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2013 PARALYMPIC SCIENTIFIC AWARD

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Following the successful inauguration of the Paralympic Awards in 2005, the IPC continues to honour members of the Paralympic Family for their exceptional performance and contributions to the Paralympic Movement.

The 2013 Paralympic Scientific Award will recognize the work of one academic researcher for his/her contribution to research in the field of sports for persons with a disability. This award will not only acknowledge and reward the work of researchers in this field but will also serve to promote and encourage further study and enhance the quality of work in this area.

The Paralympic Scientific Award will be presented during a special ceremony held in conjunction with the 2013 VISTA Conference to be held in Bonn Germany, 01-04 May 2013 (www.paralympic.org/events).

To be eligible for this award, candidates must have contributed through significant scientific publications related to the scientific study of sport for persons with a disability in any discipline, have received national and/or international recognition for his/her work, and place an emphasis on the practical application of research with direct or indirect benefit to the Paralympic Movement.

The IPC is calling for nominations for this award. Please complete and send the attached nomination form in English, along with a brief resume, to claire.magras@paralympic.org or by fax to +49-228-2097-209, by no later than 01 February 2013, 12:00 GMT.

Nominations may be submitted by IPC Members and members of the IPC Governing Board, Sports Technical Committees and IPC Standing Committees and Councils (with the exception of the IPC Sports Science Committee*). The IPC may seek for valuable candidates outside of the IPC Membership nominations received and may call for nominations hereto from the wider academic/scientific community.

* Whereas the IPC Sports Science Committee is not permitted to submit nominations, the individual members of the IPC Sports Science Committee are eligible to be nominated by other parties as identified above.

We look forward to receiving your nominations.

Xavier Gonzalez
CEO
International Paralympic Committee



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NOMINATION FORM**

Candidate Name:
Candidate Address:
Candidate Telephone:
Candidate Fax:
Candidate E-Mail:
Candidate Organization/Institution:
Field of Study:
Publications author has appeared in:



Contribution to the field of sport for persons with a disability and benefit of the work to the Paralympic Movement:

Please submit a brief resume with this nomination

Nomination Proposed by:

Name and Signature:

Date: