

#### THE MIT ARAB STUDENTS' ORGANIZATION PRESENTS

# THE 10TH ANNUAL SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AWARDS BANQUET

MAY 2013 IN HONOR OF

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THE MIT ASO IS SEEKING NOMINATIONS FOR THE YOUNG PROFESSIONAL AWARD, THE GRADUATE STUDENT AWARD, AND THE UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT AWARD

The Young Professional Award recognizes the early career achievements of a young Arab or Arab-American scientist or technologist

The Graduate Student Award recognizes the academic and leadership achievements of an outstanding Arab or Arab-American graduate student at a U.S. university and comes with a \$1,000 cash scholarship

The Undergraduate Student Award recognizes the academic and leadership achievements of an outstanding Arab or Arab-American undergraduate student at a U.S. university and comes with a \$1,000 cash scholarship

## THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING NOMINATIONS IS MONDAY, APRIL 1, 2013

### NOMINATION GUIDELINES AND CRITERIA

Nominations should highlight the professional, academic and/or extra-curricular achievements of the nominee and include any supporting materials (resumes, publications, academic records, references, etc). Candidates can also nominate themselves. Nominations should be sent by email to **scitech10@mit.edu** and include the following:

- 1. Name of nominee 2. Address 3. Phone number 4. E-mail address
- 5. A Brief Nomination Statement. How does the nominee qualify for the award?
- 6. Any supplementary material that supports the nominee's claim to the award
- 7. The nominator's (if any) name, title, address, phone number, and e-mail address
- 8. (Optional) The names and contact information of other people who would second the nomination

#### QUALIFICATIONS AND CRITERIA FOR NOMINATION

- 1. The nominee must be an Arab or an Arab-American
  - 2. The nominee must be under 35 years of age
- 3. The nominee's CV must prove significant scientific and technical contributions
  - 4. The nominee has committed to continue contributing to his/her field
- 5. Current MIT ASO officers must forfeit any promised financial return from the award to qualify

Applications will be reviewed by a committee of MIT Arab and Arab-American professors from different science and technology related backgrounds

### ABOUT THE MIT ASO SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AWARDS

Every year, the Arab Students' Organization at MIT organizes the MIT ASO Science and Technology Awards Banquet to recognize outstanding Arab and Arab-American contributions to science and technology. The ceremony draws over 150-200 members of the Arab and Arab-American communities to celebrate the career-long accomplishments of the Lifetime Achievement Award recipient.

This is a great opportunity to be recognized by the Arab and Arab-American community not only in the Boston area, but nationwide. The success of previous ceremonies is a testimony to how award winners and nominees attain a great deal of recognition from the Arab and Arab-American community and beyond.

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