The James Waters Award is awarded "to an undergraduate student in one of the engineering undergraduate programs who demonstrates creativity not associated with a specific course." For example: 1) a paper published, 2) a paper presented, 3) a new device or invention, or 4) a report on an independent project.

Required: One nomination letter and an electronic copy of the paper, report, or description of the device or invention. Include any patents or pending patent applications.

Prize: certificate and $1,000 (Two separate awards at $1,000 each)

Nominator Name: ________________________________

Student Name: ________________________________

Student Department: ________________________________

Title of Creative Activity (not class related): ________________________________

1. Please describe the creative activity/project in 200 words or less.

2. Describe the most creative or unique aspect of the activity/project.

3. Were other individuals involved in this activity/project? If yes, what role did they play? What was your role in the activity/project?

4. Has this activity/project received other recognition either inside or outside Rice? Please describe. (i.e., presentations, poster sessions, professional society award, technology publication recognition, etc.)