



Terms of reference for best MAC ID Faculty publications

To encourage the researchers of MAHE to publish high-quality original research work in the field of Infectious Diseases and to benchmark research output towards the most influential highly cited publications, MAC ID will provide awards for best MAC ID Faculty publications in the field of infectious diseases.

Eligibility and terms of reference:

- Articles published should be original research work undertaken in MAHE
- Only MAC ID Faculty members from MAHE are eligible for MAC ID publication award
- MACID Faculty should be the 1st Author or Corresponding Author
- Only Infectious Diseases articles will be considered
- Only Q1 and Q2 research articles as per Cite Score percentile will be eligible for the award.
- Articles published between **1st April 2023 till 31st March 2024** will be eligible.
- Total of 2 awards with a cash award of INR 5,000/each will be given.
- If more than one MAC ID members are authors in the same publication, the prize money may be shared among them. As a broad guideline, the following principle may be used. 2/3rd of the award money will be shared equally by the first author and the corresponding author who are MAC ID members and the rest 1/3rd will be shared equally by all the other authors who are MAC ID members.
- Certificates will be provided to all authors for the award winning publication
- The corresponding author or first author shall take the responsibility to send the eligible MAC ID articles to MAC ID (macid.mu@manipal.edu) by in the specified format.
- The research papers will be shortlisted by MAC ID and sent to the Directorate of Research. Further selection will be according to the rules for the faculty Award Incentive for Research (FAIR) publication policy of MAHE dated August 1, 2023. The award will be finalized by DOR after 2 reviewers assess the manuscript.
- Book chapter, reviews, case series, short surveys, letter to the editor, erratum, replies, conference abstracts and articles in the press do not qualify for the award.

➤ Publications will be scored as per the scoring rubric below:

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1	Relevance of the Research area	5
2	Publications Impact Factor	5
3	Collaborative/Interdisciplinary Work	5
4	Quartiles <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Q1-5• Q2-2.5	Maximum 5
5	Patented Research Work / Contribution to Society through Technology Development	5
	Total score	25