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Emerging Leader in EE Research 2026 Award Nomination Form

The Emerging Leader in EE Research Award is presented annually to an early-career researcher whose work advances the field of environmental education and contributes to improved practice, policy, or outcomes. This award recognizes emerging scholars and professionals who demonstrate excellence in research design, innovation, and the application of research to support environmental literacy, stewardship, and informed decision-making.

Eligible applicants may include advanced graduate students, postdoctoral researchers, and professionals who have completed their terminal degree within the past 10 years. Candidates should demonstrate strong potential for continued leadership and impact in environmental education research.

Please note: Nominations may only be submitted by NAAEE members. If you are interested in becoming a member, [find information here](#). If you need technical support with this form, please email eepr@naaee.org. If you have any questions about the NAAEE Awards for Excellence, please contact Brenda Metcalf at Brendasmetcalf@aol.com.

Please copy or download, fill out, and email this completed form, along with any required additional documentation, to NAAEE at awards@naaee.org by July 17, 2026.

Nominee Contact Information

Name of Person Nominated (*Please enter as you would like to see it on the award*):

Title of Person Nominated:

Country of Person Nominated:

Email of Person Nominated:

Phone Number of Person Nominated:

Nominee Details

Please provide a brief summary (maximum 50 words) of the accomplishments of the individual nominated. *This summary will be used for PR purposes and at the Awards Ceremony.*

Please provide an explanation of this individual's accomplishments. *Be sure to address the following in your explanation: (1) When were these accomplishments made? (2) Why, specifically, do you believe these accomplishments represent distinguished service to the cause of EE or to EE research? (500-word limit)*

When submitting this form, please also send letters of support (maximum of three files) and supplemental documentation in PDF or Word format.

Nominator Information

Nominator's Name *(Please enter your first and last name. Nominator must be a member of NAAEE or must have a co-nominator who is a member.):*

Nominator's Title:

Nominator's Organization:

Nominator's Country:

Nominator's Email:

Nominator's Phone Number:

Are you currently a member of NAAEE?

Do you have a co-nominator?

Is your co-nominator a member of NAAEE?

What is the name of your co-nominator? *(Write N/A if you do not have a co-nominator.)*

What is the email address of your co-nominator? *(Write N/A if you do not have a co-nominator.)*

