

Student Best Paper Award

Established: 2005

Description: To recognize the student best paper in the Industrial Electronics Society publications or conferences, and to encourage the student or graduate student author to contribute further to the field of industrial electronics.

Administration: IES Awards & Honors (A&H) Committee

Eligibility: Author(s) of papers in the IES publications or major IES conferences during the year specified for the award, where the first author must be a student IEEE member or a graduate student IEEE member.

Prize: US\$2,000 and certificate, plus reimbursement for IES-approved travel expenses to receive the award, up to but not more than US\$3,000. In the case of multiple papers being awarded, or multiple student co-authors, the prize and travel reimbursements are to be divided. Co-authors who are not students shall receive a copy of the certificate, but shall not share the prize or travel expense reimbursement.

Funding: IEEE Industrial Electronics Society

Presentation: At the Society's annual conference.

Operational details

Nominee solicitation: IES A&H Committee calls for nominations through these persons:

- Editors-in-Chief: Transactions on Industrial Electronics, Transactions on Industrial Informatics, Industrial Electronics Magazine.
- General chairs: ICIT, INDIN, ISIE, IECON

by sending the updated nomination form by 1 February each year. Each of them shall then coordinate an evaluation process to select one nominee from their respective publication or conference; their selection process must be completed by 1 April.

Deadlines: All nominee recommendations must be submitted to IES A&H Committee by 1 April.

Judging criteria: The award paper shall be selected based on the value of the contribution, subject matter, originality, and composition. Awarded only when suitable candidates are identified. Not necessarily awarded annually.

Award recommendation: IES A&H Committee will review and send all eligible nominations to the VP Publications and Chair of the Student & Young Professionals Committee, who will jointly make a final selection. Their recommendation will be returned to IES A&H Committee no later than 1 May. A&H Committee will present the recommendation to IES AdCom for final approval at the summer AdCom meeting.

Publicity: The award winner(s) will be publicized in the IEEE Industrial Electronics Magazine and on the IEEE Industrial Electronics Society website.

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