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Research and Consultancy Committee UTAS-Nizwa Best Research Paper Award

About BRPA Competition:

UTAS-Nizwa conducts the best research paper award competition for staff every year to recognize their best research publications. Staff can submit their research papers published during **September 2020- August 2021** for the competition. **One** best research paper will be selected from each academic department/centre for the award.

Eligibility Criteria:

- ✓ Applicants must be the **first, second, or third** author in a published research paper.
- ✓ The publication should be **affiliated** with **UTAS-Nizwa**.
- ✓ Staff can submit a maximum of **two** research papers for the competition, with **separate** applications.
- ✓ Research publications, having **more than one author** from UTAS-Nizwa, can jointly participate in the competition (One application to be submitted).
- ✓ Research papers published in **refereed journals** are **only** accepted for the award competition.
- ✓ Conference papers are accepted for competition if they have **more than five citations** or **won first/second awards in the conference**.
- ✓ The research paper must fall under one of the research fields of the applicant's department and be published in related field journals.
- ✓ The research paper should have been published during the **last** academic year (**September 2020- August 2021**).

