CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

two thousand and seven leadership and service awards
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 2007 Leadership and Service Awards.

This annual awards program is a long-standing tradition that honors the best in the field, recognizing outstanding achievements across the broad spectrum of ANSI members and the stakeholders that comprise our nation’s standardization and conformity assessment community.

As you will see on page thirteen, a new medal is being introduced to this year’s program. Recommended by the U.S. National Committee of the International Electrotechnical Commission, the Elihu Thomson Electrotechnology Medal honors an individual who has made exceptional contributions to the field of electrotechnology standardization.

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
nomination deadline
Monday, July 16, 2007 (5:00 pm EST)

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

E-mail nominations to: awards@ansi.org

American National Standards Institute
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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 and current members of ANSI staff, 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 Wednesday evening, October 17, 2007, in Washington, DC.

☐ Sponsor’s name, title, organization, contact information, and signature.

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<td>□ 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.</td>
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<td>□ Selections are made based on the comparison of data submitted against the description of each award.</td>
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<td>□ An announcement of the 2007 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.</td>
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<td>□ The Awards Committee reserves the right to present a nominee with an award other than the one for which he or she was nominated.</td>
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<td>□ 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.</td>
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<td>□ If, in the judgment of the Awards Committee, no candidates meet the eligibility requirements, an award may not be given.</td>
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<td>□ At the discretion of the nominator, candidates not selected for an award may be resubmitted for reconsideration in a subsequent year.</td>
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<td>□ 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 17, 2007, banquet and presentation ceremony.</td>
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The 2007 ANSI Annual Conference Reception and Awards Banquet and Ceremony will be held on Wednesday evening, October 17, 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 $120 per person for ANSI members and $145 per person for non-members.

All reservations are requested by September 21, 2007 (subject to availability thereafter).

Hosted tables for ten (10) guests can be arranged; please contact ANSI for details.

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**date and time**

Wednesday, October 17, 2007
6:00 - 9:30 pm  (attire: black tie optional)

**venue**

The Fairmont Washington
2401 M Street, NW
Washington, DC 20037

**registration**

Advance registration is required.

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

**pricing**

$120 ANSI members
$145 non-members

Each award recipient and a guest will be invited to attend the evening’s events as a guest of the American National Standards Institute.

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

- Bernard H. Falk ('98)
  International Electrotechnical Commission
- Ronald H. Reimer ('99)
  Allen-Bradley
- John E. Kean ('00)
  CSA International
- Lawrence L. Wills ('01)
  IBM Corporation
- Lawrence D. Eicher ('02)
  International Organization for Standardization
- R. David Thomas ('03)
  R.D. Thomas and Company
- Frank K. Kitzantides ('04)
  National Electrical Manufacturers Association
- Charles H. Piersall ('05)
  Amadis Inc.
- Steven A. Seeker ('06)
  ZBB Energy
The Howard Coonley Medal honors an executive who has rendered great service to the national economy through voluntary standardization and conformity assessment and who has given outstanding support to standardization as a management tool.

recent recipients include

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

Edward R. Kelly (‘00)  
Kelly Consulting

Henry Line (‘03)  
Amp, Inc.

Donald Mader (‘06)  
Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

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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:

- Mel Woinsky ('98)  
  Nortel

- Charles L. Berestecky ('99)  
  Lucent Technologies

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

- Gerald Peterson ('01)  
  Lucent Technologies

- Frederick Bauer ('02)  
  Ford Motor Company

- Donald Heirman ('03)  
  Don HEIRMAN Consultants

- Richard D. Gast ('04)  
  Deere and Company

- Mark K. Eyer ('05)  
  Sony Electronics

- Ronald Petersen ('06)  
  RC Petersen Associates, LLC
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:

Mary Anne D. Lawler ('98) IBM Corporation
Joseph S. DeBlasi ('01) Decision Systems, Inc.
Richard L. Pescatore ('04) Hewlett-Packard Company

Stephen P. Oksala ('99) Unisys
Donald R. Deutsch ('02) Oracle Corporation
Albert P. Brazauski ('05) Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

Joel B. Urman ('00) IBM Corporation
Michael Hogan ('03) National Institute of Standards and Technology
Herbert Bertine ('06) Lucent Technologies
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

Anthony R. O’Neill (’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

Oliver R. Smoot (’06)
Information Technology Industry Council
The creation of the Elihu Thomson Electrotechnology Medal was recommended by the USNC. 2007 marks the first year that nominations have been accepted for this award.

The Elihu Thomson Electrotechnology Medal is a new medal to honor an individual who has contributed in an exceptional, dedicated way to the field of electrotechnology standardization, conformity assessment and related activities both at the national and international levels.

The selection of a recipient for this medal will be primarily based on the individual’s leadership accomplishments within the electrotechnology standardization and/or conformity assessment field via the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), the U.S. National Committee of the IEC, and/or other such bodies.
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

Edward Barkmeyer ('06)  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

William Berger ('06)  
American Society of Mechanical Engineers

Walter Korzeniowski ('06)  
Unisys

Charles Dvorak ('06)  
AT&T

Ellen Emard ('06)  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

Fernando Podio ('06)  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

Patricia Gleason ('06)  
Safety Equipment Institute
president’s award for journalism

The President’s Award for Journalism honors media professionals 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. Journalists and editors working in print, broadcast, or electronic media will be considered, as will publications that feature special or ongoing coverage of standards-related activities.

recent recipients include

Brandon Mitchener ('02)
*Wall Street Journal Europe*

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

David Berlind ('03)
*CNET*

Andrew Updegrove ('05)
*Consortium Standards Bulletin*
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 voluntary consensus 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.

recent recipients include

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

Stephen Elliott ('06)
Purdue University
American National Standards Institute

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Striving for success without hard work is like trying to harvest where you haven't planted.

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