



# 2017 Student Safety Innovation Challenge by the ASME - Safety Engineering and Risk Analysis Division (SERAD)

Annually, SERAD hosts a challenge to college students to submit papers on Safety Engineering and Risk Analysis topics. The papers are peer reviewed by experts in these areas. Selected papers will be honored in November 2017 at the SERAD Awards Banquet at ASME's 2017 International Mechanical Engineering Congress and Exposition (IMECE 2017) in Tampa, FL. Recognition includes a cash honorariums for winning authors and sponsoring professor, travel reimbursement for first place student(s) may also be available.

## **Submitting papers for 2017 SERAD Student Safety Innovation Challenge:**

- **Participants:**
  - Undergraduate and Graduate college students
  - An academic sponsor is required
- **Important Dates:**
  - Submittals due to SERAD by **May 12, 2017**
  - Papers formally accepted by **May 26, 2017**
  - SERAD will review, comment, select, and announce winner **June 9, 2017**
  - SERAD Awards Banquet **November 2017**
- **Submittals:**
  - Initial submittals must be previously unpublished work, but can be papers used for academic credit.
  - Submittals are not required to follow ASME's conference paper format, although it is encouraged. Suggested paper size is 4~6 pages including figures.
  - Statement of student status from the Academic Sponsor is required with submission. Please attach a letter of support from academic sponsor to submission.
  - Questions and abstract/paper submissions: Bin Zhou ([bin.zhou@fmglobal.com](mailto:bin.zhou@fmglobal.com)), Jennifer Cooper ([JCooper@rcp.com](mailto:JCooper@rcp.com)).