

Committee to Select the Winner of the Satter Prize

General Description

- Committee is standing
- Number of members is three
- Term is four years

Members are appointed by the President.

Principal Activities

The prize is to be awarded for an outstanding contribution to research in mathematics during the past six years. It is to be given to a woman mathematician. This committee will report its biennial recommendation to the Executive Committee of the Council which will in turn act on the reports of the committee. The award will be presented at the Prize Session of the Business Meeting held during the Annual Meeting of the Society in odd numbered years, the first award to be made in 1991.

Other Activities

Miscellaneous Information

The business of this committee can be done by mail, electronic mail, or telephone, expenses which may be reimbursed by the Society.

The prize was funded by a contribution from Professor Joan Birman to honor the memory of Ruth Lyttle Satter.

Note to the Chair

Committee chairs should be informed, at the beginning of each fiscal period, of the budget of their committees and cautioned to remain within the budget. Such items as travel reimbursement, accommodations, and meals for guests of any kind fall within these budgets.

Work done by committees on recurring problems may have value as precedent or work done may have historical interest. Because of this, the Council has requested that a central file system be maintained for the Society by the Secretary. Committees are reminded that a copy of every sheet of paper should be deposited (say once a year) in this central file. Confidential material should be noted, so that it can be handled in a confidential manner.

Authorization

Council Minutes, 16 January 1990, item 9.1

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Past Members

A list of current and past members is available here:

<http://www.ams.org/about-us/governance/committees/satter-past.html>

Past Recipients

<http://www.ams.org/profession/prizes-awards/pabrowse?purl=satter-prize>

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