



# Quantum Bio-Inorganic Chemistry Society

*Call for Nominations for the*

**Quantum Bio-Inorganic Chemistry Society Award 2023**

*and the*

**Quantum Bio-Inorganic Chemistry Society Award 2024**

The Quantum Bio-Inorganic Chemistry Society e.V., founded in 2018, aims to advance science and research in theoretical and computational chemistry applied to questions in inorganic chemistry and bioinorganic chemistry, including any method developments that benefit these areas of chemistry.

The QBIC Society opens a call for nominations for the recently instated *Quantum Bio-Inorganic Chemistry Society Award* for the years 2023 and 2024. Information on the previous awardees, Dr. Martin Srnec (2020) and Dr. Ragnar Björnsson (2021), can be found on the QBIC website.

The award is intended to recognise outstanding contributions in the field of inorganic and bioinorganic chemistry that were achieved with theoretical, quantum chemical or computational methods. It will recognise a specific body of work that established new chemical or physical insights into a long-standing question, developed a new method or concept, or defined a new research direction. Nominations shall state the specific contribution, which may be published in one paper or a series of papers, and how this work has impacted the research field. The committee takes into account the academic age of the nominees; please note that the award is explicitly not intended as a lifetime achievement award. Both awardees will be given the opportunity to present their research in an award lecture at the next international QBIC meeting in 2025.

Nominations take the form of a letter addressing all points above and a CV of the nominee. Nominations are due on February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024, 6 pm CET, and shall be e-mailed to Prof. Dr. Vera Krewald, TU Darmstadt, [krewald@chemie.tu-darmstadt.de](mailto:krewald@chemie.tu-darmstadt.de).

The decision by the award committee, consisting of the elected board members of the QBIC Society e.V., is final and cannot be disputed. Self-nominations and nominations of board members are not considered.