PRIZE

Assistant Professor Nobukazu Shitan received Best Presentation Award from Japan Transporter Research Association (JTra)

Assistant Professor Nobukazu Shitan received Best Poster Award from Japan Transporter Research Association (JTra) for his outstanding presentation entitled, "cDNAs cloning and structural analyses of ABC proteins TmMDR1 and 2 in *Thalictrum minus*." at the 2nd Annual Meeting of the JTra in June 2007. The Best Poster Award is a prize for scientists in animal, bacteria and plant transporter research, and presented for commendation of their excellent presentation at 2nd Annual Meeting of JTra.

Professor Mamoru Yamamoto received Tanakadate Prize from the Society of Geomagnetism and Earth, Planetary and Space Sciences (SGEPSS)

On 22 May 2007, Professor Mamoru Yamamoto received Tanakadate Prize for his contribution to "Study on structures and generation mechanism of midlatitude ionospheric irregularities". Tanakadate Prize is a prize for members of Society of Geomagnetism and Earth, Planetary and Space Sciences (SGEPSS) who achieved outstanding accomplishments in the field.

Mr. Yohei Miyake received Outstanding Student Paper Award from American Geophysical Union (AGU)

Mr. Yohei Miyake received Outstanding Student Paper Award from American Geophysical Union (AGU) for his outstanding presentation entitled, "Numerical analysis on electric field antennas in space plasma environment via electromagnetic particle-in-cell simulation" at the 2007 AGU Fall Meeting in San Francisco, USA. The Outstanding Student Paper Award is a prize for students in earth and space sciences, and presented for commendation of their excellent presentation at fall meetings of AGU.