



William Evans Fellowship Nomination Form

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Instructions

- **Each round considers nominations for visits that fall within a specific timeframe.**
Round one: semester two of same year, and summer school and semester one of the following year.
Round two: summer school and semesters one & two of the following year.
- **Compile the nomination in this order:**
 1. Nomination form
 2. Letters of support from Departments
 3. Curriculum Vitae
- **Deliver or post 8 double-sided, b/w copies to:**
EA to the Director, Human Resources, Room 127, 1st floor, Clock tower Building.

Name	Sample Application (Professor X)
Home Institution	Y University
Postal Address	100 Sample Road, Sample City, Sample Country, 1234
Individual's experience and expertise	<p>X is an internationally recognised scholar whose expertise extends to several areas of interest to this Department and the University. We are fortunate to have a candidate of his/her standing to put forward for a William Evans award. This application has the support of all academic staff in the Department.</p> <p>X is a leading international figure in the synthesis of natural products, with particular emphasis on those derived biogenetically from amino acids. Their interests are in compounds, which show biological activity and have unusual substructures such as large (macrocycle) rings. He has developed new stereo specific approaches to molecules containing piperidine and pyrrolidine sub-units, carbon-carbon bond formation with heterocyclic synthons, and the use of heterocycles and sulfonamides as amide bond isosteres in peptide mimics.</p> <p>X has written (Z amount) widely cited reviews on heterocyclic chemistry, various synthetic methods and natural products. He has over (Z amount) publications in respected international journals and maintains a large research group. He/She has given numerous invited lectures at conferences, Universities and to industry groups throughout Europe and the United States.</p> <p>As (position) at the Y University, X is heavily involved in teaching development particularly in the use of modern information technology. He/She contributes to the production of the CAL software packages and is involved in the production of integrated multi-media courses for distance teaching in Chemistry.</p> <p>X also has considerable experience in the area of Quality Assurance in Higher Education. As the Y University Facilitator for the Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education (QAA) he/she has been involved in quality audit and benchmarking activities both locally and nationally.</p>



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	<p>Leadership experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Head of Department of Chemistry, Y University • Chair of the Research Degrees Committee, Y University • Member of the Standing Committee of the Higher Education Chemistry Conference Member of the Synthetic and Biological Chemistry College of the EPSRC • Y University Facilitator for the Quality Assurance Agency for Higher Education Member of the QAA Chemistry Benchmarking Group
<p>Clear statement of goals and objectives for the visit (e.g. lectures, research, new developments)</p>	<p>Interest and expertise in the synthesis of biologically active organic molecules complainants the research interest of all of the organic chemists in the chemistry department, namely, Q field also overlaps the interests of the Plant Extracts Research Unit (PERU) located here and is relevant to the major Biological Chemistry Research Theme in the Department.</p> <p>One of X's principal current research interests is in the synthesis of novel amino acids with functional side-chains. While at Otago he will explore free radical synthetic methodology for the modification of amino acid systems. This is an area of continuing research in this department.</p> <p>X will present a 3 lecture course on applications of synthesis in natural products Chemistry to 400-level students in the Department. There will also be opportunities for postgraduate students and staff to attend this course and may be of interest to staff and students from other Departments, particularly Pharmacy and Biochemistry.</p> <p>X will present at least one Departmental Seminar on his/her recent work in heterocyclic Chemistry which will be of broad interest to staff and postgraduate students in the Department. He/she could also present a lecture of more general interest (perhaps an Open Lecture) on the use of Information Technology in distance teaching.</p> <p>X will share his/her expertise on computer-aided-learning (CAL) and multi- media techniques for course delivery with staff in the Chemistry Department and, in particular the Department's multimedia group and staff from the HEDC with interests in this area. Their expertise in these areas will also be of interest to other Departments or Centres involved in, or contemplating, the use of multi-media techniques for distance education.</p> <p>X has had considerable experience in the areas of benchmarking and Quality Audit procedures in the British context. His/her presence in the University will therefore provide an opportunity for them to share this experience with senior staff in the University and the Quality Audit Committee.</p>
<p>Value to Department</p>	<p>Staff and students will have the opportunity to interact with a high profile academic with great experience in teaching and research from an international perspective.</p>



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	<p>X will undertake a short-term research project with relevance to work currently in progress in the Department.</p> <p>Honours, MSc students and others will benefit from a ten-lecture course in an area of relevance to work undertaken in the Department but presented from an international perspective.</p> <p>X will share his/her experience in the production and use of CAL and multi- media teaching applications with staff from the Department.</p> <p>Staff will benefit from the opportunity to discuss the application of synthetic and natural product chemistry in an industrial context with a person with considerable experience in this area.</p>	
Value to wider University (including other Departments)	<p>Staff in other Departments, particularly those in the biomedical sciences and pharmacy will have the opportunity to discuss current research in bio-organic chemistry with an acknowledged international expert in the field.</p> <p>Departments and Centres (e.g. HEDC) will have the opportunity to discuss distance teaching as practiced at Y University, and the application of recent developments in information technology on the production and delivery of distant taught courses.</p> <p>X will be available for discussions with senior management in the University on matters pertaining to quality assurance and audit procedures from an international perspective.</p>	
Proposed dates of visit <i>(if dates do not largely fall within standard semester time or summer school please explain why)</i>		
Anticipated Funding <i>(please provide a brief breakdown of estimated costs)</i>	William Evans (max \$7,500)	
	Other funding	
Host within Department	X Sample	
Administrator responsible for administering grant	Y Sample	