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IAStructE NATIONAL AWARDS

IN PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE IN STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING

NOMINATION *(including self-nomination)* FORM FOR

BEST MASTER'S THESIS IN STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING AWARD

(Please see instructions & Terms at the end of the form)

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1. Name of the Nominee :
   (Give address & contact details including e-mail ID)

2. Name/s of Supervisors :
   (Give address & contact details including e-mail ID)

3. Name of Institution, with address and contact details:

4. Title of Thesis:
   Thesis should deal with Structural Engineering, and, should have been accepted between 31st July 2025 to 31st July 2026 (attach soft copies of thesis and Master's degree in Engineering along with marks/grade obtained).

5. List of paper/s published in referred journals (proof of at least one paper having been accepted for publication is necessary to qualify the thesis for being considered for the award) based on the thesis and attach copy/copies. Mention the DOI and impact factor along with indexing

6. Please enclose a separate statement, in about 300 words stating how the theme of research is relevant for the benefit of the structural engineering profession. The note should also include if and how the issues related to sustainability have been addressed.

Date:_____ Signature: _____

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Check List of documents to be submitted

(To be filled by the nominee)

Sl. No.	Point	Yes	No
1	**Nomination form attached**		
2	**Copy of Thesis attached**		
3	**Degree certificate along with marks/grades attached**		
4	**Copy/copies of paper/s published (or at least one accepted for publication with a proof thereof) attached**		
5	**A statement of approximately 300 words describing the relevance of the research theme to the structural engineering profession and its potential benefits, including a note on whether and how sustainability-related issues have been addressed.**		

INSTRUCTIONS & TERMS

1. Master's Thesis submitted to any Indian Engineering & Technology Institution is eligible for consideration. The thesis should have been accepted between 31st July 2025 to 31st July 2026, and, should be dealing with the subject area of Structural engineering. Any thesis can be submitted only once for the award.

2. Send nomination form and self - attested soft copy of attachments in pdf files by e- mail to *iastructe@gmail.com*, ***latest by 20 September 2026 (extended deadline).*** Mark the email as ***"IAStructE BEST MASTERS THESIS AWARD".***

3. Please ensure that all aspects of application form have been filled out completely, failing which the nomination will not be considered.

4. The Awards Committee can seek further information, including a hard copy of the complete thesis, if deemed necessary.

5. All entrants will be bound by the decision of the Award Committee, whose discretion to make or withhold the Award will be final. No discussion or correspondence regarding the decision will be entertained. The decision of IAStructE in all related matters will be final and binding.

6. Name of the supervisor(s) will be recognized in the citation.

Sl. No.	Judging Criteria	Weightage
01	Relevance to the field	15
02	Research design and methodology	40
03	Originality and novelty	20
04	Quality of paper/s	20
05	Sustainability/Environmental Aspects	05
	Total	**100**