

Call for Nominations for the IEEE ComSoc MMTC 2021 Awards

to multicomm@COMSOC.ORG,

Dear Fellow MMTC Members,

On behalf of the MMTC Awards subcommittee, I am writing to invite nominations for IEEE ComSoc MMTC Service and Researcher Awards for the year of 2021. In particular, we are calling for nominations for the following six types of awards:

- § Best Conference paper Award
- § Best Journal Paper Award
- § Outstanding Leadership Award
- § Distinguished Service Award
- § Outstanding Researcher Award
- § Outstanding Young Researcher Award

Details about these awards, eligibility conditions, and selection procedures are defined in the MMTC PnP at: https://site.ieee.org/comsoc-mmctc/files/2021/02/MMCTC-PP_revised_20210216-1.pdf

To become eligible for the two paper awards:

- § The paper should be on topic within the scope of MMTC;
- § The paper should be published in an IEEE ComSoc journal/magazine or in the proceedings of an IEEE ComSoc-sponsored conference/workshop/symposium that is relevant to MMTC, in the previous three years of the nomination.

The two service awards will be given based on exemplary services to MMTC. To become eligible for the awards:

The nominee must be an MMTC member at the time of nomination.

§ For the Outstanding Leadership Award, the nominee must have served as an IG Chair/Vice-Chair or Board Director/Co-Director before or at the time of nomination.

§ For the Distinguished Service Award, the nominee must have been an MMTC member for a sustained period of time and have made significant contribution to MMTC over that period.

The two research awards will be given based on the research achievements in the areas of Multimedia& Communications. To become eligible for the awards:

§ The nominee must be someone who has made significant technical contribution to research community; be an IEEE ComSoc Member and an active MMTC member at the time of nomination.

§ For Outstanding Young Researcher Award, the nominee must be within 10 years since completion of Ph.D. at the time of nomination.

Nominations should be sent to the MMTC Awards Subcommittee Chair (Dr. Shiwen Mao - smao@ieee.org) and copy MMTC Chair (wujun@fudan.edu.cn) and MMTC Secretary (Dr. Han Hu – huhan627@gmail.com) in a single PDF file include the following information:

§ Award name

§ Nominator name, affiliation, and contact info

§ Nominee name & affiliation, contact info, and IEEE ComSoc membership information

§ A nomination letter no more than one page, summarizing the contributions of the paper or the candidate

Self-nomination will not be accepted. The current MMTC officers are not eligible for these awards. The deadline for submitting the nomination is *** Sunday, Mar. 20, 2022 ***.

Best Regards,

Shiwen Mao
IEEE ComSoc MMTC Awards Subcommittee Chair

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