Connaught Mid-Career Researcher

Year	Recipient	Department/ Faculty	Project
2026-27	Cendri Hutcherson	Department of Psychology, UTSc	New approaches for understanding goal achievement and mental well-being: building a sustainable multimodal "digital life" research platform
	D. Luke Mahler	Department of Ecology & Evolutionary Biology	Evolutionary opportunity and the richness of ecological communities
	Rob Ness	Department of Biology, UTM	Does perfect DNA repair come at a cost?
	Nicolas Papernot	Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering	Machine Learning Algorithms and Regulatory Mechanisms for the Governance of Safe Artificial Intelligence
2025-26	Hilary Brown	Department of Health & Society	Healthcare Provider Training on Disability and Sexual and Reproductive Health
	Katherine Duncan	Department of Psychology	Event Perception as a Window to Brain Health: Investigating Idiosyncrasy in Neural Dynamics Across Aging
	Alexander Ensminger	Department of Biochemistry	Evolution vs Artificial Intelligence: Establishing Design Principles of Pathogenic Inhibition
	Irina D. Mihalache	Faculty of Information	Re-Writing National History in Romanian Museums, 1850s - 1989: Stories from Museum Professionals
	Thierry Mallevaey	Department of Immunology	Exploring the roles of MAIT cells in intestinal inflammation