

**Office of Research, Graduate Programmes & International Relations**  
**Call for Submissions for The College of The Bahamas**  
**Stanley Wilson Award for Excellence in Research**

1. In June 2003, during his remarks at the Commencement Exercise of The College of The Bahamas, the then Council Chairman, Mr. Franklyn R. Wilson, CMG, announced the establishment of an endowment fund, the expressed purpose of which was to facilitate the implementation of an Award for Excellence in Research.
2. The Stanley Wilson Award for Excellence in Research 2010 will be presented at the Spring 2010 Commencement Exercises. The College is now seeking submissions for consideration. Evaluation of submissions for the Award will focus on identifying those which best meet the criteria listed in Item 3 below.

**Criteria for Assessment of Research**

3. The criteria for the Award reflect the overarching goals of the current strategic plan of The College of The Bahamas. The research must enhance the reputation of The College as an institution of excellence. The work should make a significant contribution to international as well as Bahamian research literature, support national or curriculum development and should involve collaboration.

**Eligibility for Award**

4. Submissions must meet the following criteria:
  - 4.1 the research must have been conducted while at least one of the authors was a full-time or part-time faculty member of The College of The Bahamas;
  - 4.2 the research must have been published (including e-published, or accepted for publication) in a peer-reviewed or academic publication since **14<sup>th</sup> March 2009**;
  - 4.3 research undertaken by faculty in partial fulfillment of an academic programme will not be eligible;
  - 4.4 research involving The College of The Bahamas students and directed by faculty will be eligible only if the faculty member is a senior author to any student authors;
  - 4.5 a copy of the submitted article must be lodged with The College of The Bahamas library system;
  - 4.6 submissions must be received by the Office of Research, Graduate Programmes & International Relations no later than 4:00pm on the **12<sup>th</sup> March 2010**; and
  - 4.7 submissions must include all information noted in item 5 below.

**Submissions**

- 5 Each submission must include:
  - 5.1 a completed application form (available from the Office of Research, Graduate Programmes & International Relations and via The College's web site at [www.cob.edu.bs](http://www.cob.edu.bs)) and appropriate supporting documents;
  - 5.2 a copy of the publication (or the accepted draft with the publisher's/editor's letter of acceptance for publication).

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**Application Form**

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION: 12<sup>TH</sup> March 2010, no later than 4:00pm

First author/editor:..... Date of Application...../2010

Affiliation:.....

Email address..... Telephone number:.....

Other authors:.....

Name of author/editor employed by The College of The Bahamas when the research was being done:

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Title of publication:.....

Where published:.....

Date (or expected date) of publication:.....

I confirm that a copy of the publication has been lodged with the Library System of The College of The Bahamas

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***Below is a check list of attachments required with your submission***

Copy of publication attached     Copy of accepted draft     (Tick one)

*If you are submitting an accepted draft include:*

A letter from the editor/publisher indicating that it has been accepted

Letters from all joint authors acknowledging that this publication has been submitted for consideration for the Award

Signature of Applicant:.....

Name of applicant (Please print/type):.....