



## Board Resolution by Circulation 2010.6

**Offer the winner of the best paper competition the opportunity to be a discussant at following CPRsouth conference.**

### Background:

The CPRsouth best paper competition is in its 3<sup>rd</sup> year. The competition has been a way of rewarding the authors of the better papers. The number of repeat paper presenter applicants has been increasing at CPRsouth. Among these are the previous winners and runners-up of the best paper competition. While on one hand this may increase the quality of the papers at the conference, it may also diminish the opportunity for another potential applicant to go through the training offered by CPRsouth.

### Proposal

A solution may be to Offer the winner of the best paper competition the opportunity to be a discussant at following CPRsouth conference. This will in effect be a “promotion” and a further reward to the winner.

Previous winners of the Best paper competition:

CPRsouth4: Christoph Stork, PhD (South Africa/Gernamy)

CPRsouth3: Dimuthu Ratnadiwakara (Sri Lanka)

**Decision: Offer the winner of the best paper competition the opportunity to be a discussant at following CPRsouth conference.**

Name of the Board member	Approve/disapprove

