

## **POMA Student Paper Competition**

POMA is holding a society-wide student paper competition for a POMA submission based on a presentation or poster from the Denver meeting.

**Award Amounts:** Up to five student papers will receive an award of USD \$300. Additionally, the student paper winners will be noted on the POMA cover page and their article will be promoted in email and social media campaigns.

### **Qualifications:**

To qualify for the award, an author must:

- be enrolled as a student at least half-time (graduates are eligible if the presented work was performed as a student within one year of the meeting). Note that the student author does not need to be a member of the ASA to qualify.
- be listed as the first author on the submitted abstract and POMA manuscript and present the paper at the meeting.
- submit the POMA manuscript by the competition deadline, which is 30 days after the conclusion of the meeting. For this meeting, manuscripts must be submitted on or before 27 June 2022.

**To enter:** Indicate your paper is part of the POMA Student Paper Competition by selecting this option during the POMA submission process.

**Selection:** The papers will be rated by the POMA Associate Editor corresponding the technical area in which the paper was presented. The top related papers will be evaluated by the POMA Editor, POMA Assistant Editor, and POMA Manuscript Manager and up to five winning papers will be selected. Note that the paper judging will take place concurrently with the ordinary editorial review of a POMA submission; each judged paper will be returned with comments and a publication decision.

### **Additional Instructions**

- To ensure the article passes the initial quality check, please use either the MS Word or LaTeX manuscript templates and follow all manuscript preparation and submission instructions (<https://asa.scitation.org/pma/authors/manuscript>). Articles that do not pass the initial quality check are ineligible for the competition. See the submission checklist at the POMA Author Resources page.
- **The competition deadline is 11:59 pm Eastern Standard Time, 27 June 2022.** Any manuscripts received after this will be considered for publication in POMA but will be ineligible for the competition.
- Regardless of the competition outcome, the opportunity to publish an editor-reviewed proceedings paper will enhance your CV/resume and help you take an important intermediate step toward a full refereed publication.