

# ICFG - Young Researchers International Exchange Prize 2012

#### **Motivation**

The "ICFG - Young Researchers International Exchange Prize" is established in order to support the understanding of young researchers of the importance of cold and warm forging production as it is carried out by world leading companies and also to give young researchers an understanding of social and cultural differences and challenges in overseas countries.

### **Scope of Prize**

This year the prize will be given for the third time. The technical trip is scheduled for September 16, 2012 to September 22, 2012 (7 days) and will cover visits to cold, warm and hot forger as well as academic institutions in Germany and Liechtenstein (tentative). Also some cultural activities are planned. 4 to 6 young researchers will be granted the prize. For this year, the prize will cover the transportation costs of the prize winners to/from Frankfurt-Airport (Germany) up to 750 EUR. All remaining expenses during the technical trip will also be covered by the ICFG and the sponsors. The ICFG asks for applications until May 1st, 2012.

## Who can apply?

Any young researcher working on cold and/or warm forging fulfilling the following requirements can apply:

- The applicant should be promoted by an ICFG-member.
- The applicant should have an outstanding education and/or research performance.
- The applicant should be less than 30 years old at the time of application.
- The applicant should have completed at least his/her master-of-science study.
- The applicant may be a research assistant at a university or be employed in industry or a research institute.

## **Application Procedure**

- Please fill-out the "application form" enclosed.
- Send the form and its attachments via email latest May 1, 2012 to

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