TWAS PRIZE FOR YOUNG SCIENTIST IN THE PHILIPPINES

The TWAS Prize for Young Scientist in the Philippines is an award given to an outstanding young Filipino scientist by the Academy (NAST) and the Third World Academy of Sciences (TWAS).

One award each year, consisting of US $2,000 and a plaque, is given in the selected discipline for the year - biology, chemistry, mathematics, or physics.

For 2011, the NAST-TWAS Prize for Young Scientist in the Philippines will be given for Chemistry. For 2012, 2013, and 2014, it will be for Mathematics, Physics, and Biology, respectively.

A nominee must be:

(a) A Filipino citizen;
(b) Must not be forty one (41) years old within January to December in the year of the awarding;
(c) Of good moral character;
(d) Possessing at least a M.D. or Ph.D. degree;
(e) Author or co-author of a significant number of original research and publications; and
(f) Fully qualified for an OYS award.

Criteria for selection include:

(1) Quality and number of scientific works and publications;
(2) Contributions to the well-being of the Philippine economy and culture.

Nominations for this award may be made by heads of government or private research institutions, departments of colleges or universities, or academic or professional scientific organizations or societies.

The deadline for submission of nominations is every last working day of November.

Nomination Form
(Please follow this format)

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1. Name of nominee (First Name, Middle Name, Surname)
2. Date and place of birth
3. Age / Sex / Civil Status
4. Nationality
5. Mailing address / telephone number / email address
6. Organization/Institute represented
7. Educational background (Indicate school/university address, degree, and year obtained, inclusive dates of attendance, honors/awards received).
8. Present position
9. Previous positions in reverse chronological order
10. Research interests
11. Important awards received (Indicate title/award, sponsor, and year obtained.)
12. Research papers published (Indicate author(s), title, journal, volume, page, and year whenever applicable.)
13. Research projects/activities unpublished
14. Scientific/technical conferences/seminars attended (Indicate place and date of conferences/seminars and nature of participation, i.e., whether as chairperson, resource person, convenor, participant, etc.)
15. Assessment by the nominator of importance of scientific and technical contributions of the nominee to society.
16. Three (3) references (Include addresses.)
17. Certification of nominator, following the format below.

This is to certify that (Name of Organization/Institution) nominates (Name of the Nominee) for TWAS Prize for Young Scientist in the Philippines. This is also to certify that the nominee is known to me to be of good moral character.

_____	_____
Name and signature of Nominator	Institution
_____	_____
Position/Designation	Address
_____	_____
Telephone/Fax Nos./e-mail address	Date prepared

Note: Please submit ten (10) copies of the nominations including copies of (a) diplomas and transcripts of records for all college-level and higher degrees, (b) 2" x 2" photographs taken in the last six months, and (c) birth certificate.