



Call for Nominations

EDAA Outstanding Dissertations Award 2008

In recognition of the importance of University research to the advancement of design, automation and test, and to encourage young researchers to work in the field, EDAA has established an award for outstanding Ph.D. dissertations in 4 categories:

Topic 1 – New directions in embedded system design and embedded software

Topic 2 – New directions in logic and system design

Topic 3 – New directions in physical design, design for manufacturing and CAD for analog circuits and MEMS.

Topic 4 – New directions in circuit and system test

In 2007, EDAA has received a total of 36 submissions (36 in 2006, 27 in 2005, 20 in 2004).

In each category, one award can be given. Each award consists of a 1 000 € prize and a certificate. The awards will be presented at the DATE 2009 conference.

- ▶ Eligible are all dissertations which have been finalized in the last 2 years before the submission deadline.
- ▶ Nominations shall be submitted electronically and shall contain:
 - an indication of the category (one only)
 - an extended statement explaining the outstanding contributions of the thesis,
 - the PhD Thesis, preferably in English.A thesis which is written in a language other than English must be accompanied by sufficient published material in English so that the jury can judge contributions and quality of the PhD work,
 - a CV and a list of related publications.
- ▶ Nominations shall be supported by at least 2 reference letters of experts in the respective fields, at least one from a different university.
- ▶ Awardees must be present at DATE 2009 to receive the Award.
- ▶ SPRINGER will publish these awarded dissertations in the EDAA Outstanding Monographs series.

Deadline for nominations is 10 September 2008.

The nominations should be submitted electronically, exclusively in PDF format, through the following URL address at EDAA website: <http://edaaward.imag.fr>

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