



NORTHEASTERN ASSOCIATION OF GRADUATE SCHOOLS

**Doctoral Dissertation Award  
2018-2019**

**Physical Sciences, Mathematics, & Engineering**

Each year the Northeastern Association of Graduate Schools recognizes an outstanding dissertation that has been produced by a doctoral candidate at one of its member institutions. Nominees must have received the doctoral degree within five years preceding the year of competition. Therefore, people who completed all requirements for the degree after January 1, 2014 are eligible.

The 2018-2019 award will recognize a dissertation in **Physical Sciences, Mathematics, & Engineering**.

The \$1,000 award will be presented at the annual meeting's award luncheon on Friday, April 12, 2019 at the Sonesta Philadelphia Rittenhouse Square. The recipient will be invited to attend the meeting as a guest of the Association and **must be present to receive the award**.

Every member institution is invited to submit a nomination. There can be only one nominee from each institution. Nomination materials, which should be transmitted by the Graduate Dean, include

1. A completed nomination form (below).
2. An abstract of the nominee's dissertation (not to exceed 10 double-spaced pages)
  - a. Appendices containing nontextual material, such as charts or tables, may be included as additional pages. All pages should be numbered and each should bear the name of the nominee.
3. Three letters of recommendation evaluating the significance and quality of the nominee's dissertation work. One of these letters is to from the nominee's dissertation supervisor, another from a member of the nominee's dissertation committee, and the third from a person of the nominee's choice.
4. The nominee's curriculum vitae (not to exceed five pages).

**Nomination materials in Adobe pdf file format must be submitted by email to [NAGS.Awards@gmail.com](mailto:NAGS.Awards@gmail.com). The deadline is **January 15, 2019**. Receipt of nomination materials will be confirmed by the chair of the NAGS Doctoral Dissertation Award Committee.**

**NOMINATION FORM**

**Northeastern Association of Graduate Schools  
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A doctoral dissertation is hereby submitted for the Northeastern Association of Graduate Schools' Dissertation Award for 2018-2019.

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Name of Student

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Major Field of Study

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Title of Dissertation

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Date Degree Awarded (month, year)

Nominated by (Graduate Dean): \_\_\_\_\_

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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**DEADLINE: January 15, 2019**

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