

IEEE Section Outstanding Engineer Award

A. Description:

The "Outstanding Engineer" Award is designed to recognize members of the Twin Cities Section who through their technical abilities have made outstanding and noteworthy contributions to their profession. It recognizes the development of new technical concepts, significant patents, development of new devices, development of applications, new designs, significant cost reductions using known techniques, etc.. The award will be considered for presentation annually by evaluation of nominations submitted in accordance with the award criteria and procedures.

B. Eligibility:

1. Nominees shall have been a Section member for a period of three (3) years preceding the year of award consideration. Nominees shall have performed the work for which he/she is being recognized while residing in the Twin Cities Section.

Current Section officers and members of the Award Committee are not eligible.

C. Criteria for Consideration:

1. The primary consideration of the award shall be:

a. Importance of technical contributions. Output of patents, designs, papers and technical presentations. Years of technical distinction and/or responsible charge.

2. Additional criteria for consideration, but of lesser importance, shall be:

a. Service to the Section. Service to the engineering profession in professional organizations other than IEEE. Recognition through other awards.

D. Award Presentation:

1. The "Outstanding Engineer Award" shall consist of a framed certificate or plaque.

The presentation of the award shall be made at the annual Twin Cities Section Award Banquet.

E. Nomination Procedure:

1. A nominator shall be a member within the Twin Cities Section who completes and signs an approved nomination form.

Supplement the nomination form, if deemed advantageous, with additional details to explain the nominee's accomplishments.

Nominations shall be submitted to the Twin Cities Section Award Committee by Jan 31 for presentation of the award at the Twin Cities Section Awards Banquet in Feb. Nominations shall be accompanied by two endorsements (at least one of which shall be from a member of the Twin Cities Section) attesting to personal knowledge of the nominee's accomplishments.

F. Evaluation Procedure:

An evaluation shall be made by the Awards Committee and permit weighting the level of each of the six elements separately with a total of 100 points. More than one award may be given each year. Final selection will be made by consensus of the Awards Committee.

Nomination Form

Section Outstanding Engineer Award

edit with Adobe Reader

Name of Candidate

IEEE Member Number

Date Candidate Became Resident of Section

Candidate Email Address

Professional or Occupation Affiliation and Title

Business Address

Home Address

1. Post Secondary Education (*attach resume if available*):

2. Employment History (*attach resume if available*):

3. Importance of Technical Contribution:

4. Patents, Designs, Papers and Technical Presentations:

5. Years of Technical Distinction and/or Responsible Charge:

6. Services to the Section:

7. Service to the Engineering Profession in non-IEEE Professional Organizations:

8. Recognition through other awards:

7. State succinctly why the candidate should be so honored. This should reflect on singular achievements, career accomplishments collectively and all pertinent elements of this nomination:

Nominator's Name:

Date:

Nominator's Email

[Attach additional sheets if necessary.]

[Attach supporting statement from two (2) endorsers.]

Return Nomination Form by Jan 31 to:

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