



Annual New Jersey Department of Transportation Research Implementation Award

In an effort to further demonstrate the value of research and its far reaching impact, NJDOT created the NJDOT Research Implementation Award in 2008. It is being presented by the NJDOT Bureau of Research, to recognize outstanding original research funded by the New Jersey Department of Transportation that has, upon completion been implemented and has had a significant impact to the NJDOT and the transportation community.

Selection Criteria

- **Technical Innovation** — Has this research led to a technological breakthrough new and original as opposed to an incremental improvement on existing technology?
- **NJDOT Application** — Has the research been successfully applied in a NJDOT project, product or process? Does the research have the potential to be applied to other projects, products or processes?
- **Benefits of the Research and Associated Technology** — What impact has the research and associated technology had on the product(s) or process and on generating benefits or cost savings? Has the research and associated technology affected factors such as quality, reliability, safety and so on? Has it had significant societal benefits?

Application Requirement

In addition to addressing the criteria stated in the previous section, one supporting statement must accompany the application from an individual familiar with the research and associated technology and its implementation.

Process and Timing

- Nominations due: **October 1, 2019**. Return to Janet Leli at NJLTAP:
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- Nominations will be reviewed and award selection made by the NJDOT Research Bureau.
- Award recipients will be honored on at the 21st Annual NJDOT Research Showcase at The Conference Center at Mercer County College (West Windsor, NJ) **October 23, 2019**.
- The award consists of a plaque for the research/technical innovator(s). Please list the name of the Principal Investigator for the project.