

IOPS Best Paper Award 2024

Deadline submissions 15 May 2025

IOPS is soliciting nominations for an award for exceptional published research by a PhD student. IOPS rewards this prize for a single research article published or accepted for publication in the year **2024** (*take notice: some communications mistakenly referred to 2025*). The winner will receive an amount of € 600 sponsored by IOPS and will be invited to give a presentation at future IOPS conferences. The jury will announce the author of the winning paper at the upcoming Summer Conference in Mannheim.

Eligible is anyone who

- formerly was, or still is an IOPS student
- has submitted the 1st version of the paper during their PhD membership with IOPS
- is first author or single author of the paper

Nominations

Nominations are open - anyone can nominate a candidate. Only one paper can be submitted per nominee, but nominating several candidates from the same research group is allowed. Papers in peer-reviewed journals will be given more weight than chapters in books.

How to submit

Submissions should include an electronic copy of the published (or accepted) paper and a covering letter containing the following:

- name of the PhD student, title of the paper and the journal or book in which it was published
- the students' contribution to the paper
- a short motivation pointing out the
 - originality and potential contribution to science
 - strength of research design and methods
 - knowledge exchange and impact in wider context
 - accessibility/readability

Please send your submission before 15 May to secretariaat@iops.nl