

# GRADUATE CONGRESS: GraTE-7

May 09 – 10, 2025

Bangalore

(Hybrid Mode may be Considered)

Award Money

Rs. 20,000 Each, Best PhD Thesis

Rs. 15,000 Each, Best PG Thesis

Present Your Thesis in SEVEN minutes and Win Best Thesis Award

IEEE Communication Society (ComSoc) Bangalore Chapter jointly with ComSoc Kerala, Delhi, Kolkatta, Uttar Pradesh, and VTS Bangalore, Signal Processing Bangalore Chapters is organizing the 6<sup>th</sup> edition of the Graduate Congress: **Graduate Thesis Evaluation in 7-minutes (GraTE-7)** on 09-10 May 2025. The host organization is Bangalore. The event allows PG and PhD graduates who graduated in 2023 and 2024, a chance to get recognized as the best thesis and win prize money. A total of 7 (Great-7), 4 best PhD thesis and 3 best ME/M.Tech/MS thesis could be recognized and awarded.

Candidate must have been awarded degree from a university/institution located in the region of above ComSoc Chapters. Thesis work must be in the areas of Electronics, Communications, Computer Science, Information Technology or any closely related fields.

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## SEVEN Minutes, SEVEN Awards (GraTE-7)

### Eligibility

**Sponsorers, Please contact – Dr Navin Kumar**

- Graduated in 2023 and 2024: Those who defended their final viva between 01st Jan 2023 to 31st Dec 2024.
- Degree awardee institution must belong to the section/region/state of Karnataka, Delhi, Kerala, Kolkata and Uttar Pradesh.
- Thesis must be in the broad and closely related area of Communication, Networking, Signal processing, Vehicular Technology, AI/ML, etc.

### Evaluation and Selection Process

- Phase-1: Shortlisting of submissions based on technicality/originality/novelty/paper/patent publications by Technical Organizing Committees and experts. (Minimum eligibility marks – to be decided by the Committee).
- Phase-2: Present the thesis in SEVEN minutes on 09-10 May 2025. A panel of experts from the domain area will evaluate.

**Combined Score of Phase-1 and Phase-2 would decide TOP SEVEN.**

Feb 28, 2025



## Documents Submission

- Synopsis about 5-6 pages OR introduction chapter of the thesis with information on **original contributions, publications**, etc. (**DON'T SUBMIT THESIS**)
- Scan copy of the **abstract page and the page(s)** of your thesis
- Scan copy of **page of Signatures** of all examiners and or institutions head
- **Paper/patent/publications** details including their weblinks
- Details of host institute and period of your registration, date of submission of thesis, and date of final viva (defense)
- Supervisor/co-supervisor details and confirmation of their consent regarding submission of thesis for this event (email from supervisor/co-supervisor is fine).
- HoD/Principal signature of viva completion (if the signature page is missing from above point)

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**NOTIFICATION – 20 Mar 2025**

For more details, visit: <http://bangalore.chapters.comsoc.org/important-announcement/>  
<https://comsoc.ieeeekerala.org/best-thesis-award/>  
<https://kolkata.chapters.comsoc.org>

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The Power and Value  
of 7 minutes