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Subject: URSI Awards GASS2011: congratulations!

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Dear Professor Heyman,

The URSI Board of Officers has considered the candidates whose names had been submitted for the URSI Awards for the year 2011.

It gives me much pleasure to inform you that the **Balthasar van der Pol Medal** has been awarded to you, with the following citation: “**For developing mathematical tools to analyze the generation, propagation and scattering of beam-shaped electromagnetic fields, and their engineering applications**”.

The Medal will be handed over to you during the Opening Ceremony of the URSI General Assembly and Scientific Symposium in Istanbul, Turkey, on 14 August 2011, at 3.15 p.m. May we hope you will be able to attend this Ceremony? It will last approximately 2.5 hours and is followed immediately by a reception to which you are, of course, invited. There will be about 800 people at the Ceremony, and we hope you will sit in the front row along with our other honored guests. More details will follow later.

The third part of the Opening Ceremony is the presentation of the 5 URSI Awards, and will last 50 minutes. It will be chaired by Prof. K. Schlegel, Chairman of the Awards Panel. The awards are the van der Pol Medal, the Dellinger Medal, the Appleton Prize, the Booker Medal and the Koga Medal, and will be handed out in that order. In each case the donor is asked to say a few words about the person after whom the award is named. After the award is handed out the recipient is given a few moments to respond. We would be grateful to receive the text of your short reply before the end of the Ceremony, because it will be published in the Records of the General Assembly and Scientific Symposium.

We would appreciate receiving a photograph of you for publication in *the Radio Science Bulletin* and for the URSI records. We intend to inform our readers of the 2011 awardees in the June issue, so we need your photograph *before 10 April* (please send it as e-mail attachment to ingeursi@intec.ugent.be).

With best congratulations!
Yours truly,

Prof. P. Lagasse
Secretary General

cc. Prof. K. Schlegel, Chairman Awards Panel
Prof. Dr. A.T. de Hoop, Nominator