

## Guidance and further information: The Spiers' Prize for Outreach

The Spiers' Prize for Outreach is awarded in memory of Professor F W Spiers.

- 1. The Spiers' Prize for Outreach is open to all IPEM members, from both UK and overseas.
- 2. Applicants or nominators must complete the application form and submit evidence to show how they have raised the profile of medical physics and Engineering. This could be, for example, organising a local open day, talking at a school or careers fair.
- 3. IPEM committees, including the President's Advisory Committee (PAC), Professional & Standards Council (PSC) and the Science, Technology, Engineering, Research and Innovation Council (STERIC) will also be asked to nominate potential nominees when the prizes launch each year. Council and committee members can nominate these individuals, or IPEM can contact them to self-nominate.
- 4. The Prize is awarded to any member who can demonstrate how they have improved education or raised awareness of Medical Physics and Engineering. The target audience for outreach is members of the public (for example, school children, adults, patients) but excludes fellow professionals and government agencies. Examples of outreach might be educational activities (demonstrations, workshops, books, videos etc) aimed at and/or involving children and/or adults. One Spiers' Prize for Outreach is awarded each year.
- 5. The name of the prize winner will be announced in the Newsletter and on the website. All unsuccessful applicants/nominators will be notified by email.
- 6. The Prize winner will be invited to an awards ceremony to officially acknowledge receipt of the award.
- 7. Rewards
  - £300 personal award
  - A certificate