The Industrial and Engineering Chemistry Division (I&EC) requests papers for its Ninth Annual Graduate Student Award Symposium. This event allows outstanding graduate students in the chemical sciences to disseminate their research to the global professional community. The Division seeks papers that are relevant to industrial and engineering chemistry in general, and/or to the subdivisions within I&EC, which are: Applied Chemical Technology (ACT); Green Chemistry and Engineering (GCE); Novel Chemistry for Industrial Application (NCIA); and Separation Science and Technology (SST). New this year, we encourage submission related to the ACS Meeting Theme, Chemistry & Water. An additional first-place award will be given for best paper addressing this theme.

### Award Details
The graduate student lead author of accepted papers will be awarded an ACS members meeting registration fee, as well as a ticket to the Awards Symposium. The third place presentation will be awarded an additional $250. The second place presentation will be awarded an additional $400. The first place overall presentation will be awarded $550. The best paper addressing the meeting theme will also receive a first place award. All presentations will be evaluated by a panel selected by the Division. To be eligible for any award, the presenter must be a student at university, pursuing a graduate degree in the chemical sciences or engineering at the time of the symposium.

### How to Enter a Paper
Students authors must submit a proposal to present in the official ACS abstracts system, [http://maps.acs.org](http://maps.acs.org). The deadline for ACS entry is **March 18, 2019**.

Applicants must also request from their research supervisors a short letter confirming student eligibility. This is to be submitted electronically by April 21 to the organizers at [iec.student.symposium@gmail.com](mailto:iec.student.symposium@gmail.com)

Questions should be addressed to the email account above.