

# **Digital Avionics Systems Conference (DASC)**

## **Best Paper Selection Process**

The Digital Avionics Technical Committee (DATC) of AIAA, the Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society (AESS) of IEEE, along with the DASC Committee has instituted

### **The David Lubkowski Memorial For Advancement in Digital Avionics Best Paper Award.**

Best Paper Awards for each DASC include:

- . Best Paper of Conference – Trophy for each author + \$1000
- . Best Paper of Track – Certificate for each author + \$100
- . Best Paper of Session – Certificate for each author

To be eligible for the various awards the author(s) of the technical paper must first write their paper and have it sent to conference publications in time for the paper to be published in the Conference Proceedings. The paper must be published in the Conference Proceedings for the author(s) to be eligible for any awards. Student papers are also eligible for all awards.

The author should also send a copy of their paper to the appropriate Session and Track Chairs. After the papers have been received and reviewed (prior to the conference), the Session and Track Chairs will make appropriate selections (using the attached selection criteria), and will forward these selections (including a copy of the paper) to the Conference Awards Chair. If the Session or Track Chair is also an author of a paper in the session/track, they should have someone else (co-chair) review and rate their paper. If the Session or Track Chair works for the same company as the authors, or is part of the same educational institute of the authors of the selected Best Paper, they should provide information as to how they conducted an “objective evaluation” of the paper.

At the Conference, the Awards Committee will evaluate both the published paper and the technical presentation of the selected “Best of Track Papers” to determine the winner of

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The award is sponsored by The MITRE Corporation’s Center for Advanced Aviation System Development (CAASD). The presentation is made by MITRE/CAASD at the Awards Luncheon at the following year’s conference. The “Best of Track” and “Best of Session” Awards are presented to the winners at their session by the Session/Track Chair.