

Curt Brunnée Award

sponsored by *Thermo Fisher Scientific* and to be awarded at the
**19th International Mass Spectrometry Conference,
Kyoto, September 15-21, 2012**

“For outstanding contributions to the development of instrumentation for mass spectrometry by a person under the age of 45 at the time of the award”

The International Mass Spectrometry Foundation and the National Organizing Committee of the 19th International Mass Spectrometry Conference invite nominations for the Curt Brunnée Award to be made on the occasion of the 19th IMSC in Kyoto, September 15-21, 2012.

The prize, of \$5,000 (USD), is generously sponsored by *Thermo Fisher Scientific* and will be made to an individual for *“outstanding contributions to the development of instrumentation for mass spectrometry by a person under the age of 45 at the time of the award”*.

Nominations are invited for the 2012 Brunnée Award.

Nominations may be made by individual scientists or by national mass spectrometry societies, but self-nominations are not acceptable.

Nominations should consist of a statement of the candidate’s achievements, one letter of evaluation, and supporting material. The total documentation is not to exceed 10 pages.

Deadline for receipt of nominations is December 31, 2011

The committee chair for the year 2012 award is Dr Catherine Costello and nomination documents should be addressed to her at

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A decision will be reached by **April 30, 2012** to allow the successful candidate to attend the conference.

Previous winners of the award were:

Dr. Gareth Brenton, Swansea, 1994
Prof. Michael Guilhaus, University of New South Wales, 1997
Prof. Scott McLuckey, Purdue University, 2000
Dr Michisato Toyoda, Osaka University, 2003
Prof. Roman Zubarev, Uppsala University, 2006
Dr. Alexander Makarov, Thermo Scientific, 2009