CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

two thousand and nine 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 2009 Leadership and Service Awards.

This annual awards program is a long-standing ANSI tradition. It recognizes the imaginative work that is accomplished when individuals with diverse backgrounds and perspectives come together to develop standards and compliance-based solutions that strengthen our economy and protect our well-being. The testimonies hold true from year to year: award nominees share a common characteristic. Each has dedicated considerable efforts to activities that will promote American competitiveness in a global marketplace, safeguard the environment, and improve the quality of life for workers and consumers around the world.

ANSI invites your identification of outstanding achievements across the broad spectrum of ANSI members and constituents. The 2009 award recipients will join a long and distinguished list of past honorees who have left their mark in the history of the ANSI Federation and the standardization community worldwide.

We look forward to receiving your nominations.

S. Joe Bhatia
ANSI President and CEO
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### leadership and service

### nomination deadline

Monday, July 27, 2009 (5:00 pm Eastern)

### submittals

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

E-mail nominations to: awards@ansi.org

American National Standards Institute
ATTN: Awards Committee
25 West 43rd Street — Fourth Floor
New York, NY 10036

### inquiries

212.642.4911
awards@ansi.org
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 Tuesday evening, October 6, 2009, in Bethesda, Maryland

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

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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 2009 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 6, 2009, banquet and presentation ceremony.
awards banquet and ceremony

☐ The 2009 ANSI Awards Banquet and Ceremony will be held on Tuesday evening, October 6, 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 7.

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

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date and time
Tuesday, October 6, 2009
6:00 - 9:30 pm   (attire: black tie optional)

venue
Bethesda North Marriott Hotel
and Conference Center
5701 Marinelli Road
Bethesda, Maryland  20852

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 ANSI Board of Directors.

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deadline

Nominations must be received by ANSI no later than Monday, July 27, 2009 (5:00 pm Eastern)

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

- 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
- Kathleen (Kitty) Riley Kono ('07) - ASTM International
- Steven A. Seeker ('06) - ZBB Energy
- Charles H. Piersall ('05) - Amadis Inc.
- Helen Delaney ('08) - Delaney Consulting
howard coonley medal

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

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

Edward R. Kelly ('00)
Kelly Consulting

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

Gerald Ritterbusch ('02)
Caterpillar, Inc.

Henry Line ('03)
Amp, Inc.

Richard Green ('04)
CableLabs

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

Donald Mader ('06)
Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

Dan Bart ('07)
Telecommunications Industry Association

Belinda L. Collins ('08)
National Institute of Standards and Technology

Gerald Ritterbusch ('02)
Caterpillar, Inc.

Late submissions will be considered at the discretion of the awards committee.
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
- Daniel Roley ('07) Caterpillar
- Alexander McMillan ('08) Rockwell Automation
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
Donald R. Deutsch ('02)  Oracle Corporation
Albert P. Brazauski ('05)  Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

Stephen P. Oksala ('99)  Unisys
Michael Hogan ('03)  National Institute of Standards and Technology
Herbert Bertine ('06)  Lucent Technologies

Joel B. Urman ('00)  IBM Corporation
Richard L. Pescatore ('04)  Hewlett-Packard Company
Karen Higginbottom ('07)  Hewlett-Packard Company

Joseph S. DeBlasi ('01)  Decision Systems, Inc.
Catherine J. Tilton ('08)  Daon
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elihu thomson electrotechnology medal

The Elihu Thomson Electrotechnology Medal honors an individual who has contributed in an exceptional, dedicated way to the field of electrotechnology standardization, conformity assessment and related activities via the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC), the U.S. National Committee of the IEC, and/or other such bodies.

recent recipients include

Jack Wells (‘07)
Pass & Seymour/Legrand

Joseph L. Koepfinger (‘08)
Koepfinger Consulting
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 Assoc.

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

John V. Bergen (’07)
NCCLS

Mary C. McKiel (’08)
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
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*

John H. Marburger, III ('07)
*Office of Science and Technology Policy, Executive Office of the President of the United States*

Michael O. Leavitt ('08)
*U.S. Department of Health & Human Services*
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

Amy Zuckerman ('01)  
A-Z International

David Berlind ('03)  
CNET

Andrea Updegrove ('05)  
Consortium Standards Bulletin

Brandon Mitchener ('02)  
Wall Street Journal Europe

Paul Hoversten ('04)  
Homeland Security and Defense

Andrew Lai ('08)  
Computerworld, Inc.
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

Ajit Jillavenkatesa ('08)  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

Ann M. Weeks ('07)  
Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.

Roger Hoy ('08)  
Nebraska Tractor Test Laboratory, University of Nebraska
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

David L. Miller ('07) American Petroleum Institute
John Neumann ('07) Consultant
Philip M. Piqueira ('07) General Electric
Jennifer Stradtman ('07) International Trade Administration
E. Clayton Teague ('07) National Nanotechnology Coordination Office, Executive Office of the President of the United States
John A. Wafer ('07) Eaton Electrical
Benedict R. Bonazza ('08) TI Automotive, LLC
Michael Fargano ('08) Qwest
Gordon Gillerman ('08) National Institute of Standards and Technology
Linda F. Golodner ('08) National Consumers League

Steve Howell ('08) MARK-IV Consulting
Larry G. Kessler ('08) Office of Science and Engineering Laboratories, Food and Drug Administration

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