



January 29, 2007

Prof. Steen Hanson
Chairman of the Danish Optical Society
Optics and Plasma Research Department
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Dear Prof. Hanson:

It is my pleasure to inform you that Sergey I. Bozhevolnyi of Aalborg Universitet has been selected as a fellow of the Optical Society of America. OSA has been recognized as the leading professional society for the optics and photonics community. Founded in 1916, its members include more than 14,000 optical scientists, engineers and technicians worldwide.

This honor is limited to ten percent of the OSA membership and is for members who have served with distinction in the advancement of optics. Prof. Bozhevolnyi is being honored specifically *for pioneering contributions to near-field optics and plasmonics, including nonlinear phenomena and surface plasmon localization and guiding in nanostructures.*

If we can provide additional information on this award, please do not hesitate to contact the OSA Awards Office at awards@osa.org or 1 202/416-1960. More information is available on-line at <http://www.osa.org/aboutosa/awards/fellows/default.aspx>.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Elizabeth A. Rogan". The signature is fluid and cursive, written in a professional style.

Elizabeth A. Rogan
Executive Director

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