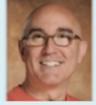




The Nagoya Medal of Organic Chemistry



The Nagoya Medal Award was initially proposed by Professor Hisashi Yamamoto and Professor Ryoji Noyori, and founded in 1995 with Professor Noyori as the president through the financial support of the MSD Life Science Foundation (Banyu). The Nagoya Gold Medal has been awarded every year to an organic chemist who has made significant original contributions to the field in its broadest sense. The first medal was presented to Professor Yoshito Kishi, and many eminent scientists have come to give lectures, including recipients of the Goto Memorial Lectureship started earlier. The Silver Medal, established in 1999, has been awarded every year to a rising scientist based in Japan whose research has had a major impact on the field of synthetic organic chemistry. The medals are designed in the shape of a sword guard, an idea proposed by Professors Yamamoto and Noyori. The flowers on the surface are lilies, which are the city flower of Nagoya City, and have the meaning of “a kind heart and competitiveness”. At the award lectures, the recipients are asked to talk not only about the profundity of their unique chemistry, but also the in-depth philosophy behind it, encouraging young chemists and students. This year, the Gold Medal will be presented to **Professor Stephen L. Buchwald** (Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA), and the Silver Medal will be presented to **Professor Masaya Sawamura** (Hokkaido University, Japan).

Gold Medal Recipients					
1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
 Yoshito Kishi 2001	 W. Clark Still 2002	 Robert H. Grubbs 2003	 Henri B. Kagan 2004	 Samuel J. Danishefsky 2005	 Manfred T. Reetz 2006
 Kyriacos C. Nicolaou 2007	 Dieter Seebach 2008	 David A. Evans 2009	 J. Fraser Stoddart 2011	 Koji Nakanishi 2012	 Steven V. Ley 2013
 Larry E. Overman 2014	 Barry M. Trost 2015	 Jean M. J. Fréchet 2016	 Eric N. Jacobsen	 Paul Knochel	 Ben L. Feringa
 John F. Hartwig	 Stuart L. Schreiber	 Stephen L. Buchwald			

Goto Memorial Lectureship					
1992	1993	1994	1995	1997	1999
 Derek Barton	 Albert Eschenmoser	 E. J. Corey	 Gilbert Stork	 Jean M. Lehn	 Yoshito Kishi

Silver Medal Recipients					
1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
 Keisuke Suzuki 2005	 Takuzo Aida 2006	 Eiichi Nakamura 2007	 Shu Kobayashi 2008	 Makoto Fujita 2009	 Keiji Maruoka 2011
 Michinori Suginome	 Jun-ichi Yoshida	 Mikiko Sodeoka	 Masahiro Murakami	 Kyoko Nozaki	 Keiji Tanino
 Takahiko Akiyama	 Masahiro Terada	 Naoto Chatani	 Itaru Hamachi	 Zhaomin Hou	 Masaya Sawamura
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