LONDON MATHEMATICAL SOCIETY
PRIZE REGULATIONS: PÓLYA PRIZE

I.   GENERAL

1.   In 1986 the London Mathematical Society instituted a Pólya Prize in memory of Professor G. Pólya, who until his death in 1985 had been a member of the Society since 1925 and an Honorary Member since 1956. The Pólya Fund established for this purpose came from a generous donation to the Society from Mrs. Pólya in memory of her husband.

2.   The award of the Pólya Prize shall be considered by the Council of the Society, in those years not numbered by a multiple of three.

3.   The Prize shall be awarded in recognition of outstanding creativity in, imaginative exposition of, or distinguished contribution to, mathematics within the United Kingdom.

4.   No person shall be eligible to receive the Prize more than once, and the Prize may not be awarded to any person who has previously received the De Morgan Medal.

5.   Any amendment to these Regulations for the award of the Prize must be made at a regular meeting of Council at which the proposed amendment must receive the support of an absolute majority of those present at the meeting, whether voting or not, in order to take effect.