

## RECIPIENTS OF THE 2010 ACTA STUDENT AWARDS

A team of judges consisting of Acta Materialia, Scripta Materialia, and Acta Biomaterialia editors has completed the evaluation of nominees for the above award. There were many excellent nominations and selecting the winners was a challenging task. Several factors were considered in the evaluation of each nominee: the quality of paper, or papers, for which he or she was nominated, recommendation letters, and leadership potential. The awardees selected from papers published in 2010 in the Acta Journals are:

Dr. Markus Chmielus, Technical University of Berlin, GERMANY. "Effects of surface roughness and training on the twinning stress of Ni–Mn–Ga single crystals," *Acta Materialia* 58 (2010), 3952-3962

Dr. Nan Li, Texas A&M University, USA. "In situ TEM observations of room temperature dislocation climb at interfaces in nanolayered Al/Nb composites," *Scripta Materialia* 63 (2010), 363-366

Dr. M.J.N.V. Prasad, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, INDIA. "Extraordinary high strain rate superplasticity in electrodeposited nano-nickel and alloys," *Scripta Materialia* 63 (2010), 136-139

Dr. Sreekanth Purushotham, Nanyang Technological University, SINGAPORE. "Thermoresponsive magnetic composite nanomaterials for cancer therapy", *Acta Biomaterialia*, 6 (2010), 502-510

Mr. Matthew J. Webber, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois, USA. "Development of bioactive peptide amphiphiles for therapeutic cell delivery," *Acta Biomaterialia*, 6 (2010), 3-11

Mr. Joseph A. Yasi, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, USA. "First-principles data for solid-solution strengthening of magnesium: From geometry and chemistry to properties," *Acta Materialia* 58 (2010) 5704–5713

The editors would like to congratulate the awardees and thank all the nominees for their participation. We wish them all the best in their careers.

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