

KAWAI, Maki Director General	The Japan Academy Prize “Single Molecule Spectroscopy Elucidating Chemical Reactions at Solid Surfaces”
FUJITA, Makoto Division of Advanced Molecular Science	The 73 rd Chunichi Cultural Award “Creation and Applications of Self-Assembled Molecular Systems”
ISHIZAKI, Akihito Theoretical and Computational Molecular Science	The 16 th JSPS Prize The 16 th Japan Academy Medal “Theoretical Development of Quantum Dissipative Dynamics and Its Application to Primary Processes of Photosynthesis”
YAMAMOTO, Hiroshi Research Center of Integrative Molecular Systems	The NAGAI Foundation for Science & Technology Academic Award “Fabrication of Nano Scale Thin-Film Organic Conductors and Their Application to Electronic Materials”
OKAMOTO, Hiromi Center for Mesoscopic Sciences	The Commendation for Science and Technology by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology Awards for Science and Technology Research Category “Development of Novel Nano-Optical Observation Methods and Studies on Spatial Characteristics of Plasmons”
SUGIMOTO, Toshiki Materials Molecular Science	The 12 th Young Scientist Awards of the Japan Society for Molecular Science “Elucidation of Unique Functions and Hydrogen-Bonded Structures of the Water Molecular Aggregates by Sum-Frequency-Generation Vibrational Spectroscopy” The 14 th Young Scientist Award of the Physical Society of Japan “Unveiling Unique Structures and Properties of Hydrogen Bonds of Water Molecules Induced by Inversion Symmetry Breaking at Solid Surfaces”
KOBAYASHI, Genki Materials Molecular Science	Morino Foundation for Molecular Science 2019 “Study on the Ionic Conductive Materials toward Developing the Next Generation Energy Devices”
KUSAMOTO, Tetsuro Life and Coordination-Complex Molecular Science	Research Encouragement Award, Japan Society of Coordination Chemistry “Development of Photofunctions of Open-Shell Molecules Based on Coordination Chemistry”
KURAMOCHI, Hikaru Research Center of Integrative Molecular Systems	The Commendation for Science and Technology by the Minister of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology The Young Scientists’ Award “Studies on Ultrafast Structural Dynamics of Complex Molecules by Extreme Spectroscopy” Morino Foundation for Molecular Science 2020 “Study on the Femtosecond Structural Dynamics of Complex Molecular Systems by Extreme Time-Domain Raman Spectroscopy Using Few-Cycle Pulses”
IIDA, Kenji Theoretical and Computational Molecular Science	The 12 th Young Scientist Awards of the Japan Society for Molecular Science “Elucidation of the Response Mechanism of Nano Interface Systems to Light and Voltage”
NGUYEN, Thanh Phuc Theoretical and Computational Molecular Science	The 9 th Young Scientist Award of National Institutes of Natural Sciences “Theoretical Studies on Quantum Dynamics of Atoms and Molecules”
IZAWA, Seiichiro Materials Molecular Science	Kao Foundation for Arts and Sciences Award “Precise Control of Donor/Acceptor Interface for Efficient Organic Solar Cells”

AWARDS

NAKAMURA, Akihiko
Life and Coordination-Complex
Molecular Science

The 15th Early Career Award in Biophysics of the Biophysical Society of Japan
“Crystalline Chitin Hydrolase Is a Burnt-Bridge Brownian Motor”

FUJIWARA, Motoyasu
ASADA, Mizue
IKI, Shinako
Instrument Center

Nanotechnology Platform Japan The Best Technical Support Contribution Award
“Technical Supporting of Electron Spin Resonance”

KONDO, Takuhiko
Equipment Development Center

The Chemical Society of Japan Award for Technical Achievements for 2019
“Development of Experimental Equipment and Ultra-Precision Polishing Technology
for Promoting Molecular Science”