

## **ANILE PRIZE 2010**

### **Principal Guidelines**

The **Angelo Marcello Anile Association** and the **Consorzio Catania Ricerche** announce the creation of a prize in honour of the late Prof. Angelo Marcello Anile, to commemorate his scientific achievements.

One prize will be awarded each year for a PhD thesis written in English and submitted in an Italian university, concerning a topic that bridges the gap between mathematics and its applications. Work that uses advanced mathematics and/or invents new mathematical tools in order to solve applied problems from economics, engineering, science and technology is particularly appropriate. The work will be evaluated on the basis of the quality of the mathematics and its impact on the application.

### **The Prize Fund**

Annual funds for this prize are contributed by the Angelo Marcello Anile Association and the Consorzio Catania Ricerche.

### **Eligibility**

The candidate must have completed his/her doctoral dissertation and all other requirements for his/her doctorate during the period running from 30<sup>th</sup> June 2007 to 30<sup>th</sup> June 2009

**Deadline for application:** 30<sup>th</sup> June 2009 (post office stamp as proof) in the case of the first award.

### **Prize Committee**

A committee composed of people nominated by both of the associations will select the successful candidate.

### **Selection Procedures**

Applications should be made using the application form (available at <http://asso-ama.dmi.unict.it/en/attivita.html#dottorato>) accompanied by:

1. A copy of the thesis
2. A curriculum vitae
3. A brief report/recommendation from the supervisor (no more than two pages). This should include a summary of the PhD thesis, placing it within the context of its contribution to the associated research field and containing an assessment of the balance of input from the student, the supervisor and any other people involved regarding the basic ideas and strategy for the work, the development and use of necessary techniques and the interpretation of the results.
4. At least two recommendation letters from well-known researchers.

A pdf file containing the application form and all of the required attachments should be e-mailed to [asso-ama@dmi.unict.it](mailto:asso-ama@dmi.unict.it) at the same time as hard-copies of all of the documents are sent by regular mail. Proof of the date of posting should be retained, since applications postmarked after the deadline will be deemed ineligible.

### **Notification of the Award**

The result of the competition will be announced on 31st March 2010 by the presidents of the Angelo Marcello Anile Association and the Consorzio Catania Ricerche. The announcement will appear on the websites of both organisations. If it considers that no thesis reaches the standard required, the Selection Committee may decide not to award the prize.

### **Prize Award Date**

The award will be made by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2010. If no prize is awarded then, award date will be moved to 30th June 2011.

### **Description of the Award**

The award will consist of:

- A citation certificate
- A cash award of € 5000
- Reasonable travel expenses to Catania, which will be paid by the Consorzio Catania Ricerche;
- the winner will also be given free life membership of the Angelo Marcello Anile Association (as an ordinary member).

### **Award Presentation**

The presidents of the two institutions will present the award to the recipient during an official event held in Catania.

Marisa Lappano Anile

President of Angelo Marcello Anile Association

Orazio Puglisi

President of Consorzio Catania Ricerche



ANILE & C.C.R. AWARD APPLICATION FORM

This application should be submitted to:

Associazione Angelo Marcello Anile  
Dipartimento di Matematica ed Informatica  
Viale Andrea Doria 6  
95125 CATANIA

The deadline for applications is 5.00 pm on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2009.

In addition, the application should be sent electronically (as a PDF file) to:

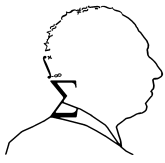
asso.ama@dmi.unict.it

**Please ensure that all questions are answered and that all of the required attachments accompany this application form.**

**You may jeopardise your chances of success if you do not complete your application correctly.**

YOUR PERSONAL DETAILS	
Last Name :	First Name:
Institution:	
POSTAL ADDRESS for correspondence regarding this application	
Street:	Number:
Postal/Zip Code:	Town/City:
Country:	
Telephone :	Cell Phone:
E-mail Address:	Fax Number:
YOUR CAREER DETAILS:	
Title of Dissertation	
Subject/Field of Research:	
Date of award of the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (dd/mm/yyyy):	
Education Institution/University:	
Supervisor:	

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



#### PRIVACY DECLARATION

I understand that the information requested in the attached application form will be used solely for the purposes of assessing the award for which I am applying.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The Angelo Marcello Anile Association and the C.C.R. undertake to store your application in a secure place in the event that you are successful in winning an award or are selected as a reserve candidate for an award. The Angelo Marcello Anile Association and the C.C.R. undertake to destroy your application, to preserve its confidentiality, in the event that you are unsuccessful in winning an award and will return the copy of the thesis to you if so requested. Should you have reason to believe that information held about you in your application is incorrect, you have the right to access and correct that information.