
Call for Nominations: Outstanding Graduate Student Research Awards

Due: See Deadline on ME Grad Blog

Seeking to recognize excellence in graduate student research, the College of Engineering in 2013 initiated the Graduate Student Research Awards program. ME will be allowed to nominate two PhD students.

Award amount:

Each Outstanding Research Graduate Student will receive \$2,000, a certificate, and recognition in a video produced specifically for this event.

Eligibility:

Nominees must: Be a PhD student in good academic standing who has passed the preliminary exam

Have graduated or expected to graduate between 06/01/2022 and 12/31/2023

Have published at least one peer-reviewed journal article and/or made at least one oral or poster presentation at a professional conference. *For non-publicly published articles, certifications from appropriate authorities are needed. (Priority should be given to papers where the student is lead author)

Selection Criteria examples: Peer-reviewed publications in journals or conference proceedings; Awards for research, including best paper and outstanding presentations; Recognized or potential contribution of the research to the field; Recognized or potential contribution of the research to Society; Leadership within a research group or community (including mentoring of graduate and undergraduate students in their research); Academic achievement; Participation in professional societies.

Nomination Packages shall contain:

A letter from the Head of the School or the Chair of the Graduate Committee, identifying the School's nominee and describing the process used to select the nominee within the School---***If selected as ME's nominee, this will be added to the nomination package before submission to the college.***;

Cover sheet containing all required information about the nominee- name (Last, First, MI), name to appear on certificate if selected, PUID, Purdue student email, if student is international or domestic, gender of student, date of birth (mm/dd/yyyy), local address, and permanent address

A letter from the student's major professor addressing the selection criteria;

A copy of one paper accepted or published in a peer-reviewed journal or conference proceeding;

A copy of the student's transcript

Name nomination file “Outstanding Graduate Student Research Nomination – Student Name”, and send via FileLocker to Sheri Tague (search for ‘dill3’), by deadline as listed on ME Grad Student blog.