Texas Academy of Science Collegiate Academy

Graduate Student Best Oral Presentation Competition

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Students who are in graduate school are invited to enter a presentation for judging in the Collegiate Academy Best Oral Presentation Competition to be held at the 110th Annual Meeting of the Texas Academy of Science at Baylor University in Waco, TX on March 1 - 3, 2007. The papers should describe a substantive research project and present results and conclusions from that work. Papers will be presented in the regular sessions along with papers from Senior Academy members. Judging will be based on presentation, use of visual aids, experimental design, and organization of the talk. (See accompanying Judging Sheet for more details).

We encourage undergraduates to submit as many oral and/or poster presentations as they like, but the same project cannot be entered into competition more than once. Thus, a student may not compete in both the best poster and the best oral presentations with the same project. Prizes will be awarded as follows: 1st prize $300, 2nd prize $200, 3rd prize $100, and three honorable mentions at $50 each.

You MUST make the oral or poster presentation in person AND attend the presentation dinner to be considered for or receive an award.