EMI Structural Stability Student Presentation Competition

Sponsored by: EMI Stability Committee

Purpose:

- Increase student involvement in the EMI Conference, particularly in the area of Structural Stability
- Expose students to research pertinent to classical and non-classical structural stability from different research groups.
- Facilitate student interactions with Professors, senior researchers as well as other students from the structural stability community in order to create a strong network and show willingness to take on future responsibilities within the community.
- Improve students' technical writing and presentation skills, as well as promote high-quality submissions to EMI Journal of Engineering Mechanics.

Requirements:

1. Be a full-time student at the time of abstract submission and the main contributor to the research.
2. Submit an abstract as the leading author in the Structural Instabilities Mini-Symposium of the Stability Committee, through the EMI Conference website, by the published deadline.
3. Participate only in the Stability Committee Student Competition. Participation in other EMI 2024 student competitions will automatically disqualify the candidate from the competition.
4. Express an interest to participate in the student competition by emailing Dr S. Yiatros at stylianos.yiatros@cut.ac.cy by March 1st, 2023. He will respond back acknowledging receipt.
5. Register for the conference and if selected, present at the student competition, during the conference.

Deadlines:

- January 15, 2023: Abstract submission deadline.
- March 1, 2023: Expression of Interest for Stability Committee Student Presentation Competition.

Prizes:

- One winner and one Runner-Up will be selected. They will receive a certificate and be named as the Stability Student Presentation Winner and Runner Up, respectively.

Process:

- The decision on acceptance for the competition will be informed by May 15th, 2023. The students interested in the competition should have already registered to the conference and inform Dr Yiatros via email at stylianos.yiatros@cut.ac.cy. The competition will take place during the regular MS Technical Sessions.
- The presentations will be judged by a panel of 4 judges from the Stability Committee.
- The winners will be selected based on the quality of the presentation as well as their responses through the Q & A.

Contact: *For more information contact the Committee Chair, Associate Professor Stylianos Yiatros at stylianos.yiatros@cut.ac.cy*