

The Brian Kelly Award

This annual award was established in 1996 in memory of Brian Kelly, a leading authority on graphite physics.

The award is intended as a travel grant for students and early career researchers with up to ten years postdoctoral experience to attend the annual international carbon conference. Anyone living or working, at the time of that conference, in the country where the conference is held is **not eligible**. As a consequence, applications will not be accepted from Japan on this occasion.

The award is made upon the basis of an appraisal of THREE documents: (1) the extended abstract or paper as submitted to the C2008 conference, (2) a short CV and (3) a commentary provided normally by the candidate's supervisor or close colleague. Self-nomination is permitted. The Award Committee of the British Carbon Group will determine the successful applicant.

The closing date for applications for C2008 will be **15th April 2008**.

The award is currently five hundred pounds sterling (£500) and is presented at the time of the conference. It is a condition of the award that the winner attends the conference and presents his or her paper either orally or as a poster.

Applications may be transferred electronically to the Chairman of The Brian Kelly Award Committee, Prof. Malcolm Heggie, at m.i.heggie@sussex.ac.uk or, exceptionally, mailed to him at the following address:

Prof. Malcolm Heggie
Chairman, The British Carbon Group
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Chichester Building,
University of Sussex,
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United Kingdom.

Previous Winners:

1996: Y. Kawabuchi, Kyushu University, Japan

1997: J. Barbosa-Mota, Inst. Biologia Experimental e Tecnologica,
Oeiras, Portugal

1998: B. Fathollahi, University of California, San Diego, USA

1999: no award

2000: J. Klett, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Tennessee, USA *and* J.
Andresen, Penn State University, USA (*two awards*)

2001: Z.-X. Ma, Tohoku University, Japan

2002: J. Y. Howe, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Tennessee, USA *and*
M. Guellali, University of Karlsruhe, Germany (*two awards*)

2003: no award

2004: Q.H. Yang, Tohoku University, Sendai Japan.

2005: no award

2006 An-hui Lu, Max-Planck-Institut für Kohlenforschung, Mülheim
an der Ruhr, Germany *and* Emmanuel Flahaut Université Paul
Sabatier, Toulouse, France (*two awards*)

2007 Philipp Adelhelm, Max-Planck-Institute of Colloids and Interfaces,
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