In 2009 we are delighted to welcome, alongside the ALT Learning Technologist of the Year Award, the Epigeum Award for Most Effective Use of Video, and the Jorum Learning & Teaching Competition.

This leaflet provides information about each award and competition, including details of the conference sessions which will showcase short-listed entries.

For more information about past and current awards and to keep up to date with announcements about future awards and competitions, please visit http://www.alt.ac.uk/awards.html.

ALT Learning Technologist of the Year Award 2009

The Association for Learning Technology (ALT) Learning Technologist of the Year Award is now in its third year of operation. The Award is open to individual members of ALT, and to individuals and teams based in ALT member organisations. There is a team and an individual award. The aim of the award is to celebrate and reward excellent practice and outstanding achievement in the learning technology field.

Online: http://www.alt.ac.uk/awards.html

ALT-C: The Award will be presented at ALT’s annual conference, ALT-C, during the Wednesday Gala Dinner on 9 September.

The Trustees of ALT gratefully acknowledge Pearson’s generous sponsorship of the 2009 Learning Technologist of the Year Award. For more information about Pearson go to http://www.pearson.com.
Epigeum Award for the Most Effective Use of Video

The purpose of this prize is to give credit to those practitioners who are exploiting video to enhance learning. There will be four criteria when judging entries: creativity, wisdom of technological choices, fit for purposeness of production, and effect on student learning. Submissions must relate to video components of either online courses or online components of blended learning courses. There are no other restrictions.

Online: [http://www.alt.ac.uk/awards.html](http://www.alt.ac.uk/awards.html)

ALT-C: The Epigeum award showcase of short-listed entries will take place on Wednesday, 9 September in the Main Lecture Theatre at 4.30pm. The winner will be announced at the Gala Dinner on the same day. Short-listed videos can also be viewed in the exhibition space.

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Jorum Learning & Teaching Competition

The Jorum Learning & Teaching Competition (previously known as the Learning Object Competition) is again being held in conjunction with ALT-C. This is the first time Jorum has hosted the competition, previously run by Intrallect, who are kindly sponsoring the competition this year.

The panel of judges has been looking for exciting, innovative learning and teaching resources that have been created under a Creative Commons licence. The Jorum team would like to thank all those who took the time to enter - the standard of entries has been extremely high.

Online: [http://www.jorum.ac.uk/community/altcCompetition.html](http://www.jorum.ac.uk/community/altcCompetition.html) (case sensitive)

ALT-C: A shortlist of commended resources will be presented in the main lecture theatre, Tuesday 8 September at 3.45pm. The top three entrants will be presented with their prizes at the Gala Dinner on 9 September.