



2010 James D. Cooper student paper competition

The IBC James D. Cooper student paper competition is open to college and university engineering students in the United States and worldwide.

The winning paper will receive a \$1000 Fellowship, complimentary conference registration and hotel and travel allowances to attend the 27th International Bridge Conference, June 6-10 2010, in Pittsburgh Pennsylvania. Additionally, the winning paper will be considered for inclusion in the published proceedings and for presentation at the conference.

Student competition papers should fall within one of the IBC Technical Session Topics listed at <http://www.eswp.com/bridge/abstract.htm>. Papers prepared for other purposes (thesis, projects, etc) are acceptable although previously published work cannot be accepted. Manuscripts are limited to ten (10) pages single spaced 12 point text (no exceptions). **Papers must be authored only by students; papers co-authored by faculty advisors are not eligible.** Papers will be judged by an international committee of engineers and academics.

Student competition papers must be submitted no later than **March 1, 2010**. Entries must be submitted in Adobe PDF format to kharries@pitt.edu and must be accompanied by the attached entry form.

Winning entries will be notified by April 1, 2010. Invitations to present or submit for proceedings will also be made at this time.

The Student Paper Awards Committee reserves the right to not make an award.

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Education Committee Chair

Inquiries regarding the student paper competition may be directed to kharries@pitt.edu



2010 James D. Cooper student paper competition entry form

lead author is a (circle one)... graduate student undergraduate

paper title: _____

lead author: _____

college/university: _____

department: _____

email: _____

co-author(s): _____

IBC technical session topic
(select from list at: <http://www.eswp.com/bridge/abstract.htm>) _____

faculty sponsor: _____

email: _____

telephone number: _____

*As the **faculty sponsor**, I certify that to the best of my knowledge this paper, submitted to the IBC student paper competition, is the original work of the student authors listed*

signature: _____ date: _____

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