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Fwd: FW: ICRA 2012 Travel Awards for Domestic Applicants - Informational Email

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*From:*ICRA 2012 [mailto:icra2012.travelchair@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, April 06, 2012 12:39 PM

To: Sarkar, Nilanjan; icra2012.travelchair@gmail.com

Cc: Nikolaos Papanikolopoulos

Subject: ICRA 2012 Travel Awards for Domestic Applicants - Informational Email

Dear All,

This is an informational email and NOT the award notification.

We are pleased to inform you that you have been selected to receive ICRA 2012 Travel Awards subject to receiving funds from NSF. This award is to facilitate your participation in the IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation to be held in Saint Paul Minnesota during May 14-18, 2012. This award will carry a maximum amount of \$800 or your actual expense if it is less than \$800, to be spent towards your participation at ICRA 2012.

*However, please remeber that we are awaiting final notification from NSF. If for any reason, we do not receive the funds, there will be no travel awards. Or, if we receive less than what we have requested, the travel award amount will be reduced accordingly.*The purpose of this email is to notify you that you have been chosen through a very competitive process to receive the travel awards if and when funds become available. So far we have received positive feedback from NSF, however, the money is not in yet. And, we do not know when NSF will make the final decision. We are sorry that we cannot be more precise at this time. Also, please note that, some of you are changing your affiliations at this time. This travel award is for participants affiliated with US institutions. We have selected applicants using the best available information. However, if and when the funds arrive, we may need to recheck your eligibility based on NSF criteria.

I will contact you again when I have more information. In the meanwhile, I wish to congratulate you on your selection for the award.

Best wishes.

Nilanjan Sarkar

Professor, Vanderbilt University

Travel Award Chair, ICRA 2012



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Travel Award - Reimbursement Instructions

ICRA 2012 <icra2012.travelchair@gmail.com>

Thu, Jun 7, 2012 at 6:50 AM

To: ICRA 2012 <icra2012.travelchair@gmail.com>, nilanjan.sarkar@vanderbilt.edu Cc: Nikolaos Papanikolopoulos <npapas@cs.umn.edu>

Dear All,

Good news! We have received the funding from NSF for ICRA 2012 travel awards. Thank you very much for your understanding and patience.

Please send me your original receipts and the filled out attached W-9 form to the following address:

Professor Nilanjan Sarkar Vanderbilt University Department of Mechanical Engineering VU Station B 351592 2301 Vanderbilt Place Nashville, TN. 37235-1592

Please send the receipt as soon as possible but no later than June 30, 2012. Also, please keep copies of the receipts in case something get lost in mail. Airfare, hotel at ICRA, conference registration, food at ICRA, local transportation are all valid expenses for reimbursement. However, note that the maximum reimbursement will be limited to \$800 per person. You will be issued a check once the paperwork is processed. Please allow some time for this to happen - it goes through the system (I cannot write the check myself).

Thank you very much.

Best regards, Nilanjan Sarkar

