

## **Neuroimaging Awards for "Best Papers"**

***Mission and Background:*** The Alzheimer's Association has a long history of supporting scientific conferences that advance research on Alzheimer's disease. One of the principal goals of the Association from its inception has been to increase public awareness and to facilitate the exchange of information through the scientific and clinical communities. The support of conferences, workshops and meetings has been a key vehicle in achieving this goal.

The Alzheimer's Association is accepting nominations for two "Best Paper" awards in Neuroimaging. To be considered, [submit your paper](#) by May 7, 2010.

### **Prizes**

Both awards carry unrestricted prizes.

#### **Alzheimer's Disease Neuroimaging Award**

An unrestricted prize of \$5,000 in recognition of the "best paper" published in any peer-reviewed journal between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010.

#### **New Investigator Alzheimer's Disease Neuroimaging Award**

An unrestricted prize of \$1,000 awarded to the "best paper" most recently published by a promising new investigator between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010.

### **Selection criteria**

The topic of the papers must relate to in-vivo neuroimaging of a neurodegenerative process.

The nomination for the \$5,000 award must be for papers published or in-press galley proof in the period between July 1, 2009 and June 30, 2010.

The nomination for the \$1,000 award will be for a recently published paper or in-press galley proof by an investigator new to the Alzheimer's disease field. This will be determined based on an accompanying one-page letter by the candidate and a CV listing all publications and all grant support. In general, junior faculty with limited support for Alzheimer's disease research and limited publications in the Alzheimer's field will be considered.

Selection of the awardees will be made by the Awards Jury convened by the Alzheimer's Association.

### **How to apply**

Send all nomination information to [neuroaward@alz.org](mailto:neuroaward@alz.org). All materials must be received

by May 7, 2010.

The Alzheimer's Disease Neuroimaging Award - Submit paper along with candidate's name and contact information.

The New Investigator's Alzheimer's Disease Neuroimaging Award - Submit paper, letter and CV.

Only full manuscripts or those in final galley format from peer-reviewed journals will be accepted for consideration. Nominees may be asked to supply additional information to the committee.

### **Administration of awards**

The award presentations and the disposition of all future funds donated for these prizes are administered by the Alzheimer's Association. An Award Founders Group, consisting of an executive committee and the original group of donors, assists the Association in ensuring the perpetuity of the award. The current Founders Group is comprised of:

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