

CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS

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Center for Ethics and Social Responsibility Best Paper Award *Center for Ethics and Social Responsibility Highest Impact Paper Award*

Submissions are invited for both the Center for Ethics and Social Responsibility (CESR) Best Paper Award and the CESR Highest Impact Paper Award.

The purpose of the awards is to provide an incentive for Leeds researchers to focus their efforts on enhancing the development of research in the following areas:

- Business solutions to environmental challenges
- Diversity and inclusion
- Ethical leadership

The above areas are broadly defined and submissions from all disciplines are encouraged. All Leeds faculty members are eligible. Each award carries with it a \$1,000 transfer to the Faculty Discretionary Account (FDA) for the winner.

- 1) The *CESR Best Paper Award* will be made to the author(s) of the paper that is judged to best reflect the tradition of academic scholarship and be of relevance for business and society at large.
- 2) The *CESR Highest Impact Paper Award* will be made to the author(s) of the paper that has gained the most press/media mentions in addition to academic citations.

Rules and Submission Procedures

Papers must be based on original research and have been published within the two calendar years preceding the award year (2023-2024).

Each faculty member is limited to one paper submission per year. Submissions will be considered for both awards simultaneously. Papers not selected for the award may be re-submitted for consideration in subsequent years, subject to the two-year limitation.

The Selection Committee consists of CESR's Executive Director, Director of Operations, and Faculty Director; the Associate Dean for Research and Academics; and the Associate Dean for Business & Government Relations.

To submit a paper for consideration, e-mail a pdf file of the paper and any supplementary materials (e.g., listing of media coverage, awards, etc.) to Clare Wang, the Faculty Director of CESR by January 15, 2025. The awards will be announced by March 15, 2025.