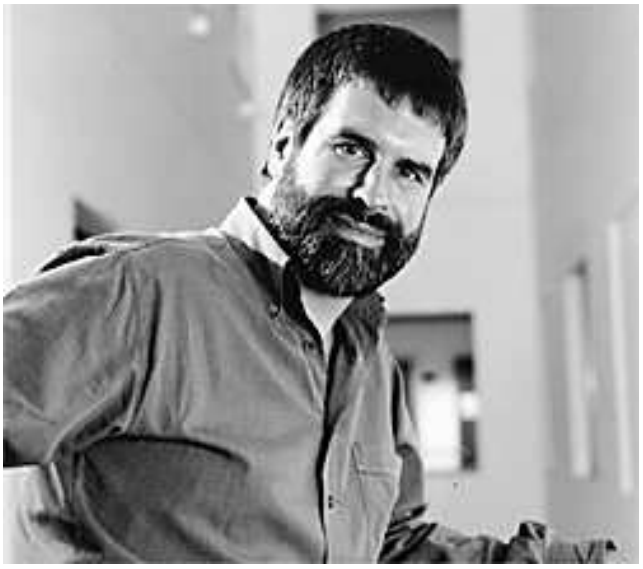
Gilles Brassard Awarded Pot de Vin Prize



The Millennium 2000 Pot de Vin Prize was awarded to Gilles Brassard for his many outstanding contributions to quantum computation and quantum information science. This award was presented at the AMS Special Session on Quantum Computation and Information held at the Annual Meeting of the American Mathematics Society in Washington, DC in January 2000.

Description of the Pot de Vin Prize

The Pot de Vin Prize is an award coveted by Nobel Laureates and Fields Medalists. It was established to bribe (FR, pot de vin) major contributors to the field of quantum computation and quantum information into giving an invited talk. All Nobel Laureates and Fields Medalists are automatically disqualified from receiving the prize. The Pot de Vin Prize is sponsored by the L-O-O-P Fund.

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