

## The R. Bruce Merrifield Award Call for Nominations

Endowed by Dr. Rao Makineni (1997)

### 2027 R. Bruce Merrifield Award

The 2027 R. Bruce Merrifield Award recognizing the lifetime achievement of a peptide scientist, whose work exemplifies the highest level of scientific creativity will be presented at the 30<sup>th</sup> American Peptide Symposium in Boston, MA, June 20-24, 2027.

Nominations for the Merrifield Award should include the following items, assembled into a single PDF file.

1. A letter of nomination from the primary nominator (1,000 word limit).
2. The nominee's Curriculum Vitae and list of publications.
3. Up to three selected scientific papers authored by the nominee.
4. One additional ('seconding') letter (500 word limit).

Nominating documents should be submitted by **April 15th, 2026**. Nominations for the 2025 Merrifield Award will be reviewed for a second time, but it is preferred that these nominations be updated.

The awardee must be able to attend the American Peptide Symposium in June 2027.

Individuals contemplating a nomination are encouraged to contact the Awards Committee with questions.

PLEASE SUBMIT COMPLETE NOMINATION FILES VIA EMAIL TO:

American Peptide Society Awards Committee ([APSnomination@gmail.com](mailto:APSnomination@gmail.com))