

Six to get **UWI** awards

Six awards will be presented at the **UWI** Vice-Chancellor's Awards for Excellence 2016/2017.

A university tradition for more than 20 years, the awards recognise excellence in teaching, administration and research accomplishments, service to the university community, contributions to public service, and all-round excellence in a combination of two or more core areas and a departmental award for service and operational excellence.

This year, two new awards are added: Excellence in Multi-Campus Research Collaboration: the **One-UWI** Award and Excellence in International Collaboration: the Globalisation Award.

Although the presentation ceremony is traditionally rotated annually among the university's four campuses, this year's ceremony returns to the **UWI** St Augustine Campus in T&T on October 25.

The 2016/2017 awardees are as follows:

■ Excellence Award for Teaching—Dr Jacqueline Bridge, Department of Mechanical and Manufacturing and Engineering, St Augustine Campus

■ Excellence Award for Research Accomplishments—Professor Chris Oura, School of Veterinary Medicine, St Augustine Campus and Professor Ian R Hambleton, The George Alleyne Chronic Disease Research Centre, Cave Hill Campus (formerly the Chronic Disease Research Centre)

■ Excellence Award for Contribution to Public Service—Dr Indra Haraksingh, Department of Physics, St Augustine Campus

■ Excellence in International Collaboration: Globalisation Award—The Project for Ecosystem Services, Department of Life Sciences, St Augustine Campus

■ Excellence in Multi-Campus Research Collaboration: The One **UWI** Award—Evaluation of the CARICOM Heads of Government 2007 Port of Spain Non-Communicable Diseases (NCD) Summit Declaration - Dr T. Alafia Samuels, Principal Investigator, The George Alleyne Chronic Disease Research Centre, Cave Hill Campus (formerly the Chronic Disease Research Centre)