



**The Board of Trustees of the Society for Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance is pleased to announce the SCMR Gold Medal Award.**

The Gold Medal Award is the highest honor bestowed by the Society and is to be given for distinguished and extraordinary service to the field of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance or to the Society. The Award(s) will be presented annually by the President of the Society on behalf of the Board of Trustees at the Annual Scientific Sessions beginning in 2011.

Nominations are to be submitted in writing by any current member of the SCMR\*. Nominators are to provide in detail the nominee's qualifications for the award, and the nomination should be accompanied by a current Curriculum Vitae of the nominee. At least two letters of support from sponsoring current SCMR members\* must accompany the nomination materials, with the primary nominator responsible for the submission of letters of support.

An individual member of SCMR can act only once each year as primary nominator or sponsor, i.e., an individual member cannot be primary nominator for one nominee and sponsor for another, or act in either capacity for more than one individual each year.

Letters of nomination and sponsorship should be sent to SCMR Headquarters ([hq@scmr.org](mailto:hq@scmr.org)) by **September 30, 2010** (Attention: SCMR Gold Medal Award Committee).

*\* Current elected officers and members of the Board of Trustees, and members of the SCMR Gold Medal Award Committee are ineligible for the Gold Medal nomination, and also may not nominate or provide letters of support for Gold Medal Award nominees.*

2010 SCMR Gold Medal Award Committee:

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