

Call for Nominations

2024 Elsevier/JQSRT Peter C. Waterman Award

This prestigious Elsevier/JQSRT young-scientist award is named after *Peter C. Waterman* (1928– 2012) whose ground-breaking research has had a dramatic and long-lasting impact and to a large degree has guided the progress in the disciplines of electromagnetic, acoustic, and elastic wave scattering by obstacles.

The 2024 Waterman Award will be competed among outstanding early-career scientists who work on the theory and applications of *Electromagnetic Scattering*. The award will be presented at the 21st Electromagnetic and Light Scattering Conference (*ELS-XXI*). The conference venue and time will be announced later. The award will consist of a certificate and monetary prize of 500 USD.

To qualify for consideration, a nominee:

- Must be a graduate or post-graduate student or in his/her early career path with an outstanding record of scholarship;
- Must have not received a JQSRT Young Scientist Award previously;
- Should have published in JQSRT previously, although this requirement may be relaxed in exceptional cases. This requirement is one of the award selection criteria, as this award is an Elsevier/JQSRT award;
- Should be under 37 years of age on 1 July 2024 or finished his/her PhD within the 10 years preceding that date;
- Must present at least one paper at *ELS-XXI* and attend the award ceremony.
- > The award recipient will be invited to publish an invited awardee paper in JQSRT.

The recipient of the 2024 Waterman Award will be selected by a distinguished Award Committee, and the award certificate will be presented at the award ceremony during the *ELS-XXI* conference.

Each nomination package should be submitted, as a single PDF file, to Prof. Ping Yang, at <u>pyang@tamu.edu</u>, Dr. Gorden Videen at <u>gorden.videen@gmail.com</u>, and Prof. M. Pinar Mengüç at <u>pinar.menguc@ozyegin.edu.tr</u> by 30 September 2024 (Monday) and should consist of a nomination letter, thenominee's CV and publications list, up to 5 best peer-reviewed journal papers, and up to 3 letters of support.