

## William T. Tutte Student Paper Award in Discrete Mathematics

At each CanaDAM meeting, starting in 2019, a prize for the best student paper will be awarded jointly by CanaDAM and Elsevier and funded by Elsevier. The prize will be US\$3000 plus a US\$500 voucher to spend on Elsevier books. Exceptionally, the prize committee may decide not to award the prize, or split the award between two papers.

### *Eligibility*

To be eligible for the prize, the papers must

- be suitable for publication in *Discrete Mathematics*;
- be written by students only (at most three);
- contain only material not submitted to any other journal or conference unless it is an extended abstract with the same title;
- be submitted to *Discrete Mathematics* on their website in the Elsevier -- CanaDAM prize section at the latest on ~~15 January~~ of the year of the conference; **extended to 31 January 2019**
- be submitted to CanaDAM conference by ~~8 February 2019~~ in the submission section dedicated to the prize, **extended to 15 March 2019**.

### *Selection*

The selection will in two stages.

First, *Discrete Mathematics* will send a special invitation mentioning the prize to at least three referees for each paper, stressing the firm deadline of three months.

Second, papers recommended for publication will be forwarded to the Elsevier Prize Committee (EPS) that will be constituted for each meeting by the Executive and Program Committees. The EPS will select the recipients of the prize (preferably one, exceptionally two or none) on the basis of the *Discrete Mathematics* referees' reports and the reading of the papers.

The winner(s) will be announced on the second day of the CanaDAM conference and a special session in which the student papers recommended for publication will be presented will be organised on the same day.

The presenting authors of top chosen papers will be eligible for CanaDAM travel support.