## UAB. HEERSINK SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

## Max Cooper Award for Career Excellence in Research

**DEADLINE:** March 8, 2024, 5:00 p.m.

**APPLY NOW** 

The Max Cooper Award for Career Excellence in Research recognizes outstanding research achievements by DOM faculty. This award recognizes researchers who have gained national recognition for important research discoveries over their scientific career.

The DOM is committed to ensuring all faculty, staff and trainees feel valued and respected regardless of race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, rank or title. The pursuit of excellence through a commitment to diversity and inclusion is reflected in our three pillars, which are research, education and patient care.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

The Max Cooper Award is given annually to faculty with a primary appointment in the DOM at the level of Associate or Full Professor.

Qualified candidates will demonstrate a sustained track record of outstanding research achievements. The candidate should also demonstrate research excellence both as an independent investigator and through collaborative and multidisciplinary research initiatives. In addition, qualifications may further include substantial mentorship of others in research, and professional service activities involving research.

## **SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

Demonstrated evidence of research accomplishments includes, but is not limited to:

UAB formatted CV that contains:

- Important contributions to scientific advancement
- Track record of sustained research funding, which may include individual, group, programmatic, and multidisciplinary projects
- Service to national and/or international research organizations
- Substantial and meaningful mentoring of students, residents, fellows, junior faculty, and/or other trainees in research
- Direct experiences, research and/or scholarship contributes to diversity and/or the promotion of health equity

Please note that any UAB Faculty Member may nominate, applicants may self-nominate, and more than one person from a division is eligible to apply.