AMS BOOK PRIZE

New Prize

At its meeting in January 2003, the AMS Council approved the establishment of a new award called the AMS Book Prize. It will be presented every three years for a single, relatively recent, outstanding research book that makes a seminal contribution to the research literature, reflects the highest standards of research exposition and promises to have a deep and long-term impact in its area.

The Book Prize Selection Committee requests nominations for the initial award, which will be presented at the Joint Mathematics Meetings in Atlanta, GA, in January 2005.

Books may be nominated by members of the Society, by members of the selection committee, by members of AMS Editorial Committees or by publishers. For each nominated book, the nominator should include a short description of the work, with complete bibliographic citations when appropriate. The nomination must also include a letter that articulates the ways in which the book satisfies the stated purpose of the prize. The letter should not exceed two pages. Published submitting nominations must provide a single copy of each book they

Nominations should be submitted to the AMS Secretary, Robert J. Daverman, American Mathematical Society, 312D Ayres Hall, University of Tennessee, Knoxville TN 37996-1330. The nominations will be forwarded by the Secretary to the Prize Selection Committee, which will make the final decision on the award.

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most three books.

Deadline for nominations is June 1, 2004.

