

Group A-Elite Doctoral Student Award Competition

A. The guideline is based on the regulation of Elite Doctoral Student Award.

- Eligibility: The 1st to 5th year of doctoral students enrolled in CMU.
- Contestants must be nominated by their advising professor. Recommendation letter from their advisor and statement of research accomplishment should be submitted for initial selection conducted by each college.
- The contestants who are selected and recommended by each college after initial selection (i.e. Semi-finalists) are qualified to participate in the secondary poster presentation contest. The Semi-finalists are expected to present their poster at the indicated time. The committee members of Elite Doctoral Student Award will be judges for the Group A competition. The finalist will be selected according to the score ranking and advanced to the final oral contest.
- For the final oral contest, finalists shall prepare slides and abstract (PDF format) in English and submit to the Office of Graduate Student Affairs in advance. The oral contest consists of 10 minutes of oral presentation about their research plus Q&A for 3 minutes.

✧ Please note that contestants will be disqualified for this competition, if they are awarded with other CMU scholarships such as CMU scholarship and International Student Scholarship.

B. Important dates:

- The announcement of initial election: Oct 12th, 2020
- Due dates for submission of the poster: Oct 23rd, 2020
- The date of poster presentation contest: To be announced later.
- Due dates for submission of the **Abstract** and **Slide**: Nov 11th, 2020
- The date of final oral contest: To be announced later.

C. Venue and the exact date for poster presentation contest and oral presentation will be announced via email.

D. Awards for oral presentation*

- First place: NTD\$ 50,000
- Second place: NTD\$ 30,000
- Third place: NTD\$ 10,000

✧ Please note that the stipend will be disbursed in two disbursements in the fall and spring semester respectively.

E. Notices

- The same poster could not be submitted for both Group A and Group B contest. If doctoral contestants don't pass the initial selection in Group A, they could use the same poster to enter the Group B contest. The contestants should complete the online registration before the deadline.
- The poster will be printed out by the Office of Graduate Student Affairs with no additional costs.
- The contestants are expected to present their poster at indicated time. The contestants must be in attendance, which might affect your score in the contest.
- Semi-finalists are required to attend the entire oral contest.
- The poster may contain the information that has been presented at other meeting or conference. The poster can't contain the same content previously used in this contest.
- All research ethics and copyright regulations should be followed. Direct translation or plagiarism of the research paper is not permitted. All citations must be indicated the source clearly.

Group B-Graduate Poster Competition

A. The Guideline for Graduate Poster Presentation

- Eligibility: All current master's or doctoral students in CMU.
- Level: master's level and doctoral level
- The contestants are expected to present their poster at the indicated time.
- The registration link : <https://rb.gy/q7uf79>

B. Important dates:

- Due date for the registration: Oct 12th , 2020
- Due dates for submission of the poster: Oct 23rd, 2020

C. Venue and date for Group B poster presentation:

The contest will be held around November.

The venue and date will be announced via email later.

D. Awards for Group B poster presentation

Distinguished Honor Award, Merit Award, Honorable Mention

Seize the chance. The cash prize is pretty high!

E. Notices

- The poster will be printed out by the Office of Graduate Student Affairs with no additional costs.
- The contestants are expected to present your poster at indicated time. The contestants must be in attendance, which might affect your score in the contest.
- The poster may contain the information that has been presented at other meeting or conference. The poster can't contain the same content previously used in this contest.
- The same poster could not be submitted for both Group A and Group B contest. If doctoral contestants don't pass the initial selection in Group A, they could use the same poster to enter the Group B contest. The contestants should complete the online registration before the deadline.
- All research ethics and copyright regulations should be followed. Direct translation or plagiarism of the research paper is not permitted. All citations must be indicated the source clearly.

Poster Guideline (Submission deadline: Oct. 23rd, 2020)

- Posters must be A0 Size (840mm*1200mm) with portrait layout.
- Posters should include title, author's names and affiliations.
- Posters should include the following sections: Introduction, materials and methods, results and conclusions.
- The poster should be submitted in PDF format. The filename should be "Student ID-Department-Name-Topic". Please upload the file via <https://reurl.cc/v11Dre>.

Abstract Guideline (For Group A) (Submission deadline: Nov. 11th, 2020)

- English Abstract less than 500 words is required.
- Please include your student ID and name at the top in the first line. The text should be align right with 10 points in the first line at the top
- The format should be PDF file. Please upload the file via <https://reurl.cc/m99naW>.
- Font type should be Times New Roman.
- Text
 1. Research Topic: 18 points, bold face, align center
 2. Author information: 12 points, bold face, align center
 3. Key words: 12 points, align left, 3 to 5 words
- ◇ Author information should include author's name, department, and phone number.
- The abstract should be in A4 Size
- Page margin should be 2.5 cm in top, bottom, left, and right.

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