bohach
 2004: Leslie Ann Schiff
 2003: Michael T. Madigan
 2002: Jeanne S. Poindexter
 2001: Joan W. Bennett
 2000: I. Edward Alcamo
 1999: Beverly Pierson
 1998: Kenneth G. Todar
 1997: Raúl J. Cano
 1996: Vicente D. Villa
 1995: Mary M. Allen
 1994: David L. Balkwill
 1993: George Schaberger
 1992: Jerald C. Ensign
 1991: Roar Irgens
 1990: Alice G. Reinarz

1989: Lois Lindberg
 1988: Thomas D. Brock
 1987: Paul J. Vandemark
 1986: Samuel Kaplan
 1985: Melvin Rheins
 1984: Nancy Harvie
 1983: M. John Pickett
 1982: John L. Fryer
 1981: Robert J. Brady
 1980: Warren Litsky
 1979: Elwood B. Shirling
 1978: Noel R. Krieg
 1977: Margaret Green
 1976: Elizabeth R. Hall
 1975: Matthew C. Dodd
 1974: Frank E. Swatek
 1973: William G. Walter
 1972: William B. Sarles
 1971: Ralph S. Wolfe
 1970: Walter A. Konetzka
 1969: Sydney C. Rittenberg
 1968: Wayne W. Umbreit

ASM D.C. White Award for Interdisciplinary Research

2023: James J. Collins
 2022: Victor Nizet
 2021: Ferran Garcia-Pichel
 2020: Richard Lenski
 2019: James Kaper
 2018: Donald Bryant
 2017: Stephen Goff
 2016: Terence Dermody
 2015: Thomas Walsh
 2014: Edward Leadbetter
 2013: Farooq Azam
 2012: E. Peter Greenberg
 2011: Jo Handelsman
 2010: Kenneth Nealson
 2009: Edward DeLong
 2008: Mary Ann Moran

ASM Elizabeth O. King Lecturer Award

2023: Martin Wiedmann
 2022: Michael Feldgarden
 2021: Charles M. Rice

ASM Honorary Diversity Lecturer Award

2023: Irene Newton
 2022: Beronda Montgomery
 2021: Alfredo Torres
 2019: Paul Turner
 2018: Michael Goodin

ASM Lifetime Achievement Award

2023: James M. Tiedje
 2022: John Mekalanos
 2021: Bernard Moss
 2020: Mary Estes
 2019: Carol Gross
 2018: Hiroshi Nikaido
 2017: Kyung (June) Kwon-Chung
 2016: Thomas Silhavy
 2015: John Roth
 2014: Roy Curtiss, III
 2013: Julian Davies
 2012: Stuart B. Levy
 2011: Susan Gottesman
 2010: Lucy Shapiro
 2009: Carl Woese
 2008: Bernard Roizman
 2007: Norman R. Pace
 2006: R. John Collier
 2005: Jonathan Beckwith
 2004: Alan Campbell
 2003: Stanley Falkow
 2002: Masayasu Nomura
 2001: Bruce N. Ames
 2000: Boris Magasanik
 1999: Jonathan W. Uhr
 1998: Charles Yanofsky
 1997: A. Dale Kaiser
 1996: Ralph S. Wolfe
 1995: Julius Adler

ASM Microbiome Data Prize

2023: Benjamin Callahan
 2022: Patrick D. Schloss

ASM Moselio Schaechter Award in Recognition of a Developing-Country Microbiologist

2023: Shahida Hasnain
 2022: Arunaloke Chakrabarti
 2021: Gustavo Goldman
 2020: Armen Trchounian
 2019: Ritu Amatya
 2018: no award given
 2017: no award given
 2016: Rup Lal
 2015: Diego de Mendoza
 2014: Yogendra Singh
 2013: Nancy Saravia
 2012: Jayaraman Gowrishankar
 2011: Sunday Ayodele Odunfa
 2010: Firdausi Qadri

ASM Scherago-Rubin Award for Clinical Microbiology

2023: James Pusavat
 2022: Joy Graff
 2021: Brandon Ellis
 2020: Violeta Rekasius
 2019: Melissa Jones
 2018: Blaine Mathison
 2017: Michael Brandon
 2016: Mary Plenzler
 2015: Robyn Shimizu
 2014: Scott Cunningham
 2013: Barbara Brown-Elliott
 2012: Brent Barrett
 2011: Susan D. Munro
 2010: Claudia Hinnebusch
 2009: Arthur Guruswamy
 2008: Regina Van Brakle
 2007: Michael S. Forman
 2006: Angela Beth Prouse
 2005: Yvonne Shea
 2004: Caroline Irene Mohr

2003: Ernest Kent Korgenski
 2002: Patricia L. Cernoch
 2001: Carolyn K. Wallis
 2000: Harold J. Cannon, Jr.
 1999: Mitzi R. Norris
 1998: Sherry Lee Gamble
 1997: Peter C. Iwen
 1996: Steven D. Ewers
 1994: Paulette G. Hammond
 1993: Patricia Gill
 1992: Elena Prevost Smith
 1990: Sheryl Johnston
 1989: Pamela M. Hulme
 1988: No Award Given
 1987: Linda Guthertz

ASM William A. Hinton Award for Advancement of a Diverse Community of Microbiologists

2023: Ariangela J. Kozik and
Kishana Y. Taylor
 2022: Michael Johnson
 2021: Eric Triplett
 2020: Gladys Alexandre
 2019: Marian Johnson-Thompson
 2018: Peter Lipke
 2017: Steven Finkel
 2016: Hong Qin
 2015: Liise-anne Pirofski
 2014: Maria F. Lima
 2013: Alison Gammie
 2012: LaJoyce H. Debro
 2011: Agnes A. Day
 2010: Renato Aguilera
 2009: Terry Ann Krulwich
 2008: Arturo Casadevall
 2007: Carolyn B. Brooks
 2006: Sally B. Jorgensen
 2005: Willie Turner
 2004: John F. Alderete
 2003: Henry N. Williams
 2002: Michael F. Summers
 2001: Helen Buckley

2000: Julius H. Jackson
 1999: Thoyd Melton
 1998: Luther S. Williams

ASM Special Recognition Award

This award was given in 2021 to recognize leadership and contributions to the field of microbiology and to ASM in leading the organization through the COVID-19 pandemic.

2021: Joint Award:

- Robin Patel
- Melissa Miller
- Stefano Bertuzzi (CEO, ASM)
- Jonathan Stevens-Garcia (ASM Staff)
- Peggy McNult (ASM Staff)
- Catherine Ort-Mabry (ASM Staff)
- Allen Segal (ASM Staff)
- Mary Lee Watts (ASM Staff)
- Aleea Khan (ASM Staff)
- ASM Staff and Senior Leadership Team

Maurice Hilleman/Merck Award

Given in memory of Maurice R. Hilleman, this award honored major contributions to pathogenesis, vaccine discovery, vaccine development, and/or control of vaccine-preventable diseases.

Maurice R. Hilleman is credited with developing over 40 vaccines, including those that prevent measles, mumps, rubella, Haemophilus influenzae type b, hepatitis A, hepatitis B, and chickenpox. These vaccines save millions of lives each year, and Dr. Hilleman is frequently credited with saving more lives than any other scientist of the 20th Century.

This award was presented by ASM from 2009 – 2018.

Awardees:

2009: Stanley A. Plotkin, M.D.
(Sanofi Pasteur)
 2010: Samuel L. Katz, M.D.
(Duke University School of Medicine)
 2011: Albert Z. Kapikian, M.D.
(NIAID, National Institute of Health)

- 2012: Myron M. Levine, M.D.
(University of Maryland School of Medicine)
- 2013: Emil Gotschlich, M.D. and
R. Gwin Follis-Chevron
(The Rockefeller University)
- 2014: Dan Granoff, M.D.
(Center for Immunobiology and
Vaccine Development, Children's
Hospital Oakland Research Institute)
- 2015: n/a
- 2016: Peter Palese, Ph.D.
(Icahn School of Medicine at
Mount Sinai)
- 2017: n/a
- 2018: Stephen Whitehead, Ph.D.
(National Institute of Allergy
and Infectious Diseases, NIH)

ICAAC Young Investigator Awards

(Merck ICAAC Young Investigator for 2000 only)

- 1983: Richard F. Jacobs, Steven Schutzer,
Christopher Taylor, Roger Levesque
- 1984: Donna L. Hartley, Henry A. Locjman,
Michael T. MacDonell, Thomas R. Parr
- 1985: Bradley E. Britigan, Stuart M. Levitz,
Justin D. Radolf, Thomas J. Walsh
- 1986: Bruce S. Klein, Christian C. Patrick,
Vernon L. Tesh, Robert S. Wallis
- 1987: Jane C. Burns,
Francisco Diaz-Mitoma, Les P. Nagata,
William A. Petri, Jr.
- 1988: Kenneth D. Croen, Bert E. Johansson,
James R. Lupski, Carlos V. Paya]
- 1989: Edward N. Janoff, Mary B. Nettleman,
Thomas F. Patterson,
Steven M. Schnittman
- 1990: Martin Bryant, Paul J. Maddon,
Athanasios Papavassiliou, Bryan Volpp
- 1991: Marcia B. Goldberg,
Francois Malouin, Xavier Saez-Llorens,
Erwin Schurr
- 1992: Timothy L. Cover, Luis G. Gaivedoni,
Alfredo Jacobo-Molina,
James M. Musser
- 1993: Marion Man-Ying Chan,
Bradley N. Doebbeling, Jack A.
Heinemann, Larry S. Schlesinger
- 1994: Timothy G. Palzkill, Jane E. Koehler,
Celia M. Alpuche-Aranda,
Juan C. Bandres
- 1995: Joan R. Butterton, Chetan E. Chitnis,
Xi Jiang, Peter M. Small,
Matthew K. Waldor
- 1996: Elizabeth Hohmann, Mark Dworkin
- 1997: Andrew D. Badley,
Leta Crawford-Miksza,
Shou-Jiang Gao, Lisa A. Jackson
- 1998: Mark Kenneth Slifka, Sanjay A. Desai
- 1999: Maurizio Del Poeta, James Versalovic
- 2000: Marcel Behr, Rodger Novak
- 2001: Vance G. Fowler;
Paula Ivonne Watnick
- 2002: David R. Andes; Marc Lipsitch
- 2003: W. Garrett Nichols;
Christopher D. Pilcher;
Stephan J. Harbath; Paul M. Dunman
- 2004: Eleftherios Mylonakis;
C. Erec Stebbins Mary C. Jackson;
Kevin B. Laupland
- 2005: Alejandro Aballay; Stijn Blot;
Jean-Denis Docquier;
Mary X. O'Riordan
- 2006: Erica O. Saphire; Brian K. Coombes;
Katrina Heran Darwin;
Michael J. Bouchard
- 2007: Hung Ton-That; Michael Bruce Zwick;
Joanna Kubler-Kielb;
Lucas R. Hoffman; Jason T. Blackard
- 2008: Douglas B. Weibel; Bing Chen;
Jang Hann Chu; Ekaterina Heldwein;
Eric Skaar
- 2009: David Masopust; Anton Peleg;
Tobias Hohl; Angelika Grundling;
Xiaorong Lin
- 2010: Benjamin tenOever; Carol Iverson;
Manuela Raffatellu; Binh An Diep;
Catherine A. Blish
- 2011: Jorn Coers; Alison Criss;
Andrea Endimiani; Benjamin Howden;
Zachary Klase

2012: William Hanage;
Andrew Lee Lovering; Maria Soledad Ramirez; Mario Santiago; David Tobin

2013: Baligh R. Yehia;
Frank van de Veerdonk;
Marc Torrent; Joshua J. Obar;
Ken Cadwell

2014: Daniel Mendoza; Kimberly Kline;
Dennis Ko; Vincent Muster;
Sebastian Winter

2015: 2015 ICAAC Young Investigators

- Nagendra Mishra, Ph.D., UCLA David Geffen School of Medicine
- Rajat Madan, Ph.D., University of Virginia, Fellow Division of Infectious Diseases and International Health
- Marieke van Zoelen, M.D., Ph.D.—The Feinstein Institute for Medical Research
- Rituparna Das, M.D., Ph.D.—University of Pennsylvania School of Medicine

In 2016, the ASM General Meeting and ICAAC were merged into a new meeting, "ASM Microbe." Several "Young Investigator Awardees" were named:

2016:

- Beckman-Coulter Young Investigator Award: John Dekker, National Institutes of Health, Clinical Center
- Young Investigator Award: Yonatan Grad, MD, Ph.D., Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health
- Young Investigator Award: Dusan Bogunovic, Ph.D., Icahn School of Medicine at Mount Sinai

- Young Investigator Award: Cindy Liu, MD, MPH, Ph.D., George Washington University

- Young Investigator Award: Stacey Horner, Ph.D., Duke School of Medicine

2017: Young Investigator Awards

- Diagnostics Young Investigator Award: Marc Couturier, University of Utah
- Young Investigator Award: Kristin Parent, Michigan State University
- Young Investigator Award: Katherine Ralston, University of California, Davis
- Young Investigator Award: Jennifer Gaddy, Vanderbilt University

2018: Young Investigator Awards

- Diagnostics Young Investigator Award: Patricia Simner, PhD, Johns Hopkins University
- Young Investigator Award: Peter Turnbaugh, PhD, University of California, San Francisco
- Young Investigator Award: Elizabeth Egan, MD, PhD, Stanford University School of Medicine
- Young Investigator Award: Britt Koskella, PhD, University of California, Berkeley

2019: The Young Investigator Awards were discontinued.