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Nomination process for all the awards

a) The online nomination form(s) should be filled up before the deadlines.
b) Student Branch/Chapter interaction and activities are an integral part of the award criteria.
c) Supporting documents have to be provided along with the nomination form.
d) Chairman/Convener of Award has full right to reject/accept any application.

Awards and Deadlines:

- Outstanding Branch Counselor/Chapter/AG Advisor Award (January 5, 2024)
- Best Student Branch/Student Chapter Award (January 5, 2024)
- Branch/Chapter Membership growth/retention Award (January 5, 2024)
- Outstanding Section Volunteer Award (January 5, 2024)
- Best Society Chapter Award (January 5, 2024)
- Best Emerging Branch/Chapter Award (January 5, 2024)
- Technologist of the Year Award (January 5, 2024)
- UP Section Start-up Award (January 5, 2024)
- Activities-Based Branch Incentive Award (November 5, 2023).
  - Events must be reported before 31st October.

# Please check the eligibility criteria and other details before proceeding.

Google form: https://forms.gle/kXPiaQ5VMSHHowD76
Contact at: ieeeupsectionawards@gmail.com
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Outstanding Branch Counselor/Chapter/AG Advisor Award

For extraordinarily promoting the student activities, IEEE Uttar Pradesh (UP) Section constitutes an Outstanding Branch Counselor/Chapter/AG(Affinity Group) Advisor Award. The Counselor/Advisor, who has demonstrated the IEEE activities in terms of the educational, personal, professional, and technical development of the concerned Branch/Chapter/AG under the IEEE UP Section, would be the winner. The awardee will receive a cash price of INR 7500/- and a certificate during the AGM of the Section, generally held in January/February. The recipient of the award will get travel support from the IEEE UP Section to receive this award.

Eligibility Criteria

a) Nominating Branch or Branch Chapter must meet the requirements of the IEEE Bylaws in the current academic year by submitting required reporting forms and holding at least three activities during the calendar year.

b) Past winners are ineligible for re-nomination for three years.

c) Self-nomination is also permitted. Section executive committee members can also nominate the individual.

d) Special consideration will also be given to the Counselor/Advisor for helping other Branches/Chapters to create new Branch/Chapter/AG and conducting activities etc.

e) The nominee should not be a member/convener of the Award committee of that year.

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Best Student Branch / Student Branch Chapter Award

A Student Branch/ Student Branch Chapter that has performed exceptionally well based on the last two-year activities in promoting the IEEE goals and mission in their respective branch is eligible for this award. The student chairperson and office bearers of the winning Student Branch/ Student Branch Chapter will receive certificates during the AGM of the Section. The student chair or his nominee will only get travel support from the section to receive this award. Two-year performance is to be evaluated with 75% weightage to current year and 25% weightage to the previous year.

Eligibility Criteria

Nominating Student Branch or Student Branch Chapter must meet the requirements of the IEEE Bylaws in the current academic year by submitting required reporting forms and holding at least three activities during the calendar year.

a) Past winners are ineligible for re-nomination for three years.
b) Self-nomination is also permitted.
c) Section executive committee members can also nominate a Branch/Branch Chapter.
d) Special consideration will also be given to the nominated Branch/Branch Chapter to hold meetings/activities with other Branches/Chapters.
(e) The Branch Counselor/Advisor of that Branch/Chapter should not be a member/convener of the Award Committee of that year.

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Outstanding Section Volunteer Award (Professional)

This award is proposed under the professional category to encourage the Section volunteers to organize and participate in IEEE activities. The primary criteria for selection are the enthusiastic support of the volunteer to the Section/Branch/Chapter activities by him or her in the last two calendar years. The awardee will receive a cash prize of INR 7500/- and a certificate during the AGM of the Section, generally held in January/February.

Eligibility Criteria

a) Volunteer must have completed two years of membership.
b) The winner must have done volunteering at the Section/Chapter/Branch/IC/Region level at various forums like conferences, seminars, symposiums, technical talks etc.
c) Past winners are ineligible for re-nomination for three years.
d) Self-nomination is also permitted.

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Outstanding Section Student Volunteer Award

(One Female & One Male)

This award is proposed under male and female categories to encourage the student volunteers (both student and graduate student members of IEEE) to organize and participate in IEEE activities. The primary criteria for selection are the enthusiastic support of the volunteer to the Section/Branch Chapter activities by him or her in the last two calendar years. The awardees (both male and female member) will receive a cash price of INR 5000/- each and a certificate during the AGM of the Section.

Eligibility Criteria

a) Volunteer must have completed two years of membership.
b) The winner will be those who have done volunteering at the Section/Chapter/Branch/IC/Region level at various forums like conferences, seminars, symposiums, technical talks etc.
c) Past winners are ineligible for re-nomination for three years.

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Best Society Chapter Award

A Society Chapter that has performed exceptionally well based on the last two-year activities in promoting the IEEE goals and mission in their respective chapter is eligible for this award. The Society Chapter chairperson will receive certificate for the best Society Chapter during the AGM of the section. Two-year performance is to be evaluated with 75% weightage to current year and 25% weightage to the previous year.

Eligibility Criteria

Nominating Society Chapter must meet the requirements of the IEEE Bylaws in the current academic year by submitting required reporting forms and holding at least three activities during the calendar year.

1. Past winners are ineligible for re-nomination for three years.
2. Section executive committee members can nominate a Society Chapter.
3. Special consideration will also be given to the nominated Society Chapters to those who maintained the below criteria:
   - Current Membership Status of that chapter.
   - Membership growth in last 2 years.
   - No. of Distinguished Lectures organized by the Society Chapter.
   - No. of Seminars, Webinars, Invited Talks, and Non-Technical Events organized by the Society Chapter.
   - Workshops/ Conferences organized by the Society Chapter.

Deadline: January 5, 2024
Best Emerging Branch/Chapter Award

This award is proposed to recognize the growth and liveliness of Student Branch/Chapter established in the last two years. The student chairperson or office bearers of the winning Branch/Branch Chapter will receive certificates during the AGM of the Section.

Eligibility Criteria

a) Nominating Branch or Branch Chapter must meet the requirements of the IEEE Bylaws for the last two academic years.

b) Branch or Branch Chapter must organize at least five activities in each calendar year.

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Branch/Chapter Membership Growth/Retention Award

This award is proposed to recognize the retention and growth of any Chapter/Branch. The winner Branch/Chapter will receive financial support in organizing the events. The financial support in organizing the events on a reimbursement basis will be allocated as mentioned below:

- 1st Rank - Rs. 15000/-
- 2nd rank - Rs. 12000/-
- 3rd rank - Rs. 10000/-

Eligibility Criteria

a) Nominating Branch/Chapter must meet the requirements of the IEEE Bylaws in the current academic year by submitting required reporting forms and holding at least three activities during the calendar year.

b) The applying Branch must have a minimum of 30 student members

c) The applying Branch/Chapter must have at least 20% growth in student members and 70% renewal in membership.

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Technologist of the Year Award (Male and Female)

It is proposed to give Technologist of the Year Award for persons (Male and Female) of eminence from the Industry (located in UP). It is not necessary to be IEEE member. The contribution of the person to the industry shall be the criterion for selection. The following points may be considered for selection:

a) Must have minimum 10 years of experience
b) Education in the field of Engineering
c) Has contributed in the field of Science, Engineering & Technology
d) Contribution towards Nation building

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UP Section Start-up of the Year Award

Eligibility Criteria

- The start-up should be nominated by a member of the executive committee or Branch/ Chapter with detailed justification.
- Nominated start-up must have existed for a minimum of 2 years.
- Nominated Industry/ Organizations must have located in UP
- The start-up should be working in the areas of IEEE.

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Activity-based Branch/Chapter Incentive Award

This award is proposed to promote the Student Branch/Chapter in organizing and reporting the events through vtools. The student chairperson or office bearers of the winning Branch/Chapter will receive certificates during the AGM of the Section.

Eligibility Criteria

- Reporting of the events by the Branches/Chapters on vTool will be taken into consideration. An email should be sent to ieeeupsectionawards@gmail.com by the respective Branch/Chapter before November 5th.
- The events reported by all Branches/Chapters would be considered as events of the respective Branch/Chapter.
- The events should be organized from November 1 (previous) to October 31 (current year) and reported on vTool till October 31.
- Top Five Student Branches/Chapters shall be awarded Rs 10000 (One First prize), Rs. 7000 (One Second prize), and Rs. 5000 (Three Third prizes), along with certificates.

Deadline:
For event reporting- October 31, 2023
For email sending- November 5, 2023
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The following awards are not based on nominations. The Award Committee will make some suggestions, which will then be finalised with the consultation of the Section Executive Committee.

Educationalist of the Year Award
(One Individual and One Organisational)

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