



Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh Prize for 2015

Proclamation of results

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Gérard Biau, Président of the « Société Française de Statistique »,
Fatiha Alabau, Présidente of the « Société de Mathématiques Appliquées et Industrielles »,
Marc Peigné, Président of the « Société Mathématique de France »
are pleased to announce that the Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh Prize for 2015 is awarded to

Valaire Yatat Djeumen.

Valaire Yatat Djeumen is a Cameroonian PhD student at the University of Yaoundé I. His thesis, which develops mathematical models of ecosystems, is jointly directed by Jean Jules Tewa, of Ecole Nationale Supérieure Polytechnique of Yaoundé and by Yves Dumont, of CIRAD in Montpellier, France. It will enable him to visit the research institute CIRAD in Montpellier, in the framework of his PhD.

The Ibni Prize has been created in 2009 by the French Mathematical Societies in the memory of Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh to continue his commitment to quality training of young African mathematicians.

The Prize "Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh" is awarded yearly to a student of an institution of Central Africa or West Africa, in mathematics or statistics, at the graduate or post-graduate level, to benefit from a scientific training in a country other than his/her own.

The winner is selected after review by a scientific committee appointed by CIMPA/ICPAM (International Center for Pure and Applied Mathematics).

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For more information on Ibni Oumar Mahamat Saleh, the circumstances of his abduction, and the prize itself, please consult <http://www.univ-orleans.fr/en/prixibni>