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| CII_LogoStacked_CMYK | OUTSTANDING CII RESEARCHER AWARD |

### Deadline for Nominations is April 20, 2018.

The award is for CII research completed within the last several years.

### Award Criteria

The academic research has the potential to significantly improve the construction industry.

The award is for CII research completed within the last several years, by teams that have submitted all products to CII.

The researcher's excellence is recognized by their research team members, CII staff, and membership. The staff will coordinate this with the research team chairs.

The researcher’s research report has the following characteristics:

has a thoroughgoing account of the data collection methods

presents a complete description of the data analysis performed

explains the findings in statistical detail, as appropriate

makes reasoned claims and conclusions; divulges any limitations of the findings

presents a useful and valuable discussion of industry implementation

makes viable recommendations for further research.

## Nominations for Award

Individuals may be nominated by a member of any of the following:

* a CII research team
* a CII standing committee
* a CII Implementation Champion
* a CII Board of Advisors member or alternate
* a member of the CII staff.

Individuals may not nominate themselves. The nominator must have sufficient knowledge of the nominee to supply appropriate information on the following proposal Nomination for Award form.

**Selection Procedure**

Nominations should be submitted to CII Research Program Coordinator Kristi Delaney, who will forward them to the Outstanding CII Researcher Award panel of judges. This panel will be composed of the following:

* three members of the Research Committee (one owner, one contractor, one academic)
* one member of the Product Review Board
* one past academic recipient of this award
* CII's Associate Director of Research (chair of the panel).

The panel will select the recipient in accordance with the award criteria. The CII Executive Committee will confirm the selection. This Award will be presented to the individual at the Annual Conference. In general, this award will be given to one individual at a time for a single research effort; however, in the case of multiple principal investigators on a research team, it may be awarded to more than one individual. This is a highly selective award and is not an annual award; it will only be awarded when there is a viable candidate. Nominees not selected may be considered for future awards.

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**Nominee**

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| **Last Name, First, Middle** | | |
| **Research Team Name and Number** | | |
| **Research Summary, Research Report, IR, etc.** | | |
| **Company/Agency/University Name** | | |
| **Nominee’s Contact Address** | | |
| **City** | **State** | **Zip** |
| **Work Telephone** | **Home Telephone** | **Fax Number** |

*Attached is the Nominating Letter*

**Nominator**

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| **Name** | | **Telephone** | |
| **Email** | **Fax Number** | | **Date** |

(See following page for required Attachments to Nomination)

**PLEASE FORWARD NOMINATION BY April 20, 2018 TO:**

**Please email the completed nomination form and letter to**[mike.pappas@cii.utexas.edu](mailto:mike.pappas@cii.utexas.edu) or [kldelaney@cii.utexas.edu](mailto:kldelaney@cii.utexas.edu)**.**

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**Attachments to Nomination**

The Nominating Letter should not exceed two pages. Please cover the following:

1. Nominee's qualifications for the award. Why is this research exceptional?
2. List specific outstanding performance which has furthered construction research and advanced the construction industry's competitiveness
3. Clearly explain the importance of the specific accomplishments listed in 1 above.

**OUTSTANDING CII RESEARCHER AWARD RECIPIENTS**

Dr. Mike Vorster, Virginia Polytechnic University 1995

Dr. Edd Gibson, The University of Texas at Austin 1996

Dr. Stu Anderson, Texas A&M University 1997

Dr. Gary Oberlender, Oklahoma State University 1998

Dr. Ed Back, Texas A&M University 1999

Dr. Jeff Russell, University of Wisconsin 2000

Dr. Edward Jaselskis, University of Iowa 2001

Dr. Carl Haas, The University of Texas at Austin 2002

Dr. Jimmie W. Hinze, University of Florida 2003  
Dr. Edd Gibson, The University of Texas at Austin 2004

Dr. James T. O’Connor, The University of Texas at Austin 2005

Dr. Awad S. Hanna, University of Wisconsin-Madison 2006

Dr. Paul Chinowsky, University of Colorado-Boulder 2007

Dr. Paul Goodrum, University of Kentucky 2008

Dr. Carlos Caldas, The University of Texas at Austin 2009

Dr. Hyung Seok (David) Jeong, Oklahoma State University 2010

Dr. William J. O’Brien, The University of Texas at Austin 2012

Dr. Jimmie W. Hinze, University of Florida 2013

Dr. Carlos Caldas, The University of Texas at Austin 2014  
Dr. Paul Goodrum, University of Colorado-Boulder 2014

Dr. Carl Haas, University of Waterloo 2014

Dr. Matthew Hallowell, University of Colorado-Boulder 2015

Dr. Chema de la Garza, Virginia Tech 2016

Dr. Pardis Pishdad-Bozorgi, Georgia Tech 2016