



## YOUNG SCHOLAR PROGRAM '18

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SUBMISSION DEADLINE 1 SEPTEMBER 2017

PTC's Young Scholar Program aims to recognize, encourage and support up-and-coming scholars in the field of information and communication technologies (ICTs).

PTC'18: *Connecting Worlds* will be the 40th Anniversary celebration of PTC's annual conference, opening a new decade of connections. Selected participants for the 2018 PTC Young Scholar Program will be invited to present their research at *PTC'18: Connecting Worlds*, which will take place in Honolulu, Hawaii from 21-24 January 2018.

### The 2018 PTC Young Scholar Program offers promising researchers the opportunity to:

- Present their research in a high-visibility academic and industry forum
- Receive feedback from distinguished scholars and industry leaders
- Participate in PTC'18 activities
- Gain exposure to current industry issues and trends
- Meet PTC'18 attendees to share ideas, gain new insights, and identify practical research applications
- Network with industry professionals, members of international organizations and NGOs, government officials, and academics from over 75 countries



2017 Young Scholar Program Recipients, Left to right:  
Elizabeth Fife, PTC Research Committee Co-Chair (USC), Ai Phuong Hoang (Singapore Management University), Mina Jun (Korea University), Valentina Nardone (University of Rome), Mohamed El-Moghazi (University of Strathclyde), David Agogo (University of Massachusetts, Amherst), and Mark Chun, PTC Research Committee Co-Chair (Pepperdine University)

Travel expenses and conference registration for the selected applicants will be covered by PTC.  
VISIT [PTC.ORG](http://PTC.ORG) TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE 2018 PTC YOUNG SCHOLAR PROGRAM.

# YSP'18 APPLICATION



To apply for the 2018 PTC Young Scholar Program, please send this completed application form along with your supporting materials in a single .zip file to [youngscholars@ptc.org](mailto:youngscholars@ptc.org) by **1 September 2017 (6 PM HST)**.

## BACKGROUND & CONTACT INFORMATION

SURNAME/LAST NAME		FIRST NAME	
BIRTHDATE (MM/DD/YYYY)		NATIONALITY	
UNIVERSITY			
ENROLLED PROGRAM (IF APPLICABLE)		DISSERTATION CHAIR OR POST-DOC SUPERVISOR	
AREAS OF CONCENTRATION		EXPECTED GRADUATION DATE (IF APPLICABLE)	
MAILING ADDRESS			
CITY	STATE (IF APPLICABLE)	ZIP CODE (IF APPLICABLE)	COUNTRY
EMAIL		TELEPHONE	
GPA			

## HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THIS PROGRAM?

University Faculty    PTC Website    College Referral    Social Media

Other ( Please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

The Pacific Telecommunications Council (PTC) is committed to and highly recognized for supporting research, education, training, and development initiatives that foster positive social change.

Through its annual conference, its committees, and its initiatives, PTC brings together senior leaders in communications and provides them with opportunities to build partnerships with one another and to share insights on industry trends, business strategies, policy, best practices, and new communication technologies and services.

For more information about PTC, its annual conference, or the PTC Young Scholar Program, please visit [ptc.org](http://ptc.org).

## SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Please submit the following supporting materials with your completed application form:

- One-Page Statement of Interest
- Curriculum Vitae
- Single-Authored Research Paper
  - Research paper (20-page maximum), including a title, abstract (190- word maximum), one-page executive summary, and references.

Please format your supporting materials according to standard style guidelines (e.g., 12-point Times New Roman font, double spaced, 1-inch margins). Please visit [ptc.org](http://ptc.org) for additional details and submission guidelines.

To submit your application materials, please compile the relevant files noted above and compress them into a single .zip file. Please send an email with the complete .zip file to [youngscholars@ptc.org](mailto:youngscholars@ptc.org) by **1 September 2017**.

Learn more about the **2018 PTC Young Scholar Program** at [ptc.org](http://ptc.org).

## IMPORTANT DATES

**Submission Deadline**  
1 September 2017

**Notification Date**  
25 September 2017

**PTC'18**  
21-24 January 2018