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Two jobs today

1. Determine this year's awards
2. Respond to some policy proposals that we have been kicking around

1. Nominations for 2006

Some guidelines

- Broad criteria
- Select 3-5 from nominees
- Nothing about re-nominations

Nominations received

- Yvan Decreux
- Dean Spinanger
- Kym Anderson
- Navin Ramankutty
- Peter Dixon
 - Elena Iovanchina
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We propose for 2006

- Kym Anderson
- Navin Ramankutty
- Peter Dixon
- Elena Iovanchina

2. Proposals

Two issues

- Devaluation
- 'Lifers'

Proposals

- Limit the number of nominations to 8 including renominations
 - with some upward flexibility
 - periodic review to adapt to network size and workload
- Create a 'lifetime' award
 - 'for a decade of services to the GTAP community'
 - Awarded in lieu of 3nd re-nomination
 - Could be awarded in other circumstances

Operational issue

Require from person nominating:

1. short nomination statement
 - for award
2. Specific (longer) statement of how the candidate has contributed to GTAP
 - for evaluation by the committee
 - especially incremental contributions by re-nominees

Where to from here

Discussion

1. Limit nominations
 - 8 per year
2. Lifetime award
 - 3rd re-nomination

Implementation

- Formalise guidelines