2017 Excellent Student Award of the IEEE Fukuoka Section

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*** Application deadline: November 1, 2017 ***

The purpose of this award is to honor young students who have published excellent papers in English. Entry requirements are outlined below. We strongly encourage all eligible students to apply. We also cordially ask all professors to encourage their students to apply.

For more information, including an application form and last year's award winners, please visit the following website:

http://www.ieee-jp.org/section/fukuoka/

Application Guide:

1. Qualifications for Entry:

The applicant must be a student (including graduate students, *1) of a technical college or university in the IEEE Fukuoka Section area (i.e., Kyushu and Okinawa), must be **under 35 years old as of April 1, 2017**, must be **an IEEE Student Member or Member at the time of application**, and the main contributor of an English paper that was either:

- (A) Published in 2016 or 2017, or to be published by December 31, 2017 in the IEEE Transactions, the IEEE Journals or other IEEE materials, or
- (B) Presented in 2016 or 2017, or to be presented by December 31, 2017 by the applicant at a peer-reviewed international conference sponsored, co-sponsored, or supported by the IEEE (including the IEEE Fukuoka Section) and also published/accepted in the Proceedings of the conference.

Please note: Papers presented at any International Session of the Joint Conference of Electrical, Electronics and Information Engineers in Kyushu are not eligible to apply.

Note:

*1 Even if the applicant is not a student at the time of application, the applicant is eligible if the applicant was a student at the time of (A) receiving the notification of acceptance from IEEE Transactions, the IEEE Journals or other IEEE materials, or (B) presenting the paper in the conference.

*2 Students who received this awards in the past years are ineligible.

2. Name of the Award:

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3. Process for application:

The following two PDF files must be e-mailed as attached documents to the Student Activities Committee Chair of the IEEE Fukuoka Section (see the e-mail address below). The Student Activities Committee Chair will reply to you, after checking your application form.

- 1) Please download the "appl_form_e.doc" file in the IEEE Fukuoka Section website as mentioned above. Fill in the application form, including a summary of about 200 words along with the contribution of the applicant to the paper, etc. At the bottom of the form the supervisor of the applicant is able to write an optional letter of recommendation. Finally please convert the application form to PDF format.
- 2) Please make a PDF file of your paper as cited above in Item 1. If your paper has not yet been published, its acceptance notification must be e-mailed along with the PDF file of the author's final version of the paper.

4. Schedule:

Application period: September 1—November 1, 2017 **Announcement of selection results:** February, 2018 The results will be posted on the IEEE Fukuoka Section website.

5. Addressee of the Application Form and the PDF file of your paper:

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