

Graham Cogley Award

The award

Two “*Graham Cogley Awards*” will be given by the International Glaciological Society to students who have published papers of exceptional quality in the *Journal of Glaciology* or the *Annals of Glaciology* within the last two years.

Each award will include a certificate and a cash prize of CAN\$ 500 generously sponsored by the Cogley family. The awardees and their papers will be promoted online, including in the "Awards" section of the IGS web site.

Frequency

The two Graham Cogley Awards will be given each second (even-numbered) year, commencing in 2020.

[On the alternating (odd-numbered) years, two Graham Cogley Awards will be given by the International Association of Cryospheric Sciences (IACS), one for the best student oral presentation and one for the best student poster presentation at the bi-annual IACS General Assemblies (see <https://cryosphericosciences.org/awards/graham-cogley-award/>).]

Eligibility and Criteria

Nominated papers must be published or accepted for publication in either the *Journal of Glaciology* or the *Annals of Glaciology* within the prior 24-month period. The eligibility period for the 2020 award is 1 Feb 2018 to 31 Jan 2020, advancing by 2 years for each subsequent award.

A nominated student must be first-author of the paper and the paper must have been submitted no longer than one year after the student's graduation date. A nominated student should preferably be a member of IGS.

No individual can be the recipient of more than one Graham Cogley award, whether awarded by IGS or IACS.

Nominations and Selection of Awardees

The Associate Chief Editors of the *Journal of Glaciology* will each nominate up to two student papers that they consider as a contender for the prize and which they have handled as Associate Chief Editor. They may ask their handling Scientific Editors for assistance with these nominations.

The Associate Chief Editors of the *Annals of Glaciology* will similarly nominate up to one best eligible paper from their issue(s) of *Annals of Glaciology*. They may also ask their handling Scientific Editors for assistance with the nominations.

Each Associate Chief Editor will include a brief (<300 word) description of the key findings of the nominated paper(s) and what makes this work worthy of nomination (novel ideas, concepts, theories or methods; originality, relevance and impact; quality of presentation; etc.). Nominations can be made at any time during the award period, but must be received by the end of March in the year of the award (e.g. 31 March 2020 for the 2020 award). Nominating editors will also identify any conflict of interest they may have with the nominee. Nominations will be received and collated by the Chief Editor of the *Journal of Glaciology*.

The selection of two winners from the pool of nominations will be made (in preferably a consensus decision) by the team of Chief Editor and Associate Chief Editors of the *Journal of Glaciology* within the nomination period. The selection will consider issues related to the IGS Core Values and Scientific Code of Conduct (<https://www.igsoc.org/about/corevalues.pdf>), including diversity. The decision will be announced by the end of April in the year of the award

(e.g. 30 April 2020 for the 2020 award). If possible, the award should be presented at an IGS Symposium.

History

This award was established in memory of Professor Graham Cogley who made substantial and enduring contributions to glaciology, in particular to the understanding and quantification of glacier mass change. Graham is also recognized for his sustained and outstanding service to the wider glaciological community, including as IGS Chief Editor between 2016 and 2018. The Graham Cogley Award recognizes excellence in glaciological research by student scientists. The award was initiated and is generously sponsored by the Cogley family, and is shared between IGS and IACS.