

## **Sponsorship of the Student Prizes at the Rankine 2020 Conference- Advances in Cooling, Heating and Power Generation**

**University of Glasgow, Scotland, UK, 26<sup>th</sup>- 29<sup>th</sup> July 2020**

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The UK will host the only international conference bringing together the disciplines of Organic Rankine Cycle (ORC) and Refrigeration, Air Conditioning and Heat Pumps (RACHP). The conference offers a unique opportunity to enable the flow of ideas between the two fields. It will provide a forum to discuss the shared environmental challenges being faced, the solutions being proposed and the difficulties in choosing the most efficient working fluids. Delegates will explore research and developments in the closely related fields of power cycles, working fluids and RACHP applications. They will take away insights into new opportunities to deliver efficient, sustainable and environmentally friendly solutions.

The conference will have three streams: Power generation, heating and cooling and working fluids. An estimated 120 papers will be presented and up to 300 people will attend.

### **Sponsorship of the Student Prize**

To encourage young researchers to submit papers and take a more active role in this large international conference, prizes for the best papers submitted by a student will be offered. All student papers presented at the conference will be eligible and the awards will be made during a plenary session. Since the launch of the prize funds at the international conferences there has been a dramatic increase in the number of student submitting papers and attending the events to present them.

To continue this trend the conference is seeking sponsors to donate a prize fund totaling £1,800. The fund will be divided between the three winners, one chosen from each conference stream. Each winner will receive £500 with the overall winner receiving an additional £300.

If your organisation would like to support young researchers by sponsoring the prizes there are two options available. By donating £1,800 your organisation will be the sole sponsor. Joint sponsorship is also available at a cost of £600. There will be three joint sponsorship packages available.

Sponsors will receive their logo on the conference website with a hyperlink to a website of your choice, coverage during the promotion of the conference and the sponsorship will be announced using social media and as a press release. Your organisation logo will also appear in the printed conference programme and on the conference screens during the presentation of the prizes

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