

VII-G-Meggers

2015 Meggers Award Committee -- Midterm Report

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Following members were appointed to serve as a member of the 2015 Meggers Award Committee during the period between March 2015 and March 2016.

Meggers Award

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The committee is charged to select the outstanding paper in Applied Spectroscopy from the 2015 issues according to the SAS bylaw stated below.

This award is given to the author(s) of the outstanding paper appearing in Applied Spectroscopy. It is awarded at the Society for Applied Spectroscopy award ceremony held at the fall meeting following the calendar year of publication and shall consist of a scroll and an honorarium of \$500.00. The honorarium shall be shared equally in the case where the paper has more than one author. Financial assistance may be provided by the Society for Applied Spectroscopy. Arrangements must be approved by the Executive Administrator.

Committee members are continuously evaluating the candidate papers for the Award throughout the year. Michael Blade is periodically updating the publication list of Applied Spectroscopy papers tabulated in Excel format. To avoid unnecessarily influencing the individual judgment, the selected candidates will be kept undisclosed until the end of the year, when the ranking and final voting of the best paper will take place according to the same procedure used in the past. Isao Noda will coordinate the ranking and voting process.

Isao Noda
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