

International Society for µSR Spectroscopy

Extra Newsletter - June 2008

Dear colleagues and friends of µSR,

Yamazaki Prize for µSR-Science 2008

On behalf of ISMS I have the pleasure to announce that the Yamazaki Prize for μ SR-Science 2008 will be awarded to

Dr. Elvezio Morenzoni



Photo courtesy of the Paul Scherrer Institut

The decision was supported by the positive opinion of an international group of peers in view of his outstanding achievements for the development of Low Energy μSR opening completely new possibilities in many areas of modern physics, chemistry, biology and also technical applications.

The prize which is connected with a sum of 3000 US\$ will be awarded in a special ceremony session of the International Conference on µSR at Tsukuba, July 21 - 25, 2008.

We all congratulate Dr. Morenzoni and I hope we all can meet in Tsukuba.

Jochen Litterst, ISMS President

Elections to the ISMS Executive Committee

As you will be aware, there has been a recent call for candidates to stand for the ISMS Executive Committee. The posts of President-elect and Treasurer, together with the three regional Vice President posts, were all available. For each of the five posts exactly one candidate has offered themselves. In this case, an election does not seem necessary, and we propose just to announce the names of the new ISMS Executive at the ISMS meeting during the upcoming International µSR Conference. If there are any comments or questions regarding this process, please contact the ISMS Secretary.