2018 National Academy of Sciences Award

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The National Academy of Sciences (NAS) will honor 19 individuals with awards in recognition of their extraordinary scientific achievements in a wide range of fields spanning the physical, biological, and medical sciences. Congratulations to Damon Runyon alumnus and mentor **Howard Y. Chang, MD, PhD (Damon Runyon Scholar '06-'08),** of Stanford University School of Medicine, Stanford, who will receive the 2018 NAS Award in Molecular Biology for the discovery of long noncoding RNAs and the invention of genomic technologies.

Read more about all the NAS 2018 award winners here.

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