



TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS DIVISION OUTSTANDING MENTOR AWARD*

The TSD Outstanding Mentor Award recognizes exceptional mentorship and sustained contributions to the professional development of students, early career researchers, and/or professionals in transportation systems.

1. **DATE OF SUBMISSION:** _____

2. **FULL NAME OF NOMINEE:** _____

Nominee's affiliation: _____

Nominee's position/title: _____

Nominee's address: _____

3. **CITATION:** Provide a concise citation (up to 50 words) highlighting the nominee's outstanding mentorship contributions, impact, and leadership.

4. **NOMINATOR:** Name, affiliation, and email address of the individual(s) submitting the nomination, along with a brief description of nominator's ASME involvement and their relationship to the nominee.

5. **REFERENCES:** Name and email address of **3 individuals** acquainted with the nominee's mentorship contributions (at least one should be a former or current mentee). Each reference should provide a written letter (1 page limit).

6. **MENTORSHIP RECORD AND IMPACT:** Provide a detailed description (up to 500 words) of the nominee's mentorship activities over at least ten years, including, but not limited to:
 - Number and types of mentees (e.g., students, postdocs, junior professionals)
 - Career outcomes of mentees (e.g., placements, promotions, leadership roles)
 - Mentorship approach and philosophy
 - Evidence of sustained, meaningful impact
 - Contributions beyond direct advising (e.g., development of mentorship programs, leadership in professional development, efforts supporting diversity, equity, and inclusion)
 - Notable recognitions, mentoring awards, or other indicators of mentorship excellence (if any)

7. **BRIEF BIOGRAPHY (Optional):** Provide a summary of positions held, honors and awards, ASME involvement, and participation in other professional societies, or include this information in the nominee's CV/resume.

Send the completed form, reference letters, and nominee's current CV/resume to the TSD Honors and Awards Chair: Dr. Ross Wang cwang@ornl.gov by the submission deadline posted on the ASME website.

* Eligible candidates must demonstrate a minimum of ten years of sustained and impactful mentorship contributing to the advancement of individuals in the transportation systems field.