



**AUSTRALIAN AND NEW ZEALAND
COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SCIENTISTS**

MOST COMMENDABLE PAPER IN AN INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL

Purpose of the award: To highlight the scientific contribution members of the College make to the veterinary community internationally. This award will be specifically aimed at journal articles that provide insight to the pathogenesis of a disease condition, or substantially alter the treatment or prevention of disease.

Selection criteria

The applicant must:

- a. Be a financially current member, associate member or fellow of the College
- b. Not have received the award in the previous five (5) years
- c. Must be first named or senior author for the paper under consideration.

Selection process

1. The College will call for nominations in November via email and in the College Courier, requesting nominations for papers published by active/financial members in a peer-reviewed international journal in the preceding 12 months (AVJ, AVP and NZVJ not applicable).
2. Nominations (open source or attached as a document) are to be sent to the Australian and New Zealand College of Veterinary Scientists, online (email/form) or by post to Building 3/2404 Logan Road, Eight Mile Plains, Queensland 4113.
3. Nominations close **end of February each year**, and no nominations will be accepted after this date, unless otherwise advised.
4. Members are permitted, even encouraged, to nominate papers which they have authored.

Selection Panel

The President, past President (or a sitting Member of Council) and Awards Convenor of the Australian and New Zealand College of Veterinary Scientists. Should any of these individuals have a conflict of interest with any of the applicants, an alternative member of Council will be appointed for this selection.

Judgements are final and no further correspondence will be entered into.