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Announcement: Best Paper of the Year Award

The JVCi award committee has completed the best paper selection process. The committee members looked into the papers published in 2012 and 2013, and found 10 worthy candidate papers. Based on the papers as well as the reviewer comments, each committee member voted for their top three papers. One paper was the clear winner and is selected to receive the best paper award. There are two other papers which received clearly higher votes than the rest of the papers and receive best paper award runner up recognition. The three papers are:

JVCi Best Paper Award:

An MMSE approach to nonlocal image denoising: Theory and practical implementation, Volume 23, Issue 3, April 2012

Chul Lee, Chulwoo Lee, Chang-Su Kim

View the paper here: <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S104732031200020X>

JVCi Best Paper Award Runner Up:

Correlation estimation from compressed images, Volume 24, Issue 6, August 2013

Vijayaraghavan Thirumalai, Pascal Frossard

View the paper here: <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1047320311001660>

Comparative study of global color and texture descriptors for web image retrieval, Volume 23, Issue 2, February 2012.

Otávio Penatti, Eduardo Valle and Ricardo da S. Torres

View the paper here: <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S1047320311001465>

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