



## **2009 Global Development Awards and Medals Competition Deadline Extended-Apply Now!**

The Global Development Network (GDN) is accepting submissions for the **2009 Global Development Awards and Medals Competition**. Finalists get an opportunity to travel to **Prague, Czech Republic** to attend GDN's next annual conference where they present their research before a distinguished jury for the final round and win **cash prizes!**

**Submissions are being accepted under the following three categories:**

**1. Japanese Award for Outstanding Research on Development**

For applicants who have outstanding new research proposals that add a unique dimension to research on any of the three themes listed below

*First Prize: US \$30,000; Second Prize: US \$5,000*

**2. Medals for Research on Development**

For excellent completed research papers on any of the three themes listed below

*First Prize: US \$10,000; Second prize: US \$5,000*

**This year's themes are:**

- Globalization, Regulation and Development
- International Migration: Crossing Borders, Changing Lives?
- Regional Integration: Convergence Big Time, or, an Opportunity Wasted?

**EXTENDED DEADLINE: OCTOBER 14, 2009**

**3. Japanese Award for Most Innovative Development Project**

For exceptional on-going development projects that have given maximum benefit to local communities and need further financial assistance to scale-up the project

*First Prize: US \$30,000; Second Prize: US\$ 5,000*

**EXTENDED DEADLINE: SEPTEMBER 10, 2009**

Open only to researchers and organizations from developing and transition countries.  
Submissions are welcome from all disciplines of social sciences.

*Please circulate this email to all the interested institutions, colleagues and friends working on development issues from the developing/transition countries.*

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