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These letters should comment on the qualifications and accomplishments of the applicant and the significance of the thesis work.

 Complete applications must be received at the IUPAC Secretariat by 1 February 2016.

For information, contact IUPAC Secretariat: secretariat@iupac.org

www.iupac.org/news/news-detail/article/2016-iupac-solvay -international-award-for-young-chemists-announced.html

2016 IUPAC-ThalesNano Prize in Flow Chemistry—Call for Nominations

he IUPAC-ThalesNano Prize was established in 2011. It will be awarded again in 2016 and will be presented at the 14th International Conference on MicroReaction Technology (IMRET) in September 2016 Beijing, China. A contribution to travel expenses will be provided.

The prize is to be awarded to an internationally recognized scientist, whose activities or published accounts have made an outstanding contribution in the field of flow chemistry in academia or industry.

The Prize—of a monetary value of USD 7500—has been established by a generous gift from the Hungarian Technology company ThalesNano Inc. to acknowledge the key role that flow chemistry plays towards the improvement of chemical processes.

Applicants should be received by nominations only, with just one person needing to serve in that capacity, although a total of five individuals should be listed as referees overall. The package must be submitted electronically and should contain a complete resume, a professional autobiography of not more than two pages, and a one-page summary of what the individual considers to be his/her activities, accomplishments and/or publications that have had the most significant impact upon the field of Flow Chemistry. The material will be forwarded confidentially to an independent selection committee appointed by the IUPAC Committee on Chemistry and Industry.

Nomination materials should be submitted by **31 January 2016** to the chair of the IUPAC Committee on Chemistry and Industry, Dr. Bernard West, by email at: bernard.west@sympatico.ca

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CHEMRAWN VII Prize for Green Chemistry—Call for Nominations

UPAC is now seeking nominations for the 2016 CHEMRAWN VII Prize for Green Chemistry. The CHEMRAWN VII Prize was first announced in August 2008* and since, has been awarded every two years at the IUPAC International Conference on Green Chemistry. The Prize of USD 5000 is granted to a young investigator (less than 45 years of age) from an emerging region who is actively contributing to research in Green Chemistry. The Prize was been awarded to Noureddine Yassaa (Algeria) in 2010, Rashimi Sanghi (India) in 2012 and Vânia G. Zuin (Brazil) in 2014.

Nominations for the 2016 Prize must be submitted by **25 March 2016**. Each nomination should include a CV and two letters of support, plus a brief summary of accomplishments illustrating the contributions of the applicant to research in Green Chemistry. Examples of research topics that are covered by the prize include:

- Atmospheric Chemistry
- Use of Alternative Feedstocks
- Use of Innocuous Reagents
- Employing Natural Processes
- Use of Alternative Solvents
- Design of Safer Chemicals
- Developing Alternative Reaction Conditions
- Minimizing Energy Consumption

Complete applications should be sent to the IUPAC Secretariat by e-mail to <secretariat@iupac.org> before the submission deadline.

The Selection Committee comprises the Chair of IUPAC Committee on Chemical Research Applied to World Needs, CHEMRAWN, the President of the Organic and Biomolecular Chemistry Division, and the Chair of the Subcommittee on Green Chemistry.

The next award will be presented at the 6th IUPAC International Conference on Green Chemistry, 4-8 September 2016, Venice, Italy < www.greeniupac2016.eu>

The winner will be asked to give a lecture on that Conference.

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