



IEEE Robotics & Automation Society Italian Chapter “Fabrizio Flacco” Young Author Best Paper Award 2017, 9th Edition

The IEEE Robotics and Automation Society Italian Chapter ([I-RAS](#)) “Fabrizio Flacco” Young Author Best Paper Award 2017 (YABP) is given to an author or co-author of a recent paper published in one of the journals sponsored by the IEEE Robotics and Automation Society (RAS).

The following applies:

- eligible journals are listed in Annex I
- publication date should be during 2015-2016
- the author must be an I-RAS member during 2017
- the author’s birth date must be later or equal than January, 1, 1982
- it is allowed to resubmit unawarded papers of the previous call

The best paper is selected by a Committee formed by 5 IEEE RAS members nominated by the Chair. The Chapter Chair is the President of the Committee and she will not vote.

Interested authors must send an application with a letter in which the contribution of the author is clearly stated. Accompanying letters, by the authors themselves or by others, are welcome but not mandatory. Applications and letters must be sent to lucia.pallottino@unipi.it by June 30, 2017 at the latest.

The 2017 Award Committee is composed by: Filippo [Arrichiello](#), Alessandro [De Luca](#), Paolo [Fiorini](#), Marina [Indri](#), Cristian [Secchi](#), and Lucia [Pallottino](#) and will complete the selection by August 10, 2017.

The 2016 Award, which consists of a certificate and a cheque for 500 €, will be presented at the annual I-RAS meeting held in conjunction with the SIDRA meeting in Milano on the 11st September 2017. We gratefully acknowledge the IEEE Italian Section, sponsor of the award.

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Annex I

RAS Publications suitable for participation in YABP 2017 according to <http://www.ieee-ras.org/publications>:

- RAS Sponsored Publications
 - IEEE Robotics and Automation Letters
 - IEEE Robotics and Automation Magazine
 - IEEE Transactions on Automation Science and Engineering
 - IEEE Transactions on Robotics
- Co-sponsored publications
 - IEEE/ASME Transactions on Mechatronics
 - IEEE Journal of MicroElectroMechanical Systems
 - IEEE Transactions on Haptics
 - IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Vehicles
 - IEEE Transactions on Nano-Bio Science
 - IEEE Transactions on Cognitive and Developmental Systems
- Technically co-sponsored publications
 - IEEE Sensors Journal (Sensors Council)
 - IEEE Systems Journal (Systems Council)
 - IEEE Transactions on Affective Computing
 - IEEE Transactions on Computational Intelligence and Artificial Intelligence in Games
 - IEEE Transactions on Consumer Electronics
 - IEEE Transactions on Control of Network Systems
 - IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics
 - IEEE Transactions on Mobile Computing
 - IEEE Transactions on Nanotechnology (Nanotechnology Council)