The 2004 winners of the C. W. Cotterman Awards, honoring the first editor of *The American Journal of Human Genetics* (July 1949–March 1952), are Weimin Bi and

Dana Crawford. Chosen by the *AJHG* editorial board as the two outstanding student articles published September 2003–August 2004, the winning articles are:



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