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Nature seeks outstanding mentors in Canada

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Nominations for the 2010 *Nature* Awards for Mentoring in Science open today. The 2010 awards focus on Canada, and two prizes of C$10,000 will be awarded, one for mid-career and one for lifetime achievement. Nominations close on 30 June 2010. The Awards will be announced at the Canadian Association for Graduate Studies annual meeting in Toronto on Friday 5 November 2010.

Nominees may work in any discipline within the natural sciences, and should be resident in Canada. They may nominate themselves or be nominated by colleagues and ex-colleagues. Nominations for a candidate must include independent testimonials by at least five researchers mentored by their nominee, not all over the same period.

Full details and nomination forms are available on the 2010 Award page on the *Nature* website: **www.nature.com/nature/mentoringawards/canada/**.
More information about the *Nature* Awards for Mentoring in Science is available at **www.nature.com/nature/awards/mentorship/**.

The annual *Nature* Awards for Mentoring in Science, launched in 2005 to recognize outstanding scientific mentorship, focus on a specific country or countries each year. In previous years the *Nature* Awards have highlighted top-notch mentors in Australia, Germany, Japan, South Africa, and the UK.

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