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### Application Instructions

#### 2018 FACSS Innovation Award Application Form

FACSS Innovation Awards are given for the most innovative and outstanding new research advancements debuted at FACSS.

Please complete the following form and email it to the FACSS International Office  
by **June 30, 2019**.

**Composition:** The goal of the FACSS Innovation Award is to especially recognize innovative and high impact techniques, applications, or scientific concepts debuted at FACSS that have the potential to launch new directions of scientific research or product development.

In assessing each candidate for the award, the judges are asked to consider:

Innovation/Novelty: Is the science novel, or simply a continuation or extension of current practice?

Impact: Does the science address an important analytical challenge?

Creativity: Is the science clever and insightful?

Transformative potential: Does the science have the potential to significantly impact other disciplines of science?

Technical Merit: Is the science carried out with good analytical practice?

The authors can address these points in any manner they wish in a 2-page document following the guidelines below. ***The authors should also state clearly what aspect of their work is unpublished and not presented at conferences previously*** (work based on submitted papers not yet published electronically or in print at the time of abstract submission does qualify).

**Form Instructions:** Please prepare the application according to the following guidelines:

- The application should be no longer than 2 pages (U.S. letter or A4) and include your four digit abstract ID number (will be provided by FACSS office when this form is sent via email).
- Figures may be included within the 2-page limit
- Authors can include references as appropriate. List any references on a separate page and include article titles. The reference list does not count towards the 2-page limit.
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