



Denny Medal

The Denny Silver Gilt Medal is awarded to the best paper published in a complete issue or supplement over the course of one year in each of the Journal of Marine Engineering and Technology (JMET) and the Journal of Operational Oceanography (JOO). The medal is awarded by IMarEST Council following recommendation from the Editorial Boards and the Proceedings Supervisory Board. Joint authors are eligible with a maximum of 3 authors receiving a medal for any one paper.

The Denny Medal was first awarded in 1893 following a £250 capital gift from Peter Denny in 1892.

Deadlines

The Denny Medal judging takes place immediately after the publication of the final issue of the JOO and JMET in each calendar year.

Criteria

- Papers must have been published in a complete issue or supplement of the Journal of Operational Oceanography (JOO) or Journal of Marine Engineering & Technology in the calendar year for which the judging is taking place.
- Medals will be awarded to up to three named authors and a cash prize of up to £500 will be awarded to the lead author to support their attendance at the IMarEST Annual Dinner. Individual authors will all receive a certificate.
- Judging is undertaken by the Editorial Boards of each Journal who consider each paper for each of the below and then recommend to which paper(s) up to a maximum of three should be considered
 - Influence & Impact
 - Accuracy of Content
 - Originality & Innovation
 - Completeness & Consistency
 - Presentation & Clarity
- The amalgamated recommendations from the Editorial Boards are then forwarded to the Proceedings Supervisory Board to make the final recommendation to IMarEST Council.

Rules of the Award

- Authors are eligible to be considered for the Denny Medal for all papers in which they are named.
- The Denny Medal winner(s) are not eligible for any Stanley Gray Award in the same year.
- Authors do not have to be a member of The Institute of Marine Engineering, Science and Technology (IMarEST).

- Members of the Proceedings Supervisory Board, IMarEST Executive or Editorial Boards may be named authors on papers considered for the Denny Medal, however, this will render them exempt from the judging process.
- Papers submitted for the JOO and JMET must be the original work of the named authors and not published elsewhere. Papers must be written and presented in English.
- The editorial board will consider eligible papers and any materials supplied in support of them.
- The decision of the Council is final.
- The IMarEST may disclose the names of the winners.
- Due to the unique characteristics of the State of the Ocean JOO supplement, in that it does contain separate and individual papers, it is not included within the judging process.