



A \$400,000 COMPETITION FOR ENGINEERING STUDENTS

Fourth Annual CIMIT PRIZE FOR PRIMARY HEALTHCARE

The Primary Healthcare Prize is an annual national competition encouraging engineering students to develop creative technological innovations with great potential to catalyze and support improved delivery of care at the frontlines of medicine. It is open to graduate and undergraduate students enrolled in accredited engineering programs.

Prize Awards:

First Prize:	\$150,000
Second Prize:	\$100,000
Third Prize:	\$ 50,000
Ten Finalists:	\$ 10,000 each



KEY DATES:

December 1, 2011:	Submission Process opens *
January 16, 2012:	Pre-Proposals due
February 15, 2012:	Ten Finalists selected, and \$10,000 distributed to each
June 3, 2012:	Full Proposals due from these 10 finalists
July 2, 2012:	Top three Prize Winners announced, and major awards distributed!

* Detailed submission information and lists of past winners and topics are at:

www.cimit.org/grants-cimitprize.html

Technologies of particular interest are ones that could improve access to medical care, leverage the skill of caregivers, automate routine tasks, increase workflow efficiency, support patients managing chronic disease, increase compliance with care protocols, reduce medical error, or augment the physician-patient relationship.

“Winning the Prize has helped me to build an experimental doctor’s office and patient home in a setting where it will be possible to demonstrate our novel technologies for care delivery in a dramatically more compelling manner.”

- John Moore, doctoral candidate at the MIT Media Lab and Winner of the 2009 CIMIT Prize for Primary Healthcare

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