

Nominations for NAREA Master's Thesis Awards

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The NAREA Outstanding MS Thesis Award includes a \$250 prize and certificate.

The NAREA Master's Thesis Award of Merit includes a \$50 prize and certificate. Up to three awards of merit may be granted.

These nominations for considerations by the Awards Committee will be evaluated according to the problem formulation, conceptual approach, quality of research, and quality of communication. Additional information may be found on the Association's website, www.narea.org. Nominations must be received by **March 4, 2012**.

Eligible theses include all those that meet the following criteria:

(1) The thesis must have been accepted by any institution of higher learning in the Northeast including those in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, and Washington, D.C., during the period January 1, 2011, to December 31, 2011.

(2) The thesis topic must address an issue within the purview of NAREA. A maximum of two theses per department will be considered by the committee. Only those theses nominated by the department chair, or graduate program director, will be considered by the committee. In addition, any member of NAREA may petition the Committee to consider a thesis accepted by another institution in the Northeast, including those in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, and Washington, D.C. Before the thesis is considered, the Committee will evaluate the petition.

To submit a thesis for consideration, please send pdf copies of the following via email:

- (1) A nominating letter;
- (2) The full thesis;
- (3) The thesis abstract (250 word maximum).

Submit thesis award nominations to: Sean Cash, sean.cash@tufts.edu