



**IEEE MTT-S International Microwave Conference on
5G Hardware and System Technologies
August 15th- 16th, 2019, Atlanta, USA**

IMC-5G PhD Student Sponsorship Initiative: The IMC-5G 2019 conference will have a PhD student sponsorship initiative program to attract more student attendees and future student paper authors.

This initiative, established and sponsored by the IMC-5G conference steering committee, is available for **all 1st/2nd/3rd year PhD students worldwide who have NOT attended IMC-5G conference before and will NOT be an author or co-author for any paper at IMC-5G 2019.** The 2019 initiative program provides sponsorship to attend IMC-5G 2019 in Atlanta, Georgia, USA.

The sponsorship will be a reimbursement check mailed back to the student awardee. With the 2019 conference budget, the sponsorship will be \$500/student.

The reimbursement will only be honored to the student awardees who completed the full conference registration and attended the 2019 IMC-5G conference. In order to qualify for the reimbursement, the student awardee should check-in with the conference registration staff and show a valid ID (passport, driver license, etc.) at the registration desk.

To qualify for IEEE MTT-S IMC-5G PhD Student Sponsorship Initiative program:

- Student applicant must be an IEEE MTT-S Student Member.
- Student applicant must submit a personal statement (less than 150 words) to state their research interests and their relevance to the technical focuses of the IMC-5G conference.
- Student applicant must submit a CV. The IEEE student membership number and the student's contact information should be included on the first page in the student CV.
- Supervisor must submit a signed recommendation letter with university letterhead. The recommend letter should certify that the student applicant (1) is an IEEE MTT-S Student Member, (2) is in the 1st/2nd/3rd year PhD study, (3) has never attended the IMC-5G conference before, and (4) will NOT be an author or co-author for any paper at IMC-5G 2019.
- Student awardees are expected to volunteer (1 day) helping the IMC-5G 2019 team. The volunteer tasks will be assigned after the awardees are selected.
- Student awardees are expected to be present at the 2019 IMC-5G conference on both Thursday (August 15th) and Friday (August 16th) including the IMC-5G closing/award ceremony.
- Application may only be submitted by the supervisor as a single pdf file.
- Each supervisor/research group may recommend up to 3 applications.
- Past IMC-5G PhD student sponsorship initiative awardees are not eligible.
- Student applicant will be evaluated based on the personal statement, CV, and supervisor recommendation letter. The committee will start to select student awardees until the funding runs out or the application deadline is reached (whichever occurs first). Early submission will have a higher priority and is strongly recommended.

Important Dates:

2 August 2019 (mid-night US EST)

Application Deadline

Additional Notes:

- The IEEE MTT-S IMC-5G TPC committee reserves the right to check the details in this application against IEEE records and other resources, if necessary.
- Students are responsible for their own travel insurance.

Contact Information:

For questions about the PhD Student Sponsorship Initiative please contact Professor Hua Wang (hua.wang@ece.gatech.edu) and Dr. Vadim Issakov (Vadim.Issakov@infineon.com).

Submission:

The student supervisor should email the application package (as one single pdf file for each student) directly to Professor Hua Wang (hua.wang@ece.gatech.edu) and Dr. Vadim Issakov (Vadim.Issakov@infineon.com). Each student application should include (1) a personal statement (less than 150 words) from the student, (2) student CV, and (3) a signed recommendation letter with university letterhead from the supervisor.