EMS: Outstanding Paper Award 2012

The European Microscopy Society (EMS) again organizes the "Outstanding Paper Award" (OutPA) for 2012. The award will go to papers containing original work in the field of microscopy which will be judged on scientific merit, technical and general quality, expected impact, originality and relevance to microscopy. One paper will be chosen in each of the categories of (i) Instrumentation and Technique Development, (ii) Materials Science and (iii) Life Sciences. The prize consists of 1000 (one thousand) euro plus a metal-on-wood plaque for the first author(s) (per awarded paper) in each category and certificates for all authors and will be presented during the EMS Extension MC 2013 in Regensburg, August 25-30, 2013.

Nominations may arise from any individual EMS member who is not part of the author list of the nominated paper. A cover letter from the eligible EMS member nominating the paper and describing why this paper is a good candidate for the EMS OutPA must be included. The letter should also include the category to which the paper is nominated (i.e. Instrumentation and Technique Development, Materials Sciences or Life Sciences)

For the 2012 award, papers published from January 1 to December 31, 2012 in peer-reviewed journals with known impact factor can be submitted for consideration until January 15, 2013. Reprints of nominated papers can be send by e-mail to the EMS Secretary at secr@eurmicsoc.org. Winners will be announced towards the end of the first quarter of 2013.

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