

### **ANNOUNCEMENT RAPPAPORT AWARD FOR RESEARCH EXCELLENCE**

The IBiS program is seeking nominations of outstanding IBiS graduate students for the Rappaport Award for Research Excellence to recognize scientific achievement in the biological sciences.

The Rappaport will provide an IBiS-level stipend and TGS 500 tuition for one year as well as an award to the student of a \$2,500 reimbursement for scientific purposes such as equipment or travel. A selection committee will select up to two students annually, on the basis of significant research achievements and potential for research excellence. Awardees will present a talk at a departmental seminar series.

#### **Eligibility, nomination and selection**

Students will be in their 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> year at the time of nomination. Students will be nominated by IBiS faculty members and selected by the IBiS graduate advisory committee and the program director.

#### **Materials to be submitted with nominations**

1. Nomination form
2. Description of research accomplishments and plans (not to exceed 7 pages total)
3. Curriculum Vitae
4. At least two letters of recommendation
5. Research publications

#### **Instructions for submission**

Please submit all materials to Cathy Prullage, [c-prullage@northwestern.edu](mailto:c-prullage@northwestern.edu), by noon of the deadline date.

#### **Deadline**

July 16, 2021. Award period fall quarter 2021 through summer quarter 2022.