



BMEStart 2010: Call for submissions

A new award recognizing undergraduate excellence in biomedical innovation

The NCIIA and IEEE-EMBS welcome submissions from undergraduate students at all NCIIA member colleges and universities for the new BMEStart competition.

The BMEStart Awards have been established to identify and recognize excellence and innovation among undergraduate biomedical engineering student teams. Each team must include at least one engineering student, but teams are encouraged to incorporate members from other disciplines, as long as the ultimate submission solves a clinical problem. Submissions should also meet technical, economic, legal and regulatory requirements; feature novel and practical designs; and show potential for commercialization.

- First place: \$10,000
- Second place: \$5,000
- Third place: \$2,500

Teams may register for the competition and submit their materials at:

<http://www.nciia.org/competitions>

Applications close May 14, 2010.

Important dates

Call for submission opens: November 15, 2009

Competition deadline: May 14, 2010

Winners announced: Summer, 2010