

# WMAC Notes

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# Joint WCRP/WWRP Model Development Prize

- Established and now awarded twice - Thank you WCRP and WWRP for all your work and support!
- After first round we revised the selection criteria, which simplified the selection process.
- ~10 Nominees, 3 judges, tough calls
- Winner 2015: Catherine Rio (LMD now Meteo-France) for her work on cumulus parametrization
- 2016 - 8 nominations - under review

# Model development summer school

- First school took place 15-26 June 2015 in Hamburg and was a huge success - Thank you MPI
- Topic: Atmospheric Moist Processes
- 240 applicants for 40 places
- Most lectures available online
- Next school in 2017 at CPTEC, Sao Paulo, Brazil -> Parametrisation in the grey-zone era
- Concern around volunteers -> need improved engagement with the modelling centres

# Meetings

- WGNE Systematic Errors workshop - 19-23 June
- Future of Cu-Par meeting - 10-14 July Delft

# Joint Modelling WG meeting in 2017

- UK MetOffice, 9-13 October 2017
- Bring all annual meetings of the WCRP Modelling activities into one location
- Facilitate cross-talk in support of developing a WCRP modelling strategy for the next 5-10 years