Nominations are sought for the Batchelor Prize 2012

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2. A list of his/her publications during the period 2001–2010 with up to 10 of particular distinction being marked by an asterisk (there is no requirement that the research was published in the *Journal of Fluid Mechanics*).

3. A brief (one page) statement of the case for making the award.

To submit a nomination email jfmprize@cambridge.org with the above information.

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