

Announcing the 2011 Abraham Wald Prize Winner

The International Workshop in Sequential Methodologies, IWSM 2011, took place June 14-16, 2011 at Stanford University, California. During IWSM 2011, *Sequential Analysis* Editor-in-Chief Nitis Mukhopadhyay had the opportunity to organize a special session for the Abraham Wald Prize in Sequential Analysis ceremony. The international Abraham Wald Prize award committee consisted of Professors M. Aoshima, M. Baron, P. Chen, and T. K. S. Solanky (Chair). The Associate Editors of *Sequential Analysis* were given the opportunity to rank all manuscripts that were published in the journal throughout 2010.

The 2011 Abraham Wald Prize in Sequential Analysis was awarded to Professor Albert N. Shiryaev from Steklov Mathematical Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences and Lomonosov State University, Moscow, Russia. He accepted this prestigious award in person for his groundbreaking paper entitled “Quickest Detection Problems: Fifty Years Later” which appeared along with a range of very substantial discussion pieces from other distinguished colleagues followed by the author’s enthusiastic responses in *Sequential Analysis*, Volume 29, Issue 4.

Taylor & Francis would like to congratulate Professor Shiryaev and offer **FREE** online access to his article. [Click here](#) to read his article today.



Albert N. Shiryaev, the 2011 Abraham Wald prize winner



From left to right: Alex Tartakovsky, Nitis Mukhopadhyay, Albert N. Shiryaev, Tze L. Lai, and T. N. Sriram.