

Editorial

Catalysts Best Paper Award 2016

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Catalysts has established a new award, to be given annually, for the best original and review articles published in *Catalysts*. These awards are meant to recognize outstanding contributions by our authors in the field of catalysis. Awards this year were given out for publications in 2012. Nominations were based on citations: the top eight cited original articles and the top eight cited review articles were considered by the prize selection committee consisting of the Editor-in-Chief, Professor Keith Hohn, and four board members: Professor Jean-Francois Lamonier, Dr. Minhua Shao, Dr. Leonarda Liotta, and Professor Bunsho Ohtani.

We are pleased to announce the following winners of the first “*Catalysts Best Paper Prize*”:

Top Research Article

First Prize

Toni Riittonen, Esa Toukoniitty, Dipak Kumar Madnani, Anne-Riikka Leino, Krisztian Kordas, Maria Szabo, Andras Sapi, Kalle Arve, Johan Wärnå and Jyri-Pekka Mikkola

One-Pot Liquid-Phase Catalytic Conversion of Ethanol to 1-Butanol over Aluminium Oxide—The Effect of the Active Metal on the Selectivity. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 68–84.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/1/68/pdf>

Second Prize

Rosa Bonelli, Stefano Zacchini and Stefania Albonetti

Gold/Iron Carbonyl Clusters for Tailored Au/FeO_x Supported Catalysts. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 1–23.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/1/1/pdf>

Third Prize

Tsutomu Shiragami, Takayuki Tomo, Hikaru Tsumagari, Yasuyuki Ishii and Masahide Yasuda

Hydrogen Evolution from Napiergrass by the Combination of Biological Treatment and a Pt-Loaded TiO₂-Photocatalytic Reaction. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 56–67.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/1/56/pdf>

Top Review Article

First Prize

Manoj A. Lazar, Shaji Varghese and Santhosh S. Nair

Photocatalytic Water Treatment by Titanium Dioxide: Recent Updates. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 572–601.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/4/572/pdf>

*Second Prize***Redox Catalysis Richard Reithmeier, Christian Bruckmeier and Bernhard Rieger**

Conversion of CO₂ via Visible Light Promoted Homogeneous Redox Catalysis. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 544–571.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/4/544/pdf>

*Third Prize***Beatrice-Andreea Dranga, Liliana Lazar and Heinz Koeser**

Oxidation Catalysts for Elemental Mercury in Flue Gases—A Review. *Catalysts* **2012**, *2*, 139–170.

Available online: <http://www.mdpi.com/2073-4344/2/1/139/pdf>

The first prize award winners will receive a free publication in *Catalysts*. Congratulations to all our winners!

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