

## NOMINATION FORM FOR THE NPSS MERIT AWARD

Nominations are due January 31<sup>st</sup>

Nominations are limited to 8 pages in length. The page count does not include this instruction page.

For tips on how to write a successful award nomination refer to [Tips for Writing a Successful NPSS Award Nomination](#).

The nomination must be compliant with the IEEE Policy on Award Limitations, which states “Normally, an individual shall receive only one honor in recognition of a given achievement, unless the significance of the achievement is such as to merit subsequently a higher award. A higher award may be given in the following year or thereafter.”

In the hierarchy of NPSS awards, IEEE level awards are considered higher than NPSS Society level awards, which are considered higher than NPSS Conference level awards. Technical Committee awards with a prize amount greater than \$2K are considered Society level awards. Within a given award category, generally, the higher the monetary value, the higher the level of the award.

If an individual being nominated for any of our NPSS awards has already received any type of IEEE award for the same or similar work, the nominator must explain why the achievement for which the individual is being nominated is significantly different than that for which the previous award was given.

When applying for a lower level award, it will be the judgment of the NPSS Awards Committee to determine if the achievements are sufficiently different as to merit consideration for the lesser award.

1. NAME OF CANDIDATE

Last, First, Middle

POSITION/ORGANIZATION

BUSINESS ADDRESS

HOME ADDRESS

TELEPHONE

EMAIL

BIRTHDATE

2. EDUCATION

<u>Educational Institution</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Degrees</u>	<u>Year</u>

3. PROPOSED CITATION (not more than thirty words - - typically stated as "For contributions to...")

4. NOMINATOR

NAME

ADDRESS

TELEPHONE

EMAIL



6. List and describe significant individual technical contributions of candidate, emphasizing the impact of these contributions.

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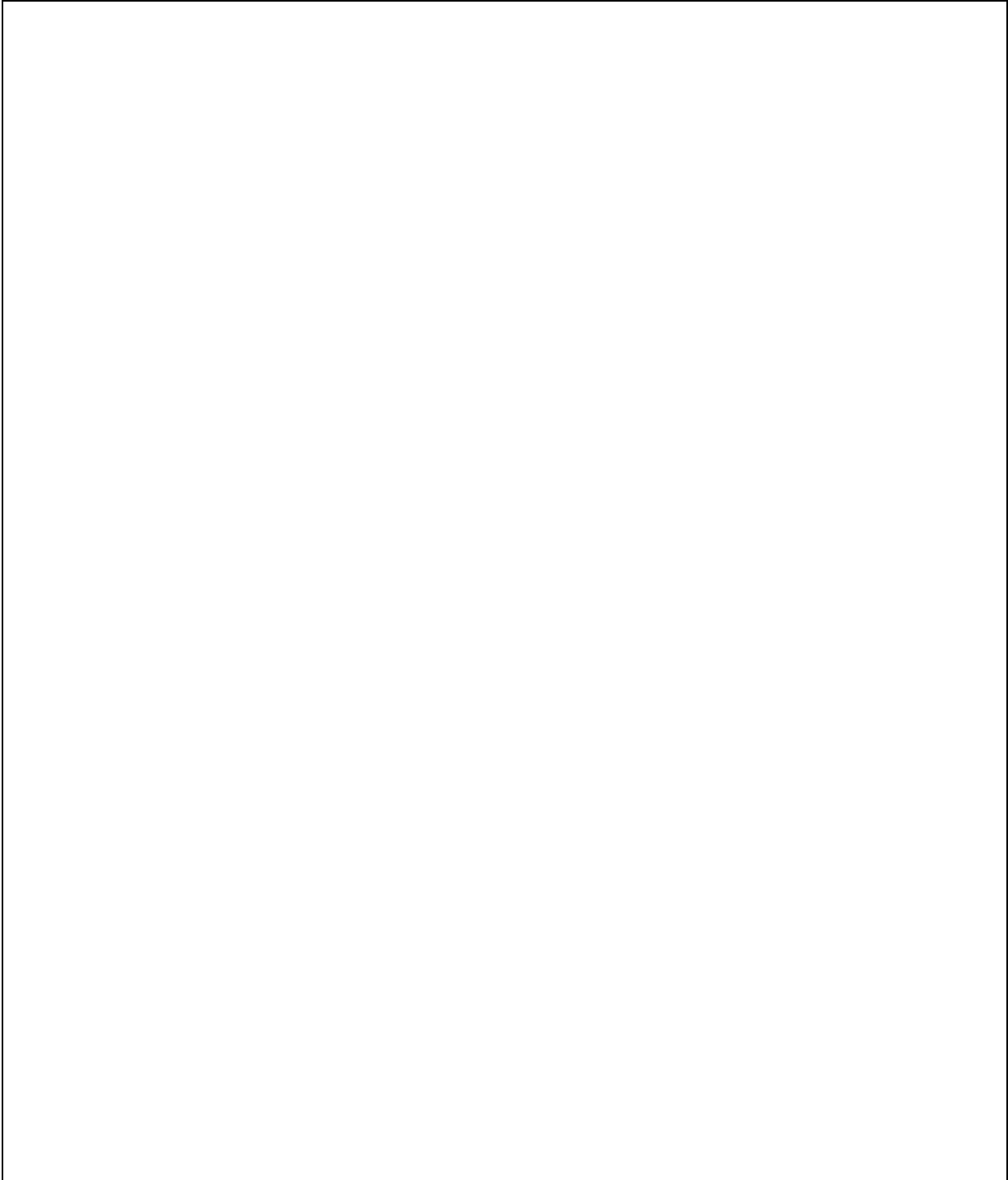
7. List and describe significant technical contributions made by teams led by candidate.

8. List the candidate's most significant publications and patents. Please include the number of times each of these publications has been cited (e.g., from Web of Science (<http://isiknowledge.com/>)).

9. List and describe briefly the leadership and service provided by the candidate to the fields of nuclear and plasma sciences and related disciplines, including to the IEEE and NPSS.

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10. Present any additional information that the nominator considers relevant.

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Nominators may submit up to three letters in support of the candidate. **Supporting letters are limited to 2 pages each.**

**Nominations should be submitted electronically following the instructions on the NPSS Awards website**