

# Asian Young Aerosol Scientist Award

The Asian Young Aerosol Scientist Award (AYASA) recognizes outstanding contributions to Aerosol Science and Technology by young aerosol scientists in Asian countries. The purpose of this award is to promote aerosol research by young scientists in Asia.

The Award is jointly sponsored by TSI Inc., members of the Asian Aerosol Research Assembly (AARA), and by contributions from Organizers of the Asian Aerosol Conference (AAC), aerosol organizations, and aerosol-related companies and individuals. The Award, which consists of a cash prize and plaque, will be presented to one or two recipients at the AAC. Any Asian scientist who satisfies the following conditions is eligible to be nominated, except members of the Award Committee.

- (i) The nominee must be 40 years old or younger (i.e., must not have reached his or her 41<sup>st</sup> birthday) on the nomination deadline.
- (ii) The nominee must have been working in Asian countries for at least the last 5 years.

## Submission of Nominations

Nominations for the Award must be made by an Asian aerosol scientist and accompanied by at least three letters of recommendation highlighting the candidate's contributions to Aerosol Science and Technology. Nominations, letters of recommendation, and supporting documents that confirm the candidate's eligibility according to the above-mentioned two conditions, including the nominee's curriculum vita and three most significant research publications, must be received electronically no later than May 31, 2009 by the Award Committee.

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All aerosol scientists in Asia are encouraged to submit nominations for this Award. If you have any questions, please contact the Chair of the Award Committee.