

## IEEE Southern Alberta Section Scholarship Awards

IEEE Southern Alberta Section awards are presented to recognize excellence in the academics, research and leadership for IEEE SAS. The awards are designed to increase the academic drive, to acknowledge excellence in research, and promote leadership in the section.

### **Award Description:**

1. IEEE SAS – Academics	1 Award	\$1000
2. IEEE SAS – Research	1 Award	\$1000
3. IEEE SAS - Leadership	1 Award	\$1000

### **Eligibility:**

- A candidate can be eligible for these awards as long as they are an IEEE member or an IEEE student member who is attending a recognized post-secondary institution within the geographic boundaries of the IEEE Southern Alberta Section.
- Candidates must be nominated by a faculty member.
- Candidates can only apply for one award per year.
- Nominees for IEEE-SAS –Academics have to be enrolled in an undergraduate degree program.
- Nominees for IEEE-SAS –Research have to be enrolled in a graduate degree program.
- Nominees for IEEE SAS – Leadership can be either a graduate or an undergraduate student.

### **Selection Criteria:**

A call for nominations for the awards will be made by 1 April of the year. The nominator will fill in the nomination form and submit it before the due date of 30 May. The awards committee members evaluate the nominations and choose a winner by mid-September.

#### Award #1: IEEE SAS – Academics

The scoring criteria will be 50% on the grades, 30% on reference letters and 20% on the extra-curricular activities.

#### Award #2: IEEE SAS - Research

The scoring criteria for this award will be: 50% on the originality and the impact of the research, 30% on reference letters and 20% on the extra-curricular activities.

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### **Award #3: Leadership:**

The scoring criteria for this award will be: 50% on the breadth and impact of the leadership activities and, 30% on reference letters and 20% on the grades.

### **Awards Committee:**

The awards will be administered jointly by the IEEE Southern Alberta Section and the IEEE Canadian Foundation.

### **Nature of the award:**

The Awardees will receive \$1000. In addition, the awardees are recognized by the IEEE SAS through a certificate to be signed by IEEE SAS president and the chair of the awards committee. The awards will be given to the recipients at the IEEE SAS Annual General Meeting which is normally held in November of each year.

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### INSTRUCTIONS

Both the Nominator and Nominee complete this form including signing and dating the form. Submit the completed form and any reference letters as .PDFs to [IEEESAS@IEEE.org](mailto:IEEESAS@IEEE.org) with the subject line "IEEE SAS Scholarship Awards".

#### **Step 1: Please identify which Scholarship Award is being applied for:**

- 1.1 IEEE SAS Academics
- 1.2 IEEE SAS Research
- 1.3 IEEE SAS Leadership

#### **Step 2: Identify Nominee:**

- 2.1 Full name (surname last): \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.2 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.3 University: \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.4 University ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.5 IEEE membership number: \_\_\_\_\_
- 2.6 Current year/level: \_\_\_\_\_ of a \_\_\_\_\_ year/level program.  
(e.g. year 3 of a 4 year program)

#### **Step 3: Identify Nominee's Qualifications :**

##### **3.1 IEEE SAS Academics Award**

- 3.1.1 Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
(from last semester)
- 3.1.2 Indicate what extra-curricular activities you are involved with and how they relate to this award (up to 600 characters):

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### **3.2 IEEE SAS Research Award:**

3.2.1 Describe the originality and impact of your research (up to 600 characters):

3.2.2 Indicate what extra-curricular activities you are involved with and how they relate to this award (up to 600 characters):

### **3.3 IEEE SAS Leadership Award**

3.3.1 Overall GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
(from last semester)

3.1.2 Describe the breadth and impact of your leadership activities (up to 600 characters):

5.1 Nominee's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Day/Month/Year)

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### **Step 4: Identify the Nominator :**

- 1.1 Full name (surname last): \_\_\_\_\_
- 1.2 E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_
- 1.3 University: \_\_\_\_\_ Faculty: \_\_\_\_\_
- 1.4 IEEE membership number: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Enter 0 if you are not a member)

### **Step 5: Nominator to indicate why this student is qualified to receive this scholarship (up to 600 characters)**

- 5.1 Nominator's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Day/Month/Year)

### **Step 6: Once completed, attach all Reference Letters and Submit to [IEESAS@ieee.org](mailto:IEESAS@ieee.org)**