



Elsevier/*JQSRT* Peter C. Waterman Award



This Elsevier/*JQSRT* young-scientist award is named after *Peter C. Waterman* (1928–2012) whose ground-breaking research has had a dramatic and long-lasting impact and to a large degree has guided the progress in the disciplines of electromagnetic, acoustic, and elastic wave scattering by obstacles.

The *Award* will be competed among early-career scientists who work on the theory and application of *Electromagnetic Scattering and Remote Sensing*. Two such *Awards* will be presented at the 14th Electromagnetic and Light Scattering Conference (*ELS-XIV*) which will be held in Lille, France 17–21 June 2013 (<http://www-loa.univ-lille1.fr/ELS-XIV>). Each award will consist of a certificate and a €500 monetary prize.

To qualify for consideration, a nominee:

- Must be an undergraduate, graduate or post-graduate student, or in his/her early career path with an outstanding record of scholarship;
- Must have not received a *JQSRT* Young Scientist Award previously;
- Should have published in *JQSRT* previously, although this requirement may be relaxed in exceptional cases;
- Should be under 37 years of age on 15 June 2013 or finished his/her PhD within the 10 years preceding that date;
- Must present a paper at *ELS-XIV*;
- Must attend the award ceremony at *ELS-XIV*.

The recipients of the two *Awards* will be selected by the Award Committee consisting of the *JQSRT* Editors-in-Chief M. I. Mishchenko, M. P. Mengüç, and L. S. Rothman; the *JQSRT* Publisher J. Stoop; and the *ELS-XIV* Co-Conveners O. Dubovik and L. Labonnote. Both recipients will be announced at the *ELS-XIV* conference banquet.

Both nominations and self-nominations will be considered. Each nomination package should be submitted, as a single PDF file, to Michael Mishchenko (michael.i.mishchenko@nasa.gov) by 15 April 2013 and should consist of a short (self-) nomination letter, the nominee's CV and publications list, and up to 5 best peer-reviewed journal papers.