Harris & Harris Group Professor Andrew Lo and Senior Lecturer Mark Mueller won the first annual Harry M. Markowitz Award for their paper “Warning: Physics Envy May Be Hazardous to Your Wealth!” The award honors the best paper appearing in the Journal of Investment Management.

Three faculty members won National Science Foundation CAREER Awards. Robert N. Noyce Career Development Professor Vivek Farias won for his project “Large Scale Stochastic Control: A Math Programming and Discrete Optimization Lens.” Assistant Professor of Statistics Cynthia Rudin won for her project “New Approaches for Ranking in Machine Learning.” Douglas Drane Career Development Professor in Information Technology and Management Catherine Tucker won for her project “Digital Privacy and Regulation.”

Assistant Professor of Applied Economics Alberto Cavallo and Society of Sloan Fellows Professor of Management Roberto Rigobon were featured in the New York Times Magazine’s “10th Annual Year in Ideas” issue for their Real-time Inflation Calculator, available at http://bpp.mit.edu.

Senior Lecturer Leigh Hafrey and Cate Reavis, project manager for MIT Sloan Teaching Innovation Resources, won the Public Sector Innovations category of the 2010 European Foundation for Management Development Annual Case Writing Competition for “Management Principles and the Washington, D.C. Public Schools.” The two-part case study examined then-Deputy Mayor for Education Victor Reinoso’s, MBA ’97, search for a school chancellor and pursuit of federal Race to the Top funds.

MIT Sloan School Career Development Professor Denise Lewin Loyd, along with co-authors Lisa M. Amoroso of Roosevelt University and Jenny M. Hoobler of the University of Illinois at Chicago, won the Fritz Roethlisberger Memorial Award for the best article published in the Journal of Management Education in 2010. The winning paper is entitled, “The Diversity Education Dilemma: Exposing Status Hierarchies Without Reinforcing Them.”