Description:

IMAT 2020 will offer Post-Doctoral Researchers, Lecturers and Professors (Academic Researchers) a competition-based award and recognition program, seeking to encourage increased participation of Academic Institutions in ASM Heat Treating Society (HTS), and to provide attractive offers and opportunities in the worldwide Materials and Thermal Processing communities. We are soliciting abstract submissions based on thermal processing of metal or metal containing components for this competition.

Eligibility: Academic Researchers who are currently conducting research and/or overseeing the research of students pursuing an undergraduate or post graduate degree at a University, Institute or College (University) in the field of thermal processing. The research must be presented by either the Academic Researcher or their students onsite in Cleveland, OH USA. The research can be either in the form of an oral presentation in the conference, a poster in the conference, or as part of the Fluxtrol Student Research Competition. Academic Researchers who have won the award within the past 3 calendar years are not eligible.

Review: The award will be given based upon the best total contribution of the Academic Researcher to the event. Points will be awarded for each presentation in which the Academic Researcher is either a co-author or the professor directly overseeing the student’s research if in the Fluxtrol Student Research Competition. The points will be based upon the quality of the research and potential impact upon the heat treating industry in the future. In the case of a student presenting the work, Academic Research Award consideration is given to the Academic Researcher in addition to the student’s consideration for the Fluxtrol Student Research Competition.

Submission: Academic Researchers should follow guidelines for IMAT 2020 technical program submission.

Award: All candidates will be required to be present onsite in Cleveland, OH courtesy of Fluxtrol:

- $2,500 Award that can be used to support research activity at the Academic Researcher’s Institution. The award can be used for travel expense (researcher or student), conference fees, scholarship money, or laboratory equipment.