



TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS DIVISION EARLY CAREER AWARD*

The TSD Early Career Award recognizes early career research excellence in all areas of transportation.

1. **DATE OF SUBMISSION:** _____

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

Nominee's terminal degree and date: _____

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 technical, professional, and/or research contributions and impact in transportation systems.

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:** Provide the names and email addresses of **2 individuals** familiar with the nominee's qualifications. Each reference should provide a letter of support (1-page limit).

6. **QUALIFICATIONS AND PROFESSIONAL IMPACT**: Provide a clear summary (up to 500 words) of the nominee's professional, technical, research, and/or innovation achievements, including:
 - Key contributions to transportation systems research and practice
 - Evidence of an independent professional or research profile
 - Indicators of impact (e.g., citations, implementations, collaborations, funding, deployed technologies, patents, or influence on practice/policy)
 - Up to five most significant publications, patents, technical products, or other relevant outputs (listed in approximate order of significance)

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 have established an independent research profile in their field. The nomination must be submitted within 10 years of the nominee receiving their terminal degree (e.g., BS, MS, Ph.D.).