

## **CALL FOR NOMINATIONS**

### **2012 THE AIC GOLD MEDAL**

Nominations are now being accepted for the 2012 The American Institute of Chemists Gold Medal Award. First presented by the AIC in 1926, the Gold Medal is the AIC's highest award. It recognizes service to the science of chemistry and to the profession of chemistry or chemical engineering in the United States. Previous winners include Nobel laureates Glenn T. Seaborg and Herbert C. Brown, as well as other renowned researchers and scientists representing the many facets of the world of chemistry. Recent medalists include Arnold O. Beckman, Harry B. Gray, Ralph F. Hirschmann, Robert L. McNeil, Jr., George Whitesides, Roald Hoffman, and Oliver Smithies.

Nominations should consist of a nominating letter with the individual's curriculum vita plus two letters of support. All nomination materials are due by **October 5, 2011**, and should be mailed to

**Ms. Sarah Reisert**  
**Attn: Gold Medal Nomination**  
**Chemical Heritage Foundation**  
**315 Chestnut Street**  
**Philadelphia, PA 19106**

OR you may email completed nomination materials to [SReisert@chemheritage.org](mailto:SReisert@chemheritage.org)

It is the responsibility of the person making the nomination to collect and submit all the required nomination materials – letter of nomination, two letters of support and the nominees CV. No late nominations will be accepted.

The award winner is expected to deliver a formal lecture on a topic relevant to the basis for winning the award at the award ceremony during the Chemical Heritage Day in April 2012.

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