

## GUIDELINES FOR THE CONFERENCE AWARDS

### YOUNG INVESTIGATOR AWARDS

The following *Young Investigator Awards* will be given based on the quality of the original manuscripts.

*The Aydin Aytac, MD, Young Investigator Award*  
*The Helmut Reul, PhD, Young Investigator Award*  
*The William S. Pierce, MD, Young Investigator Award*  
*The John A. Waldhausen, MD, Young Investigator Award*  
*The William G. Williams, MD, Young Investigator Award*  
*The Penn State Children's Hospital Young Investigator Award*

In order to apply for a *Young Investigator Award*, the candidate must be less than 40 years of age, must have completed his/her training, and must be employed as a Postdoctoral Fellow, Research Associate, or Instructor, or at a level no greater than Assistant Professor in an institution.

The following guidelines must be adhered to for consideration for the *Young Investigator Awards*.

STEP 1: The candidate must submit an abstract for consideration (EXTENDED DEADLINE is February 26), and request that the committee consider the abstract for a *Young Investigator Award*.

STEP 2: Members of the Scientific Committee will decide if the quality of the abstract is adequate for consideration. Before or on March 15, the candidate will receive official notification via e-mail regarding the abstract.

STEP 3: The candidate must submit the following by April 6, 2007, to be considered as an award finalist:

- a full manuscript
- CV
- letter from the chair of the department stating the candidate's position
- copies of related articles the candidate published previously

All manuscripts will be peer-reviewed and published in the ASAIO Journal. Please refer to the ASAIO author guidelines at [www.asaio.com](http://www.asaio.com) (specifically <http://www.asaio.com/index.php?submenu=JOURNAL&src=gendocs&link=InfoAuthors&category=Journal> )

STEP 4: Members of the Scientific Committee will choose the awardees. Award winners will be announced on May 17, 2007.

Each awardee will receive a plaque and \$500 (USD).

## **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING AWARDS**

In order to apply for a *Biomedical Engineering Award*, the candidate must be enrolled in a Bioengineering Department as an undergraduate/graduate student, or in an entry-level position in a company.

The following guidelines must be adhered to for consideration for a *Biomedical Engineering Award*.

STEP 1: The candidate must submit an abstract for consideration (EXTENDED DEADLINE is February 26, 2007), and request that the committee consider the abstract for a *Biomedical Engineering Award*.

STEP 2: Members of the Scientific Committee will decide if the quality of the abstract is adequate for consideration. Before or on March 15, the candidate will receive official notification via e-mail regarding the abstract.

STEP 3: The candidate must submit the following by April 6, 2007, to be considered as an award finalist:

- a full manuscript
- CV
- letter from the chair of the department stating the candidate's position
- copies of related articles the candidate published previously

All original manuscripts will be peer-reviewed and published in the ASAIO Journal. Please refer to the ASAIO author guidelines at [www.asaio.com](http://www.asaio.com) (specifically <http://www.asaio.com/index.php?submenu=JOURNAL&src=gendocs&link=InfoAuthors&category=Journal> )

STEP 4: Members of Scientific Committee will choose the awardees. Award winners will be announced on May 17, 2007.

Each awardee will receive a plaque and \$500 (USD).

## RESIDENT AWARDS

In order to apply for a *Resident Award*, the candidate must be currently enrolled in a Residency Program in an institution.

The following guidelines must be adhered to for consideration for the *Resident Awards*.

STEP 1: The candidate must submit an abstract for consideration (EXTENDED DEADLINE is February 26), and request that the committee consider the abstract for a *Resident Award*.

STEP 2: Members of the Scientific Committee will decide if the quality of the abstract is adequate for consideration. Before or on March 15, he/she will receive the official confirmation via e-mail regarding the abstract.

STEP 3: The candidate must submit the following by April 6, 2007, to be considered as an award finalist:

- a full manuscript
- CV
- letter from the chair of the department stating the candidate's position
- copies of related articles the candidate published previously

All original manuscripts will be peer-reviewed and published in the ASAIO Journal. Please refer to the ASAIO author guidelines at [www.asaio.com](http://www.asaio.com) (specifically <http://www.asaio.com/index.php?submenu=JOURNAL&src=gendocs&link=InfoAuthors&category=Journal> )

STEP 4: Members of Scientific Committee will choose the awardees. Award winners will be announced on May 17, 2007.

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