Mathematics Opportunities

Call For Nominations: Monroe Martin Prize

The Institute for Physical Science and Technology (IPST) at the University of Maryland, College Park, announces the sixth Monroe Martin Prize. The prize will be awarded for an outstanding paper in applied mathematics (including numerical analysis) by a young research worker. A candidate for the prize must be a resident of North America and must not have reached his or her thirty-sixth birthday by the filing deadline. The submitted paper must be by a single author and have been published or accepted for publication in the open literature. The work must not have been performed in connection with the completion of requirements for an academic degree, nor may it have been performed by an author associated with the University of Maryland.

Applications from qualified candidates or nominations are solicited for the Monroe Martin Prize. Entries should include a copy of the paper or contribution with a covering letter and, for full consideration, be submitted on or before **July 31, 2000,** to: J. A. Yorke, Director, Institute for Physical Sciences and Technology, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742.

The award will be announced by November 1, 2000. The recipient will be asked to present his or her work at the Monroe Martin Lecture at the University of Maryland in December 2000 and will be awarded a prize of $2,000 plus travel expenses.

The Monroe Martin Prize was established to commemorate the achievements of Monroe Martin, former director of the Institute for Fluid Dynamics and Applied Mathematics and former chair of the Department of Mathematics at the University of Maryland. Previous winners of the Monroe Martin Prize are Neil Berger (1975), Marshall Slemrod (1980), Jonathan Goodman (1985), Marek Rychlik (1990), A. M. Stuart (1995), and Z. Xia (1995).

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News from the Mittag-Leffler Institute

The Mittag-Leffler Institute in Djursholm, Sweden, will devote its academic year 2000-01 to the topic of mathematical logic. The organizing committee consists of Viggo Stoltenberg-Hansen, Uppsala; Per Martin-Löf, Stockholm; Dag Normann, Oslo; and Jouko Väänänen, Helsinki.

The deadline for applications for postdoctoral fellowships is **January 31, 2000**. Application materials should be sent to Marie-Louise Koskull, Mittag-Leffler Institute, Auravägen 17, SE-182 62 Djursholm, Sweden.

For further information consult the Institute's Web site, `http://www.ml.kva.se/`.

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