THE NOVA SCOTIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE
STUDENT SCIENCE AWARDS 2006

Purpose
To provide an opportunity for students to have their work recognized by a scientific society and to have it considered for publication in a peer-reviewed scientific journal.

Eligibility
The competition is open to any student currently enrolled in a degree program at a recognized educational institution.

Categories and prizes

Undergraduate student
Three broad categories for competition:

- Environmental Sciences e.g. terrestrial ecology, marine biology, atmospheric sciences, earth sciences etc.
- Life Sciences e.g. animal and plant cell biology, medical sciences, biochemistry, physiology etc.
- Physical Sciences e.g. physics, chemistry, engineering, mathematics, computer science etc.

Three undergraduate prizes are available in each of these three categories:

- 1st prize $200 plus one year’s membership to NSIS
- 2nd prize $100 plus one year’s membership to NSIS
- 3rd prize one year’s membership to NSIS

Graduate Student
Any discipline
Single prize of $500 plus one year’s membership to NSIS

Scientific Writing
For an article written by a student in a non-scientific discipline
Subject must be relevant to science in Nova Scotia
Single prize of $200 plus one year’s membership to NSIS