

**CALL FOR NOMINATIONS FOR
THE 1988 METTLER AWARD IN THERMAL
ANALYSIS**

The North American Thermal Analysis Society (NATAS) welcomes nominations for the 1988 Mettler Award in Thermal Analysis. This annual award sponsored by the Mettler Instrument Corporation consists of a certificate, a \$ 2,000.000 honorarium, and travel allowance to the 17th NATAS meeting in Orlando, FL (September, 1988).

The award is to recognize and encourage work in and distinguished service to the field of dynamic thermal analysis, including but not restricted to thermogravimetry, differential thermal analysis, and effluent gas analysis. A nominee must have performed outstanding service in the field of dynamic thermal analysis or performed outstanding creative work in the creation of or refinement of measurement techniques of generally wide interest during the preceding five years.

The previous recipients of the Mettler Award are:

1968 – R. C. MacKenzie	1978 – John K. Gillham
1969 – Robert L. Stone	1979 – David Dollimore
1970 – Wesley W. Wendlandt	1980 – Joseph H. Flynn
1971 – Bernhard Wunderlich	1981 – Takeo Ozawa
1972 – Ferenc and Jenő Paulik	1982 – Jen Chiu
1973 – Edward M. Barall, III	1983 – Roger S. Porter
1974 – Jaroslaw Šestak	1984 – Leo Mandelkern
1975 – Franz Karasz	1985 – Edith A. Turi
1976 – Patrick K. Gallagher	1986 – Hans G. Wiedemann
1977 – H. Kambe	1987 – Harvey E. Bair

Nominations should include a description of the accomplishments of the nominee that are relevant to the Mettler Award. Nominations will be accepted through December 31, 1987 and the award will be announced by April 1, 1988.

Nominations should be sent to:

Andrew R. McGhie
1988 NATAS Awards Chairman
University of Pennsylvania
L.R.S.M.
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THE NATAS STUDENT AWARD

The North American Thermal Analysis society, NATAS, has established a new award, the NATAS Student Award, to recognize an original theoretical or experimental contribution to the advancement of the field of thermal analysis by a graduate student.

The award will consist of an inscribed plaque and all necessary and reasonable expenses (travel, registration and accommodation) to enable the student to attend the annual meeting of the society in the year in which the award is made. The awardee is expected to make an oral presentation of his work as a special award lecture during the annual meeting.

The award is restricted to graduate students enrolled in masters and doctoral programs at universities and colleges in North America who have not submitted their thesis before Jan. 1st of the year in which the award is made.

To apply for this award a student should submit an original research paper, not to exceed 10 pages in length, using the format required for NATAS conference proceedings. Application forms and guidelines for submission can be obtained from the Awards Committee vice-chairman, Dr. Andrew R. McGhie, L.R.S.M. University of Pennsylvania, 3231 Walnut Street Philadelphia PA. The closing date for applications will be April 1st and the selection of the awardee will be made by July 1st of the year in which the award is made.

Applications are currently being sought for the 1988 NATAS Student Award.