

# BEST DOCTORAL THESIS AWARD

## Rules for Participants

The IEEE Photonics Italy Chapter recognizes distinguished work by young Ph.D. doctors in the field of Photonics (laser, electro-optical devices, optical fibers, electro-optical techniques, quantum electronics and all those applications where lightwave technologies are the key) through presentation of an Award for the “Best Doctoral Thesis” discussed in an Italian University. The Award consists in an honorarium of 500 Euro and a Certificate.

For the year 2011, one award will be presented.

Only candidates with the following requisites are eligible for the award:

- be a Member of IEEE Photonics Society;
- be an European Community citizen
- have completed the Doctoral Course in an Italian University in 2009 or 2010 (XXII or XXIII Ciclo)

Candidates must send their application by July 31th, 2011 together with:

- self-certification of citizenship and IEEE Photonics Society membership;
- electronic copy in pdf format of the Ph.D. Dissertation with a 1-page Summary of it;
- electronic copy in pdf format of publications concerning the doctoral topic, if any;
- Curriculum Vitae listing educational background, positions held, publications, awards, etc.

All documents must be sent in electronic format by e-mail:

Address: [award@ieee-photonics.it](mailto:award@ieee-photonics.it).

Mail subject: “Application for Best PhD Thesis Award - family name of the candidate

The candidates will be evaluated by September 30th, 2011 by a Board of three Experts in Optoelectronics designated by the Chapter Executive Committee, Photonics Italy Chapter. Notices to the winners will be mailed by October 31th, 2011. The prize will be presented at a Meeting of the Photonics Italy Chapter.

All the decisions of the Board are final. No ex-aequo is allowed.