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The dignity of simplicity.

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CALL FOR NOMINATIONS
2006 Annual Awards Program

On behalf of the ANSI Board of Directors and its Awards Committee, I am pleased to invite your nomination of deserving candidates for the Institute's 2006 Leadership and Service Awards.

This annual awards program is a long-standing tradition that recognizes outstanding achievements across the broad spectrum of ANSI members and the stakeholders that comprise our nation's standardization and conformity assessment community. Representatives of industry, government, academia, consumer organizations, standards developers, conformity assessment organizations and other groups are eligible to be nominated.

Please join ANSI in recognizing those men and women who have made generous donations of their time and energy in support of domestic, bi-lateral, regional and international efforts to improve our quality of life and strengthen global commerce.

We look forward to receiving your nominations.



S. Joe Bhatia
ANSI President and CEO

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nomination deadline
 Friday, July 14, 2006 (5:00 pm EST)

submittals
 Nomination forms can be accessed online at www.ansi.org/awards.

E-mail nominations to: awards@ansi.org

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eligibility of candidates and sponsors

- Any member of the U.S. voluntary consensus standards and conformity assessment community, with the exception of current officers of the Institute's Board of Directors, is considered eligible for an award.
- Nominations may be submitted by any member of the Institute; by members of any ANSI board, committee council, or other group; or by the members of any ANSI-accredited standards developer or certification body.
- Nominations submitted with the endorsement of an entire group will be given appropriate consideration by the Awards Committee.
- Nominations submitted directly from ANSI staff will be considered at the discretion of the Awards Committee.

elements of the nomination submittal

- Identification of the award for which the individual or group is being nominated.
- Name of nominee, current title, and contact information (please include business address, telephone, fax, and e-mail).
- Information on the nominee's professional career, including a summary of the nominee's participation in and contribution to organizations engaged in standardization, certification, or measurement (indicate positions held and accomplishments).
- A 100- to 200-word biographical statement of the individual's eligibility for the award for which he or she is being nominated (see *award descriptions for more information*).
- A *personal* statement from the sponsor, suitable for quotation in the nominee's biography to the Awards Committee, regarding one or more specific accomplishments.
- A statement of the sponsor's authority to make the nomination, particularly if the nomination is on behalf of a committee or organization.
- A statement regarding the availability of the sponsor, or the sponsor's designee, to participate in the presentation of awards during a formal banquet and presentation ceremony on Tuesday evening, October 10, 2006, in Washington, DC.
- Sponsor's name, title, organization, contact information, and signature.



deadline

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Late submissions will be considered at the discretion of the awards committee

selection process

- The Awards Committee, consisting of the chairman, immediate past-chairman, and the current vice-chairmen of the ANSI Board of Directors, will consider the nominations received for each award.
- Selections are made based on the comparison of data submitted against the description of each award.
- An announcement of the 2006 recipients will be made by mid-August so as to allow adequate time for notification to the award recipient and his or her nominator prior to the presentation ceremony.
- The Awards Committee reserves the right to present a nominee with an award other than the one for which he or she was nominated.
- Only one Medal per year will be awarded in each classification; at the discretion of the Awards Committee, multiple recipients may be named for each of the other award categories.
- If, in the judgment of the Awards Committee, no candidates meet the eligibility requirements, an award may not be given.
- At the discretion of the nominator, candidates not selected for an award may be resubmitted for reconsideration in a subsequent year.
- Each final nominee, selected in accordance with these procedures, will be requested to provide additional biographical information, a photo, and an indication of his or her availability to accept the award at the October 10, 2006, banquet and presentation ceremony.

awards banquet and ceremony

- The 2006 ANSI Annual Conference Reception and Awards Banquet and Ceremony will be held on Tuesday evening, October 10, in conjunction with the U.S. Celebration of World Standards Week.
- The event begins with a reception at 6:00 pm, followed by a banquet and presentation ceremony at 7:00 pm.
- Each award recipient and his/her companion will be invited to attend the event as a guest of the American National Standards Institute.
- Additional reservations are \$110 per person for ANSI members and \$135 per person for non-members. Reservations placed on or before September 8, 2006, will be discounted by 10%. All reservations are requested by September 22, 2006 (subject to availability thereafter).
- Hosted tables for ten (10) guests can be arranged; please contact ANSI for details.

date and time

Tuesday, October 10, 2006
6:00 - 9:30 pm (attire: black tie optional)

venue

Ronald Reagan Building and International Trade Center
1300 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

registration

Advance registration is required.

ANSI Registration Coordinator
E: registration@ansi.org
T: 212.642.4956

pricing

\$110 ANSI members / \$135 non-members
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astin-polk international standards medal

The Astin-Polk International Standards Medal honors distinguished service in promoting trade and understanding among nations through personal participation in the advancement, development, or administration of international standardization, measurements, or certification.

recent recipients include

John A. Hinds ('95)
VeriFone, Inc.

John E. Kean ('00)
CSA International

R. David Thomas ('03)
R.D. Thomas and Company

Bernard H. Falk ('98)
*International Electrotechnical
Commission*

Lawrence L. Wills ('01)
IBM Corporation

Frank K. Kitzantides ('04)
*National Electrical
Manufacturers Association*

Ronald H. Reimer ('99)
Allen-Bradley

Lawrence D. Eicher ('02)
*International Organization
for Standardization*

Charles H. Piersall ('05)
Amadis Inc.



howard conley medal

The Howard Conley Medal honors an executive who has rendered great service to the national economy through voluntary standardization and who has given outstanding support to standardization as a management tool.

recent recipients include

Arati Prabhakar ('97)
Raychem Corporation

Edward R. Kelly ('00)
Kelly Consulting

Henry Line ('03)
Amp, Inc.

Ronald L. Jones ('98)
American Petroleum Institute

G. Thomas Castino ('01)
Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

Richard Green ('04)
CableLabs

Brian D. Unter ('99)
Hewlett-Packard Company

Gerald Ritterbusch ('02)
Caterpillar, Inc.

Malcolm O'Hagan ('05)
*National Electrical
Manufacturers Association*



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finegan standards medal

The Finegan Standards Medal honors an individual, not necessarily an executive, who has shown extraordinary leadership in the actual development and application of voluntary standards.

recent recipients include

John A. Blair ('97)
DuPont Company

Arthur K. Reilly ('00)
Cisco Systems, Inc.

Donald Heirman ('03)
Don HEIRMAN Consultants

Mel Woinsky ('98)
Nortel

Gerald Peterson ('01)
Lucent Technologies

Richard D. Gast ('04)
Deere and Company

Charles L. Berestecky ('99)
Lucent Technologies

Frederick Bauer ('02)
Ford Motor Company

Mark K. Eyer ('05)
Sony Electronics



lohse information technology medal

The Edward Lohse Information Technology Medal honors an individual who has participated in the development of IT standards both at the national and international levels, demonstrated leadership in the promotion of such standards within the IT standards community, and fostered cooperation among the bodies involved in global standardization.

recent recipients include

Donald C. Loughry ('97)
Hewlett-Packard Company

Mary Anne D. Lawler ('98)
IBM Corporation

Stephen P. Oksala ('99)
Unisys

Joel B. Urman ('00)
IBM Corporation

Joseph S. DeBlasi ('01)
Decision Systems, Inc.

Donald R. Deutsch ('02)
Oracle Corporation

Michael Hogan ('03)
National Institute of Standards and Technology

Richard L. Pescatore ('04)
Hewlett-Packard Company

Albert P. Brazauski ('05)
Underwriters Laboratories Inc.



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george s. wham leadership medal

The George S. Wham Leadership Medal honors outstanding contributions by an individual who has provided direction and long-range planning to the ANSI Federation in commitment and support of the national and/or international standards system or in a specific area of voluntary standardization.

recent recipients include

Gerald H. Ritterbusch ('97)
Caterpillar, Inc.

Anthony R. O'Neil ('98)
National Fire Protection Assoc.

Glenn Ziegenfuss ('99)
Standards Engineering Society

Richard J. Schulte ('00)
International Approval Service, Inc.

Reuben Autery ('01)
Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association

Nancy Kippenhan ('02)
3M

Robert J. Hermann ('03)
Global Technology Partners, LLC

Frank M. Coda ('04)
American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air-Conditioning Engineers

Nina McClelland ('05)
Nina McClelland LLC

president's award for journalism

The President's Award for Journalism honors a journalist whose work helps to illuminate the role that standardization and conformity assessment activities play in improving the health and safety of Americans and in strengthening the competitiveness of U.S. business in a global marketplace.

Professionals working in print, broadcast, or electronic media will be considered.

recent recipients include

Brandon Mitchener ('02)
Wall Street Journal Europe

David Berlind ('03)
ZDNet

Paul Hoversten ('04)
*Homeland Security
and Defense*

Andrew Updegrove ('05)
Consortium Standards Bulletin



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meritorious service awards

The Meritorious Service Awards are presented to individuals or groups who have a record of significant contributions to voluntary standardization and who have demonstrated outstanding service in enabling ANSI to attain the objectives for which it was founded.

recent recipients include

Dan Bart ('04)
*Telecommunications
Industry Association*

Colin Church ('04)
*U.S. Consumer Product
Safety Commission*

Louis Costrell ('04)
*National Institute of Standards
and Technology*

Casey Grant ('04)
*National Fire Protection
Association*

William Kelly ('04)
Catholic University of America

Ileana Martinez ('04)
*National Institute of Standards
and Technology*

Terry Jacobson ('04)
Lucent Technologies

Paul Moliski ('04)
Intertek Testing Services

James T. Pauley ('04)
*Square D Company /
Schneider Electric North America*

Mary Saunders ('04)
*National Institute of Standards
and Technology*

Henry Opperman ('05)
Weights & Measures Consulting

Michael Taubitz ('05)
General Motors Corporation

Herbert Van de Sompel ('05)
Los Alamos National Laboratory

Eric F. Van de Velde ('05)
CalTech Library System

chairman's award

The Chairman's Award honors outstanding accomplishments performed by any group or individual on behalf of ANSI or the ANSI Federation. Recipients are selected by the chairman of the ANSI Board of Directors in consultation with the Awards Committee. The award may be presented at any time.

Nominations are not required, though they will be considered.

recent recipients include

Emily L. Walker ('04)
*National Commission on Terrorist Attacks
Upon the United States (The 9-11 Commission)*

Arden Bement ('05)
National Science Foundation

next generation award

The Next Generation Award honors an individual who has been engaged in standardization or conformity assessment activities for less than eight years and who has, during this time, demonstrated vision, leadership, dedication and significant contributions to his or her chosen field of activity.

recent recipients include

Mary Jo DiBernardo ('04)
*National Institute of
Standards and Technology*



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The world is moved along,
not only by the mighty shoves of its heroes,
but also by the aggregate of tiny pushes
of each honest worker.

— Hellen Keller

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