

# RHIC & AGS Thesis Award

## DESCRIPTION:

Brookhaven National Laboratory invites Ph.D. students to submit their theses to the RHIC & AGS Thesis Award Competition. The purpose of the award is to recognize the most outstanding thesis related to research conducted at the RHIC or AGS complex. The award was established by Stony Brook University and Battelle Memorial Institute and will be awarded annually.

## AWARD:

The recipient of the award will receive a certificate of recognition, a check for \$1000, plus travel expenses of up to \$1000 to attend the Users' Meeting. Awards will be presented yearly at the annual meeting.

## RULES AND ELIGIBILITY:

Theses submitted for a December or June degree in a given year are eligible for the award. Selections are made by a committee, appointed by the Users' Executive Committee (UEC) Chairperson, and are judged on clarity of presentation, originality, and physics content. Submissions must include the following:

- Five copies of the thesis or an electronic copy, together with publications and/or reports describing the work.
- A letter of support from the nominee's Ph.D. thesis advisor.
- Two letters of support from physicists who are familiar with the candidate and his/her research.
- A statement of his/her contribution to the research.
- A brief curriculum vita of the nominee. Include the date of the thesis defense.

Application Deadline:

**April 15 of a given year**

Submissions should be mailed/e-mailed to:

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