

Harold B. Gotaas Award

Requesting applications for Senior Research:

In order to encourage exemplary engineering research, the Harold B. Gotaas Award is presented to a senior who has demonstrated excellence in research as an undergraduate. The award is bestowed in memory of Dr. Gotaas, a former Dean of the McCormick School of Engineering and Applied Science

Dr. Harold B. Gotaas earned a Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering from Iowa State University and his doctorate from Harvard. Dr. Gotaas was selected Dean of Northwestern University Engineering in 1957.

The Harold B. Gotaas Award is available to graduating McCormick seniors only, and is awarded as a part of Northwestern University's Commencement Ceremonies. The winner will be announced immediately following the judging on Thursday, May 24, 2018.

To be considered for the award, candidates must submit an abstract in good technical report form. The student must do the majority of the research supporting the paper, and only single author papers will be accepted. The student's Primary Investigator must also send E-mail with description of the student's role in the project to jennifer-handel-henry@northwestern.edu

All submissions should adhere to the following guidelines:

- 4 page abstract
- Single author papers only
- Include title, name of author and advisor on first page or cover page
- Use a format appropriate for a scientific/technical journal

Deadline: Friday May 11 via pdf-file to Jenn Henry

jennifer-handel-henry@northwestern.edu

The chosen finalists are expected to give a brief 5-10 minute presentation about their research before a judging panel (**Thursday May 24**).

Harold B. Gotaas Award application

Name:

Title of Research:

Research Advisor or mentor:

Primary Investigator* (may be same as advisor):

Abstract or Brief description:

Attach up to Four page abstract of research methods and results.

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