Best Doctoral Thesis Award
Call for Submissions

The Award's purpose is to promote most impactful doctoral student work, to provide the doctoral students with the exposure to the community and the prospective employers, and to support interaction between academia and industry in the field of test technology

The Doctoral Student Contest

- The contest is held in two stages: semi-finals and finals
- European semi-finals 2010 are held at ETS 2010
- The jury composed of industrial experts will determine the winner of the semi-finals
- The winner will compete against other regional winners in the finals, held at ITC 2010
- Both the student and the advisor of the winning work will be recognized

Eligibility

- All active doctoral students working on test-related topics are eligible for the Award
- An individual can only participate in the contest once in a lifetime
- Participation is encouraged when the thesis is close to completion
- Student must not have graduated before the submission deadline
- Submissions to multiple regional sites are prohibited

Submission Instructions

- Prospective contestants must submit a one-page (A4) summary of their thesis
- One additional page is allowed for figures and references
- Submissions must include the names of the student, one advisor and start/end dates
- Submissions will undergo a selection process
- All submissions must be made through the ETS homepage **www.ieee-ets.org** (following the link for paper submission) before **January 20**

The Semi-Finals

- Selected contestants will be given a short (7-minute) presentation slot in a designated technical session and a poster in a designated poster session
- The winner selected by the jury will be announced in ETS's closing session
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