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Special “Michael Rothkopf Memorial” Issue on Auctions

Guest Editors

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The INFORMS journal *Decision Analysis* requests submission of papers for a special issue honoring the memory of Professor Michael Rothkopf. Consistent with Mike’s research interests, this special issue will focus on auctions (and, more generally, market design), as well as their application to energy and related public policy issues.

The two principal Rothkopf Memorial activities, this special issue and the Michael Rothkopf Memorial Conference at Pennsylvania State University on June 1–3, 2009, are being coordinated. However, a paper need not be presented at the conference to be submitted for inclusion in the special issue, and only a few of the papers presented at the conference will be included. All submitted papers will be peer reviewed in accordance with the usual standards for acceptance for publication in *Decision Analysis*; for more information, see <http://da.pubs.informs.org/>.

The special issue will be co-edited by Robert Bordley of General Motors (robert.bordley@gm.com) and Elena Katok of Penn State (ekatok@psu.edu), assisted by Associate Editors Wedad Elmaghraby, Terry Harrison, Ron Harstad, Shmuel Oren, and Sasa Pekec. Queries may be directed to Bordley and/or Katok; they will promptly respond to an abstract by indicating whether the paper’s topic would fit within the scope of the special issue.

Submissions, due by April 20, 2009, are to be submitted at the website <http://mc.manuscriptcentral.com/deca>. Submitting authors should indicate their desire to be considered for the special issue in the author cover letter comments to Editor-in-Chief L. Robin Keller. Technical questions about submissions may be directed to Managing Editor Kelly M. Kophazi (kmkophazi@earthlink.net).