Bylaws for the CALPHAD Young Leader Award

CALPHAD Young Leader Award (CYLA)
Candidate may not reach his/her 40th birthday and may not have more than 8 years professional practice in the field by December 31 of the year before the award is presented. Criteria to be considered by the selection committee are as follows:

1. Demonstration of high achievements related to the CALPHAD community.
2. Possession of leadership skills.
3. At least one paper published in the CALPHAD journal in the past 3 years.
4. Active participation in CALPHAD conferences.

Nomination package before December 31 sent to calphad-awards@googlegroups.com by a nominator: (No self-nomination)

1. One page of cover letter by the nominator to describe the candidate’s eligibility based on three selection criteria mentioned above.
2. Two recommendation letters.
3. Full CV of the nominee (with year of birth).

Nominations should be valid for three years with the option for the nominator to update.
The Award may be withheld any given year if none of the candidates is deemed deserving.

Benefits and Obligations:

1. Complimentary registration of the CALPHAD conference of the year when the award is given.
2. Serving as Young CALPHAD member of the CALPHAD Editorial Board for 3 years.

Young CALPHAD Board Council

Young CALPHAD Board Council constituents:

1) 1st year: 3 members from CALPHAD Board members.
2) 2nd year: 2 members from CALPHAD Board and 1 CYLA recipient.
3) 3rd year: 2 members from CALPHAD Board and 2 CYLA recipients.
4) 4th year: 2 members from CALPHAD Board and 3 CYLA recipients.
5) 5th year and forward: 2 members from CALPHAD Board and last 3 CYLA recipients.

Young CALPHAD Board Council will

1) Organize the “Young CALPHADian Meeting” during annual CALPHAD conference.
2) Review the nomination packages of “CALPHAD Young Leader Award” and recommend the award recipient to the CALPHAD Board.
3) Report/suggest the opinions of young CALPHADians (students or early career members) to the CALPHAD Board.