

Marine Environmental Engineering Awards

The Journal of Marine Environmental Engineering (JMEE) takes great pleasure in introducing three prestigious international awards, celebrating the outstanding endeavors of scientists and engineers dedicated to addressing marine environmental challenges. The awards include the Rising Star Award in Marine Environmental Engineering, the Outstanding Young Researcher Award in Marine Environmental Engineering, and the Lifetime Achievement Award in Marine Environmental Engineering. Detailed information and nomination guidelines for these distinguished awards are provided below.

Award Categories

❖ Rising Star Award

- ❖ An annual accolade acknowledging the invaluable contributions of early-career researchers in marine environmental engineering.
- ❖ Aims to honor one deserving individual each year, with a two-year ineligibility for nominees from the same country consecutively.
- ❖ Priority given to those who have published papers in JMEE under specified conditions.

❖ Outstanding Young Researcher Award

- ❖ Presented biennially, dedicated to mid-career researchers with exceptional contributions to the practice or research in marine environmental engineering.
- ❖ Recipient ineligible from the same country for two consecutive events, chosen based on contributions, with a preference for those published in JMEE.

❖ Lifetime Achievement Award

- ❖ A biennial to triennial award, honoring globally renowned scientists and engineers for substantial contributions to marine environmental engineering at national, regional, or international levels.
- ❖ Recipient ineligible from the same country for two consecutive events, selected every two to three years.

Nomination Process and Recognition

❖ Prior to Nomination

- ❖ Nominee's resume.
- ❖ Recommendation letters, preferably with at least one coming from an organization different from that of the nominee, especially from a different

country. For the Lifetime Achievement Award, invitations are extended, but unsolicited recommendations are also welcome.

❖ **Following Nomination**

- ❖ 2-5 photos for professional, personal, or official identification purposes.
- ❖ An unpublished manuscript authored by the nominee (either as the first or corresponding author) and nominators, to be published in JMEE.
- ❖ A brief personal profile and achievements for the Lifetime Achievement Award recipient.

❖ **Recognition**

The Marine Environmental Engineering awards not only offer distinguished acknowledgment but also significantly impact the visibility and credibility of recipients' research:

- ❖ A prestigious certificate from JMEE and affiliated international organizations.
- ❖ Official announcements on the JMEE website, JMEE editorial, and associated social media platforms.
- ❖ Publication of the awardees' papers in JMEE, highlighting 'Rising Star Award recipient' 'Outstanding Young Researcher Award recipient' or 'Lifetime Achievement Award recipient', along with an award citation and a photo on the front page.
- ❖ Selection of photos or figures from their papers as cover page materials.
- ❖ Publication of a brief personal profile and achievements along with the paper (only for the Lifetime Achievement Award).

JMEE invites eligible individuals to contribute to the field's advancement, emphasizing the crucial role of innovative research in addressing ocean challenges. Participate in the awards for recognition and join a community shaping the future of our oceans. Propel marine environmental engineering to new heights - your contributions matter. Seize this opportunity to impact ocean health. Contact JMEE's Editor-in-Chief, Chaoqi Zhu, at zhuchaoqi@ouc.edu.cn or submit materials directly. The journey to a thriving marine environment starts with your commitment.

We eagerly await your applications or nominations and look forward to celebrating the remarkable achievements in marine environmental engineering!