



## NAOP Best Paper Award

### Background of the Award

The NAOP Best Paper Award was established to promote and recognize excellence in scientific writing among young scholars. The award is open to young research scholars attending the NAOP Annual Convention.

### Eligibility for the Award

- The paper to be considered must be an unpublished, single-authored paper.
- The applicant must be registered for the conference.

### Application Procedure

1. Applicants should mention "PAPER FOR NAOP BEST PAPER AWARD" in the subject line of their email.
2. Apply via email to Dr. Harleen Kaur ([harleen.kaur@christuniversity.in](mailto:harleen.kaur@christuniversity.in)) on or before the deadline.
3. The application should include:
  - A soft copy of a full-length unpublished single-authored paper (15-20 pages).

### Award Procedure

- The Scientific Committee will establish a selection panel to shortlist up to five candidates.
- The shortlisted scholars will present their papers in a dedicated session.
- An expert panel will evaluate the presentations and select the recipient of the "Best Paper" award.
- The award recipient will receive a certificate and reimbursement of their conference registration fees by NAOP.

### Submission Email ID for NAOP Best Paper Award

Applicants should submit their paper via email to Dr. Harleen Kaur at:  
[harleen.kaur@christuniversity.in](mailto:harleen.kaur@christuniversity.in)

### Submission Deadline

12 January 2025

**Note:** Applicants not screened for the best paper award session may still be considered for presentation in the NAOP scientific sessions. The scientific committee will contact these candidates to seek their consent.