


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## Illusion Contest Calls for Entries

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Posted on: September 18, 2007 8:00 AM, by [Sandra Kiume](#)

The [Best Visual Illusion of the Year Contest](#) is now accepting submissions for its 2008 prizes. The Neural Correlate Society hosts this fun and popular event now entering its fourth year. [Last year's winning illusion](#) will be tough to top!

New this year are the three winners' trophies, designed by sculptor [Guido Moretti](#). The trophies themselves are visual illusions that change shape when you rotate them. Very cool. [Click here](#) to see the sculptures' shapes when rotated.

The image above is one of the 2007 entrants, "It's a Circle, Honest!" by David Whitaker. [Here's how he created it.](#)

