



Honors & Awards Committee
June 28, 2026

Action Items

# – Pg.	Assignment	Status	Action Item
1 –	Staff		Pull Fellow blurbs from Plenary script as far back as available to provide to COF subcommittee
2 –	Staff		Put together plaque streamlining recommendations for mid-year call
3 –	Staff		Add subtitles to the Plenary interview video and post to H&A page and socials
4 –	Staff		Look into showing Plenary interview video during the Plenary
5 –	Staff	Complete	Follow-up with GTIC regarding motions
6 –	H&A and Staff		Review tabled GTIC motions during mid-year call.
7 –	Staff		Look into adding Chapter and Region to screen for award recipients during Plenary.

Motions

# – Pg.	Motion	Vote
1 –	To sunset the Pioneers of the Industry Award	9-0-0 CNV, motion passes
2 –	GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include the Global Technical Interaction Committee in the list of General Standing Committees and Councils found on page 3 of the Instructions for DSA/ESA Point Tally Form.	8-0-0-1 CNV, motion passes
3 –	GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards create a separate category in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form as Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES with maximum 10 points for this category	9-0-0 CNV, motion tabled
4 –	GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form in Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES options for participation in International Secretariats and US TAGs as follows: - For chairing a TAG for 1 ½ points per year - For being a voting member or Vice Chair in a TAG for 1 point per year - For being a non-voting member in a TAG for ½ point per year - For chairing an ISO/TC or subcommittee for which ASHRAE holds the secretariat for 1 ½ points per year - For being a GTIC regional liaison for ½ points per year Also to move section 7 - International Services from Category E to category G.	9-0-0 CNV, motion tabled
5 –	H&A moves that the ASHRAE Rules of the Board be updated as shown in Attachment I .	9-0-0 CNV, motion passes
6 –	H&A moves that the Honors & Awards Committee Manual of Procedures be updated as shown in Attachment J .	9-0-0 CNV, motion passes
7 –	H&A recommends to Members Council to utilize OpenWater as an award management software, effective July 1, 2026.	10-0-0 CV, motion passes

Attendance

- H&A Members Present: Adam Davis, Karine Leblanc, Ronald Gagnon, Scott Martin, Bruno Martinez, Richie Mittal, Janice Peterson, Andrew Reilman, Juliana Trigo, Sheila Hayter, Sherry Abbott-Adkins
- H&A Members Absent: Daniel Redmond
- H&A Incoming Members Present: Daniel Pettway, Thursten Simonsen

Minutes

1. **Call to Order** – Davis
2. **Roll Call/Introduction of Guests** – Davis
3. **ASHRAE Code of Ethics Commitment** – Davis
 - a. *In ASHRAE meetings, we will act with honesty, fairness, courtesy, competence, inclusiveness and respect for others, which exemplify our core values of excellence, commitment, integrity, collaboration, volunteerism and diversity, and shall avoid all real or perceived conflicts of interest. Our culture is one of inclusiveness, acknowledging the inherent value and dignity of each individual. We celebrate diverse and inclusive communities, understanding that doing so fuels better, more creative and more thoughtful ideas, solutions and strategies for the Society and the communities our Society serves. We respect and welcome all.*
 - b. **Code of Ethics** - <https://www.ashrae.org/about/governance/code-of-ethics>
 - c. **Core Values** - <https://www.ashrae.org/about/ashrae-s-core-values>
 - d. **Diversity Statement** - <https://www.ashrae.org/about/diversity-equity-and-inclusion-dei>
4. **Review of Agenda** – Davis
5. **Leadership Presentation** – Abbott-Adkins (**Attachment A**)
6. **Special Reports**
 - a. College of Fellows (COF)
 - i. A COF subcommittee was established to increase the number of Fellows speaking at conferences. Seven fellows spoke here in Austin and the goal to submit 12 Fellows moving forward. It has been challenging to find Fellows to present because COF doesn't have record of each Fellow's expertise. If the COF knew why each Fellow was approved for Fellow, they could better identify them as potential speakers.
 1. **Action Item #1:** Rhiannon to pull Fellow blurbs from Plenary script as far back as available
7. **Review of Action Items** – Davis (**Attachment B**)
 - a. 2026 Winter Conference, #1: Does COF have any communication initiatives? Could they help with reaching out to current Fellows?
 - i. COF does not reach out to potential or current Fellows to encourage nominations. They mainly send out the following:
 1. Basecamp notifications to COFs with info about meetings during conferences
 2. Solicitations for donations
 - ii. They like the idea of us including COF meeting info in our communications
 - b. Fall 2025 Mid-Year Call, #1: Research plaque options that are sustainable
 - i. Two options from [Bennett Awards](#)
 - ii. [Upstream Trophies](#) recommended by Bruno
 1. Based in the Netherlands and they only accept payment in Euros
 - iii. **Action Item #2:** Staff to put together streamlining recommendations for mid-year call
 - c. 2025 Annual Conference, #3: Work with Marketing to edit Plenary interview video and post
 - i. **Action Item #3:** Add subtitles to the Plenary interview video and post to H&A page and socials
8. **Report of Planning Subcommittee** – Leblanc
 - a. Five-Year Review Update:

- i. Overview of awards up for review ([Attachment D](#))
- ii. Feedback received from host committees ([Attachment E](#))
- iii. Next steps:
 - 1. Leave the Lou Flagg for now and reassess interest in five years
 - 2. Pioneers of the Industry
 - a. **Motion #1:** Andy moved and Ron seconded to sunset the Pioneers of the Industry Award. Vote: 9-0-0 CNV, motion passes

9. **Report of Media Subcommittee – Reilman**

- a. **Action Item #4:** Look into showing video at Plenary

10. **Report of Personal Awards Subcommittee – Martin**

- a. DSA/ESA Point Requests:
 - i. In Las Vegas we reviewed GTIC's request to add points for participation in the ISO Technical Advisory Group (TAGs) ([Attachment F](#)). Below is the feedback from GTIC:
 - 1. This is not a liaison position. This involves participation in the ISO committees in which we are active (such as ISO TCs 59, 86, 163, and 205) and their relevant subcommittees. This would also include service on the TAGs for these ISO committees. Since these roles are not assigned by the Society President or BOD, there is potential for confusion in how they are categorized.
 - 2. Our recollection is that the intent is to highlight the international nature of this work and to elevate global activities as a distinct category. In theory, this could also encompass efforts such as leading a Building Codes Assessment workshop in a country like India or contributing to the adaptation of a U.S. standard for use in another country.
 - ii. From staff's perspective, I want this to be an easy item to track. I recommended to GTIC to add ISO to Category E.6b (which was an option we proposed). However, TAG/ISO rosters are managed outside of Netforum, so they wouldn't show up on a member's bio.
 - iii. GTIC discussed this topic at a recent meeting and submitted three motions – [Attachment G](#)
 - 1. **Motion #2:** GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include the Global Technical Interaction Committee in the list of General Standing Committees and Councils found on page 3 of the Instructions for DSA/ESA Point Tally Form
 - a. H&A Vote: 8-0-0-1 CNV
 - 2. **Motion #3:** GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards create a separate category in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form as Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES with maximum 10 points for this category
 - 3. **Motion #4:** GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form in Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES options for participation in International Secretariats and US TAGs as follows:
 - a. For chairing a TAG for 1 ½ points per year
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 - d. For chairing an ISO/TC or subcommittee for which ASHRAE holds the secretariat for 1 ½ points per year
 - e. For being a GTIC regional liaison for ½ points per year
- Also to move section 7 - International Services from Category E to category G.
- f. Karine moved to table Motions 2 and 3, Andy seconded. Vote: 9-0-0 CNV, motion tabled
- 4. **Action Item #5:** Staff to follow-up with GTIC regarding motions

5. **Action Item #6:** H&A and Staff to review tabled GTIC motions during mid-year call.
 - b. **Executive Session:** Reviewed nominees for the awards below and proposed recipients to Members Council:
 - i. ASHRAE Award for Distinguished Public Service (5 nominations)
 - ii. ASHRAE Hall of Fame (6 nominations)
 - iii. ASHRAE Pioneers of the Industry (0 nominations)
 - iv. F. Paul Anderson Award (2 nominations)
 - v. Fellow (48 nominations)
 - vi. Honorary Member (1 nomination)
11. **Report of Paper and Pass Through Awards Subcommittee – Trigo**
- a. **Executive Session:** Reviewed nominees and proposed recipients to Members Council
12. **Old Business**
- a. The proposed ASHRAE membership model is currently being voted on by the membership and we will know results soon. If approved it would go into effect July 1, 2027. If approved, Associate and Affiliate grades would go away. In its place would be the Young Professional grade, which is applicable to individuals 35 years of age or younger for their first two years of membership.
 - i. How does this impact membership qualifications for Fellow?
 1. Technically nothing would change regarding Fellow qualifications and how it is worded. A nominee would still need to be a Full Member grade for a minimum of ten years.
 2. What would change is that a member may reach those ten years at Full Member earlier in their career than they would have under the current model. Since there would no longer be qualifications for Full Member grade, a young professional could join straight out of college as a Full Member and get the ten required years by the time they're in their early 30s (compared to the current model where they would join as an Associate and only transfer to Full Member once they had enough industry experience).
 3. Associate membership would not be erased from member records.
 - ii. Question: If Associate Membership goes away, are we penalizing those that joined when that membership grade was offered? We would no longer differentiate between Associate and Full Member grades under the new model, so why would we enforce that differentiation on Fellow qualifications moving forward? Should H&A consider looking at both Associate and Full Member grade for Fellow qualifications?
13. **New Business**
- a. Updates to ASHRAE Rules of the Board (ROB)
 - i. **Attachment I** reviews proposed edits:
 1. Addition of recently approved Communications award
 2. Housekeeping updates
 3. Recommendation to remove the form of award for each category in 2.411.003.2
 - ii. ROB edits must be approved by Members Council, Society Rules Committee, and the Board.
 - iii. **Motion #5:** H&A moves that the ASHRAE Rules of the Board be updated as shown in **Attachment I**.
 1. Scott moved to approve, Ron seconded. Vote: 9-0-0 CNV, motion passes
 - b. Updates to H&A MOP
 - i. **Attachment J** reviews proposed edits:

1. Recommendation to remove the form of award for each category (same recommendation made to ROB)
 2. Housekeeping updates
 - ii. **Motion #6:** H&A moves that the Honors & Awards Committee Manual of Procedures be updated as shown in [Attachment J](#).
 1. Bruno moves to approve, Ron seconded. Vote: 9-0-0 CNV, motion passes
 - c. **Action Item #7:** Staff to look into adding Chapter and Region to screen for award recipients during Plenary.
 - d. How to better connect potential ASHRAE Fellows to current Fellows to write a letter of recommendation for the nomination process?
14. **Status of 25-26 MBOs** – Davis ([Attachment K](#))
- a. MBO 4: Investigate the use of a web based software application to streamline the award application process
 - i. **Motion #7:** H&A recommends to Members Council to utilize OpenWater as an award management software, effective July 1, 2026.
 1. Andy moves, Karine seconded. Vote: 10-0-0 CV, motion passes
15. **Budget** – Masterson
16. **Change of Chair** – Davis/Leblanc
- a. Recognition of outgoing members:
 - i. Adam Davis – Chair
 - ii. Juliana Trigo – Member
 - b. Recognition of current members changing roles:
 - i. Karine Leblanc – Vice Chair to Chair
 - ii. Scott Martin – Member to Vice Chair
 - c. Recognition of incoming members:
 - i. Daniel Pettway – Member
 - ii. Thursten Simonsen – Member
 - d. Appointment of 2026-27 subcommittees and mentors – Leblanc ([Attachment N](#))
 - e. 2026-27 MBOs – Leblanc ([Attachment O](#))
17. **Next Meeting** – January 23, 2027 at the 2027 ASHRAE Winter Conference in Chicago, Illinois
18. **Adjournment** – Leblanc



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Code of Ethics

We will act with honesty, fairness, courtesy, competence, inclusiveness and respect for others, which exemplify our core values of excellence, commitment, integrity, collaboration, volunteerism and diversity, and we shall avoid all real or perceived conflicts of interest.

Value Statement

In ASHRAE meetings, we will act with honesty, fairness, courtesy, competence, inclusiveness and respect for others, which exemplify our core values of excellence, commitment, integrity, collaboration, volunteerism and diversity, and shall avoid all real or perceived conflicts of interest. Our culture is one of inclusiveness, acknowledging the inherent value and dignity of each individual. We celebrate diverse and inclusive communities, understanding that doing so fuels better, more creative and more thoughtful ideas, solutions and strategies for the Society and the communities our Society serves. We respect and welcome all.

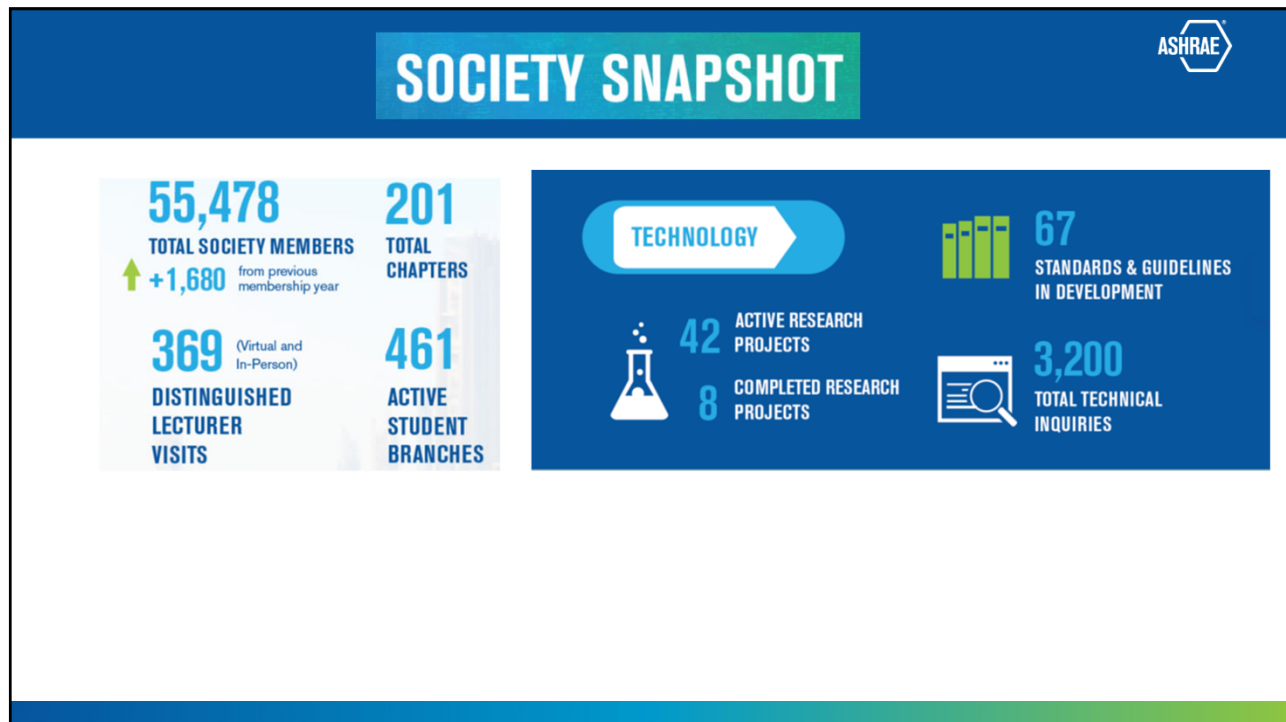
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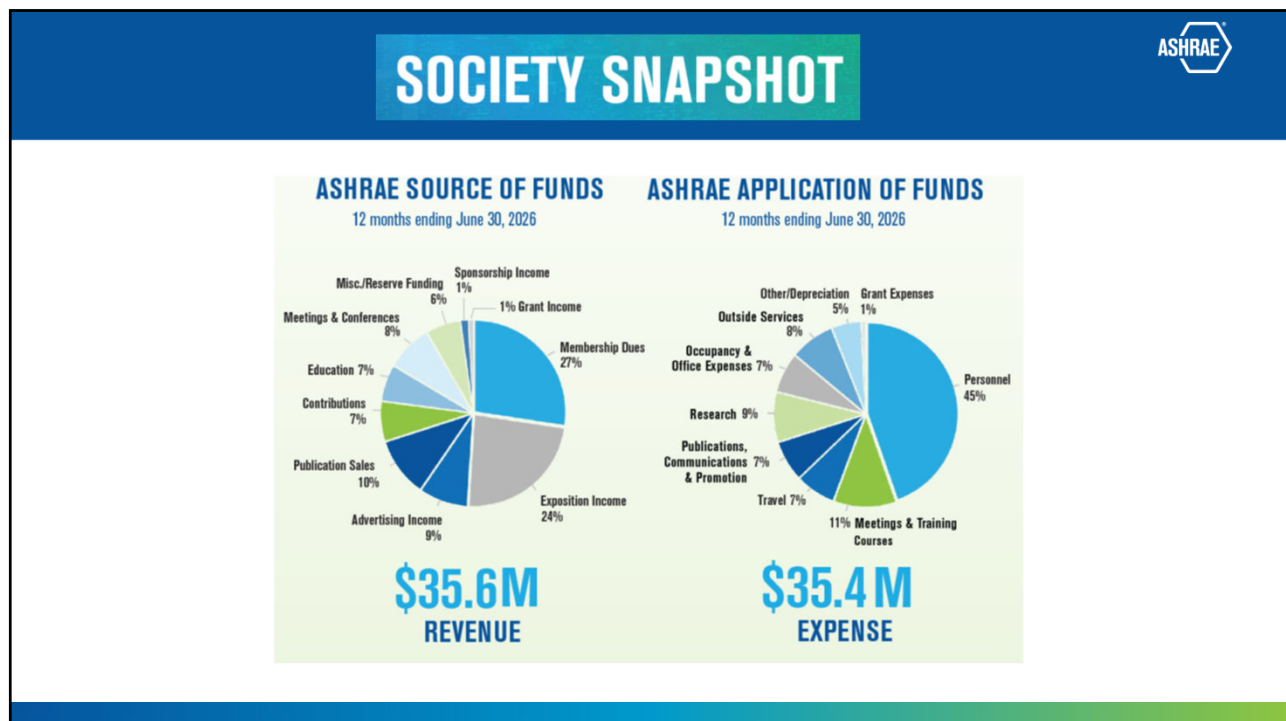
Commercialism

ASHRAE's Commercialism Policy allows for Society activities that fulfill the mission of technological advancement with adherence to business plans that generate income to offset operational expenses such as AHR Exposition, ASHRAE periodicals, website, and Society conference events such as the Welcome Party, luncheons, registration kits, and receptions.

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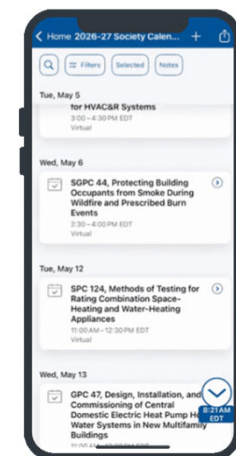
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- ✓ In-Person and Virtual Meetings & Events
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NOTE: ASHRAE Conferences will continue to have detailed events in ASHRAE 365. Chapter and Region events will not be included.



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Check out the new Vision 2035!

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Vision 2035 and previous long-range vision plan editions serve as time-bound milestones advancing ASHRAE's overall [Mission and Vision](#). It provides guidance for continuity across [Strategic Plans](#) through 2035.

Focus Areas

- ✓ Personalized and Resilient Environments
- ✓ Regenerative Development
- ✓ Human Centered and Equitable Design
- ✓ Intelligent Building Lifecycle
- ✓ Low Carbon and Circular Built Environments

Update: [ASHRAE Strategic Plan is extended through 2030](#)

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President's Luncheon



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Monday, June 29 | 12:15 PM

Ticket Required

Welcome new board members and thank outgoing members at the President's Luncheon.

Hear incoming Society President Sarah Maston introduce the Society Theme:

**Changing the Game:
Retrofitting for Resilience**

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Hot Topics in Government Affairs



AI / Data Centers



EPCA Modernization (DOE Appliance and Equipment Standards)



IAQ/IEQ/Thermal Comfort



Refrigerant Transition



Energy Codes, Resiliency and Affordability



Workforce Development (trades and STEM)



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RP and ASHRAE Foundation: Supporting ASHRAE's Mission



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Projections for Society Year ending June 30, 2026



\$2.8M Raised through Research Promotion Campaign



\$830,000 Raised for Endowments with the ASHRAE Foundation



\$275,000 Awarded through 79 Scholarships



\$2M Raised for ASHRAE Research



\$35,000 Raised by College of Fellows and Life Members Club



\$1.2M Given by ASHRAE Regions, Chapters and Sections

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Center for Excellence in Building Decarbonization (CEBD)



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CEBD Strategic Planning Retreat



Building Code Workshops

Strategic Planning Retreat (Held April 24-25, 2026 in Washington, DC)

- ✓ Strategized Alignment with CE IEQ
- ✓ Developed Future Strategic Initiatives & Existing Enhancements

SY 2026-2027 Strategic Initiatives

- ✓ Asserting Leadership in Whole Life Carbon
- ✓ Charting the Path to 2050
- ✓ Accelerating Market Adoption & Insight

Enhancements to Existing Priorities

- ✓ Additional Building Code Assessment Tool (BCAT) Workshops
- ✓ CEBD Chapter Engagement & Ambassador Program
- ✓ Strengthen Committee-to-Committee Collaboration

Additional Activities

- ✓ Tech Council: **Five (5) Research Projects Underway**
- ✓ Members Council: Distinguished Lecturer Presentation on Decarbonization Retrofits
- ✓ Publication & Education Council: **Two (2) Design Guides and Two (2) eLearning Courses**
- ✓ **Building Code Workshop held at Developing Economies Conference**

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Center for Excellence in Indoor Environmental Quality (CE IEQ)



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CE IEQ April 23-24, Washington, DC

Strategic Planning Retreat

- ✓ Develop IEQ Roadmap
- ✓ Harmonize Current & Expedite Future IEQ Guidance
- ✓ Strategize Alignment with CEBD, EHC, & GAC
- ✓ Create External Engagement & Liaison Strategy
- ✓ Develop Future Strategic Priorities

SY 2026-2027 Strategic Priorities

- ✓ Announce and Activate CE IEQ
- ✓ Develop IEQ Operator Checklist
- ✓ **Develop Standards-specific Guidance**
- ✓ Continue Support for 235p
- ✓ Develop a Holistic IEQ Briefing Document
- ✓ Develop Metrics for IEQ & Energy Nexus
- ✓ Review & Strengthen Organizational Relationships



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NEW! AI Data Center Framework



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Standards & Guidelines



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New Standards

 ASHRAE/ANSI Standard 169-2023 Energy Standard for Sites and Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings (I-P Edition) This standard is approved for ASHRAE by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). It is published by ASHRAE in cooperation with ANSI.	 ASHRAE/ANSI Standard 170-2023 Ventilation of Health Care Facilities This standard is approved for ASHRAE by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). It is published by ASHRAE in cooperation with ANSI.	 ASHRAE Standard 331-2026 A Control Description Language for Building Environmental Control Sequences This standard is approved for ASHRAE by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). It is published by ASHRAE in cooperation with ANSI.	 ASHRAE Standard 169-2023 Climatic Data for Building Design Standards This standard is approved for ASHRAE by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI). It is published by ASHRAE in cooperation with ANSI.
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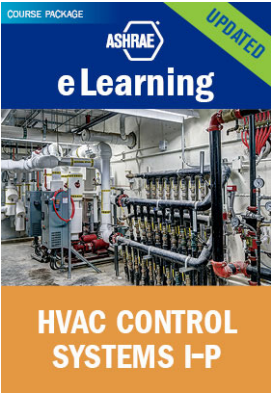
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Certification

Record Application Total
On Track for SY 2026



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Criteria

- ✓ Within first five years of membership
- ✓ Apply 3 weeks before your course
- ✓ Must include a chapter officer's support letter

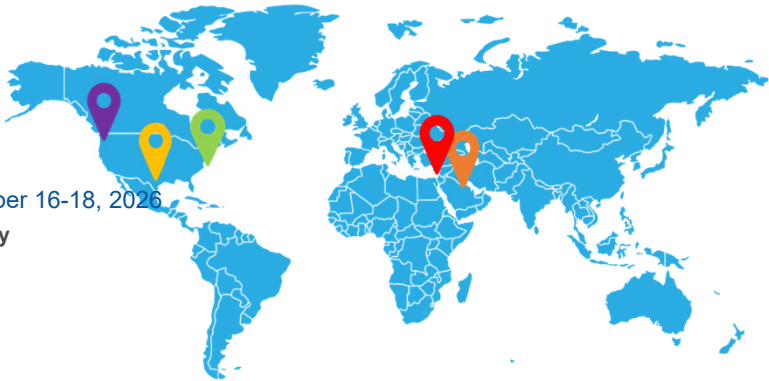
Where to apply? Check the page of the course you're interested in for an application.



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2026 - 27 Topical Conferences

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-  Seattle, WA, September 23-25, 2026
2026 ASHRAE Building Decarbonization Conference
-  Beirut, Lebanon, October 8-9, 2026
Seventh International Conference on Efficient Building Design
-  Kuwait University City, Kuwait, November 16-18, 2026
Ninth International Conference on Energy Research and Development (ICERD – 9)
-  Dallas, TX, March 3-5, 2027
2027 ASHRAE Data Center and AI Integration Conference
-  Baltimore, MD, April 12-13, 2027
Women in ASHRAE Leadership Symposium

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Future Conferences + 2027 ASHRAE Winter Conference

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Changes to Future ASHRAE Annual Conferences

The Future of ASHRAE Conferences Ad Hoc charge is to recommend a new overall Society conference strategy which specifically focuses on changes to the typical Annual Conference.

A recommendation will be made at the 2026 Annual Conference in Austin. Approved changes will be reflected in **the coming years**.

Any approved changes will **not** go into effect until 2030. Annual Conference will remain the same through 2029.



2027 ASHRAE WINTER CONFERENCE

Join us in Chicago
Jan 23 - 27

Registration Opens in
September

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Nominate for Committees and Awards



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Find Committees and Nominate Yourself or Others

SEP
2026

September 18: Nominations for elected positions are due. (Publications & Education Council, Tech Council, RAC, TAC, Standards, Handbook, Nominating)

FEB
2027

February: Nominations for appointed committees are due.

JUN
2026

June: Speak with your committee ExO/CO if your current appointment/elected position ends to be nominated for another.

HONORS & AWARDS

The following awards have a DEC 1 deadline:

Andrew T. Boggs Service Award
Distinguished 50-Year and 75-Year Member Award
Distinguished Service Award (DSA)
Louise & Bill Holladay Distinguished Fellow Award
Exceptional Service Award (ESA)
Eunice Foote Decarbonization Award

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Simplified Model

VOTE TODAY

Proposed Bylaws amendment on Spring Ballot,
emailed to you in late April from noreply@directvote.net.

Member Grade						Student Member Grade		Other			
Member				Young Professional	Tenured Professional	Life Service Member	Presidential Member	Student Member	Student Branch Advisor	Honorary Member	
WB Tier 1 Standard Dues	WB Tier 2 80% of dues	WB Tier 3 60% of dues	WB Tier 4 40% of dues	50% (+ tier discount)		FREE		90% (+ tier discount)		80% (+ tier discount)	FREE
Anyone involved in the building sciences industry				Anyone ≤ 35 yo who joins pays this fee first for 2 years	Anyone ≥ 65 yo with 25 years cumulative membership	30 yrs cumulative member + ≥ 65 + DSA or 15 qualifying service points	Served as Society President	Must be currently enrolled in university, college, junior college or technical institute		Faculty member who is ASHRAE member & must submit application and submit annual report	Any notable person of preeminent professional distinction & elected by the BOD
Handbook Online + *Journal , HPB, Insights + Tech Portal + Member Pricing + Voting Privileges and Serve as C,R,S level roles Choice of 1: eLearning Course, Certification Study Guide, Standard or Guideline				Handbook Online + *Journal, HPB, Insights + Tech Portal + Member Pricing		Same as Member + waived dues, extreme discounts to W&A Conferences. Invitations to VIP events (Presidential Only)		Same as Young and Tenured Professionals		Full Member Benefits if requested	
Additional New Member Benefits: Receive a Comp Winter or Annual Conference to attend in first 3 years + Handbook Online access for 1 year											

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Proposed Dues Rates

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Career and Economic discounts off main dues rate as set by the Board of Directors.

Economic discount based on country of residence as defined by the World Bank.

High Income = Tier 1, Upper Middle Income = Tier 2, Lower Middle Income = Tier 3, Low Income = Tier 4

ASHRAE Membership Dues Rate Table		Career Based Discount				
		All Others	Young Pro OR Tenured Pro	Student Branch Advisor	Student	Life Service & Honorary
Economic Discount		0%	50%	80%	90%	100%
World Bank Tier 1	0%	\$290	\$145	\$60	\$30	FREE
World Bank Tier 2	20%	\$230	\$115	\$45	\$25	FREE
World Bank Tier 3	40%	\$175	\$90	\$35	\$20	FREE
World Bank Tier 4	60%	\$115	\$60	\$25	\$10	FREE

The dues rates and percentages are for **illustrative purposes only**, based on 2026-2027 dues rates. The Finance Committee is responsible for reviewing, recommending changes and interpreting fees, dues, and privileges. (ROB 2.408.004)



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Timeline

Learn More at ashrae.org/2026Bylaws



PLEASE VOTE! Election Closes
Saturday, 3:00 PM CT June 27!



Please vote on the Proposed Bylaws amendment on Spring Ballot. Questions? Email ballot@ashrae.org.

By June 30, 2027: If Bylaws amendment are approved, all changes made to membership database, website, promotional materials, ROB, Committee/Council MOPs and training materials.

July 1, 2027: New model implemented.

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Media Inquiries



**Asked to make a statement
on behalf of ASHRAE?**

Please send all media
inquiries to
publicrelations@ashrae.org
before responding to
members of the press.

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everyone.

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Meeting	AI #	Assignment	Status	Action Item	Notes
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	1	Staff	Complete	Does COF have any communication initiatives? Could they help with reaching out to current Fellows?	Details in Austin agenda
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	2	Staff	Complete	Notify H&A Chapter Chairs and Presidents about 1-page flyers	Email sent
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	3	Staff	Complete	Remove headshot requirement from all award nominations	Nomination forms and H&A website updated
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	4	Staff	Complete	Draft ROB updates for new Communications award	Details in Austin agenda
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	5	Staff	Complete	Add question to the DSA/ESA new point form: Is this listed in the member bio?	
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	6	Staff	Complete	Follow-up with GTIC with the questions re: DSA/ESA new point request	Three new motions submitted from GTIC; included in Austin agenda
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	7	Staff	Complete	Share Plenary feedback with meetings and marketing staff	Show Plenary program QR code for longer
2026 Winter Conference in Las Vegas	8	Staff	Complete	Post updated list of all Fellows to H&A page	
2025 Fall Mid-Year Call	1	Staff	In progress	Research plaque options that are sustainable and dual purpose (hang/stand)	Details in Austin agenda
2025 Annual Conference in Phoenix	3	Staff	In progress	Work with Marketing to edit Plenary interview video and post	Video completed and ready to post

Award	Group	Chair Full Name	Chair First Name	Chair Email	Staff Liaison	Staff Liaison Email	Status
ASHRAE Hall of Fame	H&A	Adam Davis	Adam	adavis@weston-me.com	Rhiannon Masterson	rmasterson@ashrae.org	N/A
ASHRAE Pioneers of the Industry	H&A	Adam Davis	Adam	adavis@weston-me.com	Rhiannon Masterson	rmasterson@ashrae.org	N/A
Honorary Member	H&A	Adam Davis	Adam	adavis@weston-me.com	Rhiannon Masterson	rmasterson@ashrae.org	N/A
Energy Genius	CTTC	Heric Holmes	Heric	heric_holmes@yahoo.ca	Rhiannon Masterson	rmasterson@ashrae.org	Received
Lou Flagg Award	Historical	Randy Schrecengost	Randy	schrecengostrand@stanleygroup.com	Julie Harr	jharr@ashrae.org	Received
E.K. Campbell Award of Merit	LMC	Donald Brandt	Donald	dbrandtz@aol.com	Megan Gotzmer	mgotzmer@ashrae.org	Received
Lincoln Bouillon Award	MP	Louise McKenzie	Louise	louisemckenzie@amegroup.ca	Daniel Gurley	dgurley@ashrae.org	Received
Homer Addams Award	RAC	Jin Wen	Jin	jinwen@psu.edu	Steve Hammerling	shammerling@ashrae.org	Not Received
Service to ASHRAE Research Award	RAC	Jin Wen	Jin	jinwen@psu.edu	Steve Hammerling	shammerling@ashrae.org	Not Received
William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award	RP	Haley Goslinga	Haley	haley.goslinga@trane.com	Julia Mumford	jmumford@ashrae.org	Received
YEA Inspirational Leader Award	YEA	Elise Kiland	Elise	ehkiland@gmail.com	Jeanette McCray	jmccray@ashrae.org	Received

Award	Group	Presentation	2021 Presentation	2022 Presentation	2023 Presentation	2024 Presentation	2025 Presentation	Recipient Notes	Staff Notes
ASHRAE Hall of Fame	H&A	Winter Plenary	6	3	5	4	6	# of nominations	
ASHRAE Pioneers of the Industry	H&A	Winter Plenary	0	1	0	0	0	# of nominations	Needs review
Honorary Member	H&A	Winter Plenary	0	2	1	1	0	# of nominations	
Energy Genius	CTTC	Annual, Not at Plenary	-	1	1	0	0	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
Lou Flagg Award	Historical	Annual Plenary	0	0	0	0	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
E.K. Campbell Award of Merit	LMC	Winter Plenary	1	1	1	1	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
Lincoln Bouillon Award	MP	Annual Plenary	1	1	1	1	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
Homer Addams Award	RAC	Annual Plenary	1	1	1	1	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
Service to ASHRAE Research Award	RAC	Winter, Not at Plenary	1	0	0	0	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award	RP	Annual Plenary	1	1	1	1	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	
YEA Inspirational Leader Award	YEA	Winter Plenary	1	1	1	1	1	Pass Through Award, 1 = received recipient	

E.K. Campbell Award Review

1. Does the award have current appeal?

Yes, as evidenced by the number of applications.

2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other awards?

This award is unique in that it focuses on ASHRAE members who have and are usually still teaching and conducting research in a institute that has an accredited HVAC/R curriculum.

3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice.

This award should continue to be presented during the Plenary Session at the ASHRAE Winter Conference. The recipient then speaks at the Life Members Luncheon and receives their honorarium at that time. We agree that this is within the best practice due to the prestigious status of this award and the recipient being supported by chapters, regional leaders, universities, research labs, students, and more.

4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement if available.

This selection uses the requirements from E.K. Campbell set up when he created and funded the E.K. Campbell Award. One awardee is selected by the E.K. Campbell Committee in the LMC and then must be approved by the ASHRAE Board of Directors . There is no limit to the number of applicants accepted.

5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please include a copy.

The E.K. Campbell Subcommittee Chair may choose to use a guide created by themselves or another member of the Executive Committee. They will use the criteria to create this guide. However, this is not a necessary step and is dependent on the subcommittee's preferences. The only true process is to ensure all criteria is met and then pick the best nomination.

6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation?

Yes, a \$10,000 honorarium and two Life Member's Luncheon tickets. The EK Campbell award is financially supported by donations from Life Members throughout the year.

Energy Genius Award

1. Does the award have current appeal?
 - This pass through award was previously owned by the BEQ Committee. Within the past two years, the BEQ Committee has become an MTG and no longer had the availability to completely own the award, so it was transferred to CTTC.
 - The award was established in 2022 and there were recipients for 2022 and 2023.
 - Since 2024 there have not been any nominations submitted.
 - CTTC is working the BEQ.MTG to oversee the award moving forward.
 - We would recommend that this award continue in the hopes of receiving nominations now that there is a plan in place.
2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other awards?
 - No
3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice.
 - Not the Plenary – either the BEQ or CTTC meeting.
4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement if available.
 - Criteria attached
5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please include a copy.
 - Criteria attached
6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation?
 - No

Energy Genius Award

Purpose

The Energy Genius Award recognizes excellence in the assessment of building energy performance using ASHRAE Building EQ. This differs from the ASHRAE Technology Awards, which recognize excellence in the successful application of design innovation incorporating ASHRAE Standards and good mechanical design.

The vehicle for the Energy Genius Award to assess building energy performance is through the use of the ASHRAE Building EQ Portal and the Building EQ assessment process as follows:

1. Completion, submission, and approval of an ASHRAE Building EQ In Operation project that includes an ASHRAE Standard 211-compliant Level 1 Energy Audit.
2. Nominated projects must be submitted to the Building EQ Portal for approval within 18 months of the award deadline.

Qualifications

The submitter must be an ASHRAE Building EQ Credentialed User as designated in the Building EQ Portal and listed below:

- Licensed/chartered Professional Engineer (PE) (all submissions)
- ASHRAE Certified Building Energy Assessment Professional (BEAP)
- DOE Better Buildings Workforce Guidelines Building Energy Auditor (CEA)
- DOE Better Buildings Workforce Guidelines Energy Manager (CEM, EMP)

Judging

Portal submissions shall be evaluated, at a minimum, according to the following criteria, unless otherwise noted.

- The completion of all Building EQ Portal fields (required and optional) for the project submission including attachments and photos.
- Identified measures for improvement of building performance as a result of a Building EQ Assessment. Quality of the audit report included as part of the submission including the use of the Building EQ Narrative Audit report.
- Most innovative way to include students in the Building EQ submission process.
- The complexity of the building and systems that were assessed.
- References to ASHRAE Standards, Guidelines, and publications, as appropriate in method and analysis descriptions.

Timeline

There will be multiple levels of evaluation. Evaluators at all levels will judge the submissions, not only for content, but also for compliance with the competition rules.

- September 30: deadline for all project submissions
- October-December: judging is conducted
- ASHRAE Winter Conference: CTTC recommends recipient to Honors & Awards Committee
- February: nominees are notified of status
- ASHRAE Annual Conference: winner is recognized at the CTTC meeting

Awards

The award consists of a plaque that will be presented to the winning submission during the CTTC meeting at the ASHRAE Annual Conference. Transportation is not provided and the plaque will be shipped if the recipient is unable to attend.

FAQs

Q: How many can participate in a project submission?

A: There is no maximum number of participants. Only Building EQ portal users associated with a project will be identified as part of a project submission and, if recognized, will receive digital Energy Genius award certificates.

Q: Are students allowed to participate in project submissions?

A: Yes.

Q: Can I participate in more than one project submission for the Energy Genius award?

A: Yes

Membership Promotion Committee's Lincoln Bouillon Award

1. Does the award have current appeal? **Yes**
2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other current or proposed awards? **No**
3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice. **Plenary, because of its prestige, being named for a former Society president, and it has been presented for over 50 years.**
4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a requirement for adherence to the ASHRAE Code of Ethics? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement that can be published in the awards section of the ASHRAE website. **The member must be in good standing. There is only 1 award presented each year. This award recognizes a member who performs the most outstanding work in increasing the membership of the Society during the course of the year.**

The Lincoln Bouillon Award was established in 1967 to commemorate ASHRAE's former Presidential Member, Lincoln Bouillon's effort in increasing Society membership. The award is given each year to a Society member who achieved the most outstanding record in membership activities during the previous year.

Performance for the award is measured by:

- Increasing Society and Chapter membership
- Reducing the number of delinquent members
- Increasing the number of members who upgrade their membership

5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please send a copy. Also, please include a statement regarding the selection process that can be published on the ASHRAE website. **Yes, the Membership Promotion Committee selects the winner from subjective and objective information provided by chapter statistics and the candidates nomination form. These include: Increasing Society and Chapter membership; Reducing the number of delinquent members; Increasing the number of members who upgrade their membership.**
6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation? **Recognition is in the form of a plaque, lapel pin, and transportation, if not otherwise reimbursed by the Society**



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Karine Leblanc

Chair, Honors and Awards Planning Subcommittee

December 29, 2025

Dear Randy Schrecengost,

The Honors & Awards Committee is required to review all Society awards once every five years. This is to ensure that each award continues to meet its intended need and that the candidate-selection process for each award is properly implemented. This applies not only to those awards that H&A administers (Hall of Fame, Fellow, etc.), but also to “pass-through” awards that originate from other Society groups.

To properly conduct this review H&A must obtain input from each group that sponsors a “pass-through” award. Specifically, H&A requests that the **Historical Committee** provide responses to the questions below regarding the **Lou Flagg Award**.

Please answer each of the following questions for the award referenced above.

1. Does the award have current appeal? **Yes**
2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other awards? **No**
3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice. **Yes. Currently presented at Summer meeting - Plenary**
4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement if available. **Yes. Refer to attached.**
5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please include a copy. **Yes. Refer to attached.**
6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation? **Yes. Cost for transportation to Summer meeting for Candidate.**

Your reply by **March 6, 2026** will be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your help.

Sincerely,

Karine Leblanc

ASHRAE Historical Committee responses in red above.
HC Chair 2025-2026

Respectfully

Randy Schrecengost

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LOU FLAGG HISTORICAL AWARD

The Lou Flagg Historical Award recognizes the vital role historians play in identifying and preserving the accomplishments of its members and the industry. It is presented at the Society annual meeting to the individual who prepares the most outstanding historical presentation nominated during the current society year. Nominations may be submitted yearly from each region. In addition, a member of the Society Historical Committee may also nominate other members of the Society who have prepared historical presentations that fall within the definition of historical significance as described below. The nominations must be submitted to Society headquarters by December 1 of the current Society year for consideration. Presentations submitted in electronic format are required.

The person who prepares the presentation that receives the most points from the nominations submitted and is considered of a quality acceptable for the award, as judged by the Historical committee, shall be the recommended to the Honors and Awards Committee to be the recipient of the award. The winner receives free transportation to the Annual Meeting.

Criteria for determining the award recipient are as follows:

Historical Significance	35 points
Quality of Presentation	25 points
Innovation	20 points
Photographs	20 points

Historical Significance: The presentation may be on a person, company, project, event, system or object invented or created that is of historic value or significantly contributed to the advancement of the HVAC&R industry. The relevance of the historical value or significance shall be clearly addressed.

Innovation: The depth to which the individual went, during the information gathering process, to locate and to identify the information should be emphasized. Projects should describe the facts pertaining to the preparation of the article.

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Required Information:

Region / Chapter: _____

Submission Title: _____

Chapter Historian / Author of Submission: _____

Phone number: _____

Email address: _____

Briefly describe the submission

Historical Committee Use Only

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Innovation (:

Photographs/Illustrations:

Quality of Presentation:

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Masterson, Rhiannon

From: Goslinga, Haley <Haley.Goslinga@trane.com>
Sent: Friday, January 30, 2026 1:55 PM
To: Masterson, Rhiannon; Mumford, Julia
Subject: RE: ASHRAE Award Review- RP Collins Award
Attachments: Collins Worksheet.xlsx; Collins Award Form.doc; william-j-collins-research-promotion-award.pdf

Hi Rhiannon,

Please see below in response to the questions in the previous attachment on the Collin's Award for Research Promotion-

1. Does the award have current appeal?

Yes, this award is the only way we have to recognize chapter RP Chairs at the society level .

2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other awards?

No.

3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice.

This should be presented at the Plenary to recognize the work of the grassroots RP Chair and raise awareness for Research Promotion. Members that have been involved in RP would agree with this.

4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement if available.

There is a rubric (see attached for example) as well as a narrative on the work of the chair submitted by the RVC, so recipients are evaluated both qualitatively and quantitatively. There is only one recipient each year.

5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please include a copy.

Yes, included the worksheet, narrative form, and history of award

6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation?

Travel is provided for the award recipient. @Mumford, Julia please current me if there is anything else.

Thanks,
Haley Goslinga

Sensitivity: Confidential

From: Masterson, Rhiannon <RMasterson@ashrae.org>
Sent: Monday, December 29, 2025 9:08 AM
To: Goslinga, Haley <Haley.Goslinga@trane.com>
Cc: Mumford, Julia <JMumford@ashrae.org>
Subject: ASHRAE Award Review

Hi Haley,

20XX-20XX COLLINS AWARD POINTS YTD

10 pt for reaching Goal, 1 pt for each 5% above Goal, 15 pts for H5, 25 pts for Challenge Goal

10 pts for FC, 10 pts DR, 10 pts WA, 25 pts Endowed Gift, 1 pt times (Results-GC) / # of mbrs

REG		CHAIR	Reaching Goal	Exceeding Goal	High Five	Challenge Goal	\$\$\$ Per Mbr	Donor Recog	Full Circle	Wkshp Attnd	Endow Gift	TOTAL POINTS
RVC:												
1			10	2	15	25	51	10	10			123
RVC:												
2			10	2	15	25	275		10	10	100	447
RVC:												
3			10				110	10	10	10		150
RVC:												
4			10				147		10		75	242
RVC:												
												0
RVC:												
6												
RVC:												
7			10	5	15	25	88		10			153
RVC:												
8												0
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9												
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10												0
RVC:												
11			10	39	15	25	255					344
RVC:												
12												0
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14												
RAL:												
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**REGIONAL VICE CHAIR NOMINATION
FOR
WILLIAM J. COLLINS RP AWARD**

DEADLINE: July 15

TO: Julia Mumford
EMAIL: JMumford@ashrae.org

FROM: _____ (RVC's name)
_____ (Region Number)

DATE: _____

I choose not to nominate anyone from my Region. _____

OR

I am nominating

I would like to add the following information for RP-ExCom's consideration:

WILLIAM J. COLLINS, JR. RESEARCH PROMOTION AWARD



William J. Collins, Jr. was born May 26, 1915 in Iron River, Michigan where he lived and graduated from high school in 1931. He received a BSME Degree from Michigan Tech University in 1935. After working a year for Swift and Company as an engineer, he was employed by C. A. Dunham in the Research and Development Department in Michigan City, Indiana.

In late 1937 he joined Loeffler-Givens Supply Company of Oklahoma City as a consulting engineer. In 1941, Mr. Collins was employed by the Austin Company of Ft. Worth, Texas. In 1942, he joined the U.S. Army Corp of Engineers, where he served until 1946 as a Lt. Colonel Reserve. Mr. Collins returned to Oklahoma City and established Collins Engineering Associates and served as CEO and President for thirty years.

Mr. Collins became a member of ASHVE in 1949, and served actively in the Society. He was the first editor of the Central Oklahoma Newsletter – The “Southwester”. He served as Chapter President in 1952, and introduced the ASHRAE diamond studded Past Presidents Pin, which continues today. By 1954, Society membership had grown to the point that it was difficult for the Society President to visit all chapters. This was the beginning of regional meeting. Mr. Collins chaired the first of these meetings. The regional meeting concept was added to the Society Bylaws in 1952.

In 1959, Mr. Collins was elected to a 3-year term on the Council of ASHAE. However, he was only able to serve part of one day, due to the merger of ASHAE and ASRE. That merger resulted in becoming ASHRAE. Mr. Collins was to serve 1-1/2 years on the ASHRAE Board of Directors as a RVC, was re-elected for a 3-year term, and was instrumental in the forming of Region VIII. From that point, he went on to become Society Vice President and then President.

In 1971, Mr. Collins and others from Region VIII were able to develop the Golden Gavel Award. From this program, he developed the PAOE system, which has developed into a major portion of chapter operations planning. In 1972, Mr. Collins was instrumental in developing the Research Promotion program (now Resource Promotion) that today is successful in financing a great portion of the research that ASHRAE conducts. The Society Board of Directors, in an effort to show gratitude to Mr. Collins, created the William J. Collins Research Promotion Award. This award recognizes the outstanding Chapter Resource Chair in Society annually.

Mr. Collins is a Presidential, Fellow and Life Member, as well as serving actively in Central Oklahoma Chapter. He has also served as a Trustee on the Foundation Committee, and as Chair of the Journal and Insights Committee. Mr. Collins has served as President of the Consulting Engineers Council of Oklahoma and is a Life Member. He is also a Life Member of the American Consulting Engineers Council and is a member of the Hall of Fame at Oklahoma State University.

Mr. Collins has received numerous ASHRAE awards including becoming a Fellow in 1966, the Distinguished Service Award in 1965, the Regional Award of Merit in 1978, the Andrew T. Boggs Service Award in 1993, the F. Paul Anderson Award in 1997, and The Distinguished 50-Year Member Award in 1999. The William J. Collins, Jr. Research Promotion Award was established in 1985 to honor the chapter research promotion chairman who excels in raising funds for ASHRAE research. In June 2003, the name of the award was changed to the William J. Collins Resource Promotion Award. The award “recognizes the Chapter Resource Promotion Chairman who excels in raising funds for ASHRAE. The award consists of a plaque with a medallion and a lapel pin.”

YEA Inspirational Leader Award

1. Does the award have current appeal?
 - a. Yes, we receive multiple competitive applicants per year. This award targets YEA members who excel beyond ASHRAE involvement and demonstrate impact to their industry and community.
2. Does the award's scope overlap or conflict with other awards?
 - a. No
3. Do you believe the majority of ASHRAE members would be of the opinion that this award should be presented at a Chapter Meeting, a Regional Meeting, a Society Committee function, the Plenary Session, or possibly some other Society function? Please state the reasons for your choice.
 - a. This is considered the highest award the YEA committee can give, with only 1 outstanding YEA member being awarded per year for all of society. For this reason, the Plenary Session is a suitable place that the majority of ASHRAE members would agree with.
4. What are the criteria for the award? Do they include a limit on the number of candidates that may receive the award annually? Please include a criteria statement if available. The minimum Criteria are below, and intentionally broad reaching. The real work is done by grading multiple paragraph responses. See attached for the 8 long form questions that are asked. Only 1 candidate can receive the award annually.
 - a. Applicants must qualify as a YEA member, which is an Affiliate, Associate or Member of ASHRAE who is 35 years of age or younger at the start of the current Society year.
 - b. Applicants must have been an ASHRAE member for at least 3 full years prior to the award deadline.
 - c. Applicants must not be a current member of Society level YEA Committee or Society level Honors and Awards Committee
5. Is there a written process for the selection of candidates? If so, please include a copy.
 - a. See attached for the grading rubric used to rank applicants and select a winner.
6. Are there financial commitments associated with the award such as travel costs, honoraria, or earmarked income from the ASHRAE Foundation?
 - a. No

CANDIDATE _____ DATE _____

YEA INSPIRATIONAL LEADER AWARD RUBRIC

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>30 Points</u>	<u>25 Points</u>	<u>20 Points</u>	<u>10 Points</u>
<u>Professional Contributions</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topics: leadership within company, significant projects, and awards . Three contributions per topic. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topics: leadership within company, significant projects, and awards . Three contributions per topic. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topics: leadership within company, significant projects, and awards . Two contributions per topic. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topics: leadership within company, significant projects, and awards . One contribution per topic. Information is lacking several details and examples.
<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>30 Points</u>	<u>25 Points</u>	<u>20 Points</u>	<u>10 Points</u>
<u>ASHRAE Contributions</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topics: leadership within ASHRAE (Chapter, Regional, Society), research projects, and committee involvement . Contributions in all three categories. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topics: leadership within ASHRAE (Chapter, Regional, Society), research projects, and committee involvement . Contributions in all three categories. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topics: leadership within ASHRAE (Chapter, Regional, Society), research projects, and committee involvement . Contributions in 2/3 categories. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topics: leadership within ASHRAE (Chapter, Regional, Society), research projects, and committee involvement . Contributions in all 1/3 categories. Information is lacking several details and examples.
<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>15 Points</u>	<u>10 Points</u>	<u>5 Points</u>	<u>2 Points</u>
<u>Civic Contributions Outside of the Industry</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topics: involvement, volunteerism, and impact in your community or other areas of your local or global community . Contributions in all three categories. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topics: involvement, volunteerism, and impact in your community or other areas of your local or global community . Contributions in all three categories. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topics: involvement, volunteerism, and impact in your community or other areas of your local or global community . Contributions in 2/3 categories. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topics: involvement, volunteerism, and impact in your community or other areas of your local or global community . Contributions in all 1/3 categories. Information is lacking several details and examples.
<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>5 Points</u>	<u>4 Points</u>	<u>3 Points</u>	<u>2 Points</u>
<u>Personal Impact from TWO (2) Civic Contributions</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topic: personal impact from civic contributions referenced above . TWO (2) contributions referenced. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topic: personal impact from civic contributions referenced above . TWO (2) contributions referenced. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topic: personal impact from civic contributions referenced above . ONE (1) contribution referenced. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topic: personal impact from civic contributions referenced above . ONE (1) contribution referenced. Information is lacking several details and examples.

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>10 Points</u>	<u>8 Points</u>	<u>5 Points</u>	<u>3 Points</u>
<u>Future Aspirations: Professional Career</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topic: Professional Career . ONE (1) career aspiration referenced. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topic: Professional Career . ONE (1) career aspiration referenced. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topic: Professional Career . ONE (1) career aspiration referenced. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topic: Professional Career . ONE (1) career aspiration referenced. Information is lacking several details and examples.
<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>10 Points</u>	<u>8 Points</u>	<u>5 Points</u>	<u>3 Points</u>
<u>Future Aspirations: ASHRAE Career</u>	Information clearly relates to the main topic: ASHRAE Career . ONE (1) ASHRAE future aspiration referenced. It includes several supporting details and/or examples.	Information clearly relates to the main topic: ASHRAE Career . ONE (1) ASHRAE future aspiration referenced. It provides a few supporting details and/or examples.	Information somewhat relates to the main topic: ASHRAE Career . ONE (1) ASHRAE future aspiration referenced. Some details and examples are provided.	Information has little or nothing to do with the main topic: ASHRAE Career . ONE (1) ASHRAE future aspiration referenced. Information is lacking several details and examples.

AWARD MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS – (ANSWERS IN RED WILL DISQUALIFY CANDIDATE)

DOES THE APPLICANT QUALIFY AS A YEA MEMBER (AFFILIATE, ASSOCIATE, OR MEMBER)? YES **NO**

ASHRAE MEMBER FOR AT LEAST 3 FULL YEARS PRIOR TO AWARD DEADLINE? YES **NO**

CURRENT MEMBER OF SOCIETY LEVEL YEA COMMITTEE OR HONORS AND AWARDS? **YES** NO

COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING: CURRENT ASHRAE BIO, HEADSHOT, NOMINATION FORM? YES **NO**

PROFESSIONAL Contribution Points (0/30 Points):	_____
ASHRAE Contribution Points (0/30 Points):	_____
CIVIC Contribution Points (0/15 Points):	_____
PERSONAL IMPACT Points (0/5 Points):	_____
PROFESSIONAL ASPIRATION Points (0/10 Points):	_____
ASHRAE ASPIRATION Points (0/10 Points):	_____
Total Score (100 Points Available):	_____

YEA Inspirational Leader Award Form Questions

1. Provide a brief overview of your professional career and industry involvement as a young professional in the HVAC&R industry. (Not scored, general information)
2. What motivated you to be a professional in the ASHRAE/HVAC&R Industry? (Not scored, general information)
3. Significant Contributions - list up to three (3) contributions per topic.
 - A. Professional Contributions (i.e. Leadership within your company, significant projects, and awards.) (Up to 30 points)
 - B. ASHRAE Contributions (i.e. Leadership within ASHRAE (including Chapter, Regional, and Society-level leadership), Research Projects, and Committee involvement.) (Up to 30 points)
 - C. Other Civic Contributions Outside of the Industry (i.e. Involvement, volunteerism, and impact in your community or other areas of your local or global community) (Up to 15 points)
4. From the above contributions what two (2) contributions impacted you the most personally and how? (Up to 5 points)
5. What are your future aspirations within the following categories, list one (1) per category:
 - D. Professional Career (Up to 10 points)
 - E. ASHRAE (Up to 10 points)

Request points for service on the DSA/ESA point tally form

The Distinguished Service Award (DSA) and Exceptional Service Award (ESA) recognize members of ASHRAE who have served the Society faithfully and with distinction on committees or otherwise given freely of their time and talent on behalf of the Society.

These awards are point-based and members earn points for eligible service and participation within ASHRAE. If you would like for the Honors & Awards Committee to consider adding new service or participation on the DSA/ESA point tally form, please complete the form below and return to Rhiannon Masterson at rmasterson@ashrae.org.

1. What is the name of the committee or group requesting the points?
2. Who is the staff liaison for this committee or group?
3. What specific service or participation are you requesting points for?
4. Why do you believe this service or participation should be eligible for points toward the DSA/ESA?
5. If you are requesting points for a service overseen by a committee or group:
 - a. Is the service considered a standard function of a member's role within the committee or group? Or does this service go above and beyond what is expected during their term?
 - b. What percentage of your committee or group participates in this service? Is it the entire committee or group or select few?
6. Is there any additional background or information you'd like to provide?

The ad hoc committee appointed by GTIC chair Steven Bushby and chaired by George Pantelidis with the following members: Steven Bushby, Drake Erbe, Ghina Annan, Vikrant Aute and Farhan Mehboob, moves that:

Motion 1: GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include the Global Technical Interaction Committee in the list of General Standing Committees and Councils found on page 3 of the Instructions for DSA/ESA Point Tally Form. [Document (https://www.ashrae.org/file%20library/membership/honors%20and%20awards/dsa-esa_instructions.pdf) in the HONORS & AWARD OFFERINGS website (<https://www.ashrae.org/membership/honors-and-awards/honors-awards-offerings#dsa>)].

Background information: GTIC has been a standing committee since society year 2023-2024 and it should be included in the list of committees in which participation counts for points.

Motion 2: GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards create a separate category in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form as Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES with maximum 10 points for this category

Background information: GTIC was formed to continue the efforts of the presidential appointed ad hoc Task Force for International Standards Interaction to promote ASHRAE efforts to become more Global. This presidential initiative and major effort for ASHRAE should have a dedicated category for these awards to reward the participation of ASHRAE members in related activities.

Motion 3: GTIC recommends that Honors and Awards include in the DSA/ESA Point Tally Form in Category G: GLOBAL ACTIVITIES options for participation in International Secretariats and US TAGs as follows:

- For chairing a TAG for 1 ½ points per year
- For being a voting member or Vice Chair in a TAG for 1 point per year
- For being a non-voting member in a TAG for ½ point per year
- For chairing an ISO/TC or subcommittee for which ASHRAE holds the secretariat for 1 ½ points per year
- For being a GTIC regional liaison for ½ points per year

Also to move section 7 - International Services from Category E to category G.

Background information: To support ASHRAE effort to become more global, international participation is very important and should be rewarded. The existing section 7 fits well with the proposed new category G.

Motion: The Honors & Awards Committee moves that the ASHRAE Rules of the Board be updated as follows, effective immediately:

2.411 Honors and Awards Committee

2.411.003.2 Guidelines for Awards

A. The following guidelines for ASHRAE awards are approved:

2. ASHRAE awards are grouped into the following categories, ~~each of which has its defined form of award:~~

- a. Personal Honors ~~(plaque and medallion)~~
- b. Personal Awards for General Society Activities ~~(plaque and lapel pin)~~
- c. Personal Awards for Specific Society Activities ~~(plaque and lapel pin)~~
- d. Paper Awards ~~(plaque and honorarium)~~
- e. Society Awards to Groups or Chapters ~~(plaque)~~

C. All voting for honors and awards of the Society shall be held during executive session by all bodies of ASHRAE ~~(not by mail ballot). The H&A Committee shall be instructed to place the necessary information for such voting before the BOD at least two months prior to the applicable meeting.~~

2.411.003.3 Awards Named for Individuals

A. The following awards are established to continually honor and recognize the individuals for whom the awards are named.

2. The Board approves the establishment of the Lincoln Bouillon ~~Membership~~ Award to recognize a member who performs the most outstanding work in increasing membership of the Society.

4. The Board approves the establishment of the Ralph G. Nevins Physiology and Human Environment Award to recognize the individual who has made the most significant accomplishment in the area of ~~man's~~ human response to the environment which includes thermal moisture, visual, acoustic, toxic, allergic, olfactory, vibrational and microbiological effects on ~~man's~~ human health, comfort, and well-being.

8. The Board approves the establishment of the Homer Addams Award to recognize ~~universities which have been involved in ASHRAE research and have~~ a current or former graduate student who has been engaged in an ASHRAE research project at a university that has graduate programs in the areas of heating, ventilation, and air conditioning.

9. The Board approves the establishment of the Crosby Field Award to recognize the highest rated paper presented before a technical session, symposium, or poster session at a Society meeting in a given year. ~~The paper having the highest score from the PRSP (peer review scoring program) will be selected for this award. In the event of a scoring tie, the H&A Committee will select the winner by majority vote.~~

10. The Board approves the establishment of the ~~Milton W. Garland Commemorative Comfort-Process-Gold Chain Award for Project Excellence to recognize a comfort, process or cold chain application which highlights innovation~~

~~and/or new technologies.~~ Milton W. Garland Commemorative Award for Refrigeration Excellence to recognize the designer and owner of a commercial or industrial refrigeration application that demonstrates innovation and advancement in the field.

18. The Board approves the establishment of The Eunice Foote Decarbonization Award to recognize a member who works to reduce carbon emissions ~~an individual for reducing carbon emission~~ in the built environment.

19. The Board approves the establishment of the Donald Bahnfleth Environmental Health Award to recognize excellence in volunteer service focused on environmental health issues.

2.411.003.4 Awards Not Named for Individuals

~~E. The Student Design Project Competition is established to recognize undergraduate students who have completed design projects based on the current year's requirements. topics prescribed in the current year's competition brochure. Design teams compete in one or more of the following categories: architectural systems design, HVAC systems design, or primary systems design.~~

~~L. The Pioneers of the Industry Award is established to honor deceased individuals who have made milestone contributions to the growth of air conditioning, heating, refrigeration and ventilation. Individuals inducted into the Pioneers of the Industry must have shown evidence of distinction, either technically or academically.~~

~~M. The Young Engineers in ASHRAE (YEA) Award of Individual Excellence is established to grant Personal Honors annually to recognize YEA member(s) for superior leadership efforts during preceding Society year in the promotion of the YEA Institute and representation of the 35-and-under demographic of ASHRAE.~~

~~R. The Distinguished 75-Year Member Award is established to recognize a member who has been a member for a minimum of 75 years, and is either a Past Society President, a Fellow, has received the Distinguished Service Award or has performed outstanding service to the Society.~~

~~T. The Achievements in Residential Buildings~~ Service Award is established to recognize excellence in volunteer service focused on Residential Building issues.

U. The Journal Paper Award is established to recognize the best article published in the ASHRAE Journal for the year.

V. The Best Paper Award is established to recognize the best papers presented at a Society meeting for the year.

W. The Developing Leader Award is established to recognize new members who have shown diverse involvement and commitment to ASHRAE within five years of graduating or becoming a member.

X. The recognition of Honorary Member is established to recognize individuals of preeminent professional distinction who are not members of the Society.

Y. The Service to ASHRAE Research Award is established to recognize excellence in volunteer service in the area of Society research.

Z. The recognition of Fellow is established to recognize ASHRAE members who have attained distinction and made substantial contributions in the fields of heating, refrigeration, air conditioning, ventilation or the allied arts and sciences, and have been a Full Member in good standing for a minimum of ten years.

AA. The Excellence in Chapter Communication Award is established to recognize a Chapter Communications Chair for their contributions to ASHRAE's growth and global outreach.

2.411.003.5 Award Programs

A. This committee shall select and recommend to Members Council individuals for the following awards:

1. Distinguished ~~Fifty-Year~~ 50-Year Member Award
- ~~4. Crosby Field Award~~
- ~~5. Willis H. Carrier Award~~
- ~~6. Transactions Paper Awards~~
- ~~9. Pioneers of the Industry~~
15. Eunice Foote Decarbonization Award
16. Distinguished 75-Year Member Award

B. This committee shall receive recommendations from the following committee and councils for awards and recommend them to Members Council for approval:

<u>Award</u>	Recommending Committee/Group
Lincoln Bouillon Membership Award	Membership Promotion
Milton W. Garland Commemorative Refrigeration Award for <u>Refrigeration</u> Project Excellence	Refrigeration
Dan Mills Technical Chapter Programs Award	Chapter Technology Transfer
Chapter Program Star Award	Chapter Technology Transfer
Louis Flagg Historical Award	Historical
Refrigeration "R" in ASHRAE Award <u>Donald A. Siller Refrigeration Award</u>	Chapter Technology Transfer
HVAC&R Research <u>Science and Technology for the Built Environment</u> Best Paper Award	Research Journal Subcommittee
Energy Genius Award	Building Energy Quotient <u>Chapter Technology Transfer</u>
The Achievements in Residential Buildings <u>Service Award</u>	Residential Building
<u>YEA Inspirational Leader Award</u>	<u>Young Engineers in ASHRAE (YEA)</u>
<u>Developing Leader Award</u>	<u>Young Engineers in ASHRAE (YEA)</u>
<u>Crosby Field Award</u>	<u>Conferences and Expositions</u>
<u>Willis H. Carrier Award</u>	<u>Conferences and Expositions</u>
<u>Best Paper Award</u>	<u>Conferences and Expositions</u>

2.411.003.7

A. It is the policy of the Society not to consider for approval any Society honors or awards submitted posthumously, other than the Hall of Fame ~~and Pioneers of the Industry~~.

2.411.003.8 Travel Expense

Transportation and ~~one~~ two night's lodging will be provided to one acceptor of each recipient of the ASHRAE Hall of Fame during the meeting where the award is presented.

2.411.003.10 Attendance at ~~Board~~ Members Council Meeting

The Honors and Award Committee chair shall be available ~~to~~ during the executive session of the Members Council ~~or the BOD~~ meeting during the honors and awards discussion in order to answer questions about particular candidates.



Honors & Awards Committee

Manual of Procedures

Reviewed: May 2026

May

1. May 1st deadline for the following awards: Distinguished Public Service, F. Paul Anderson, Fellow, Hall of Fame, and Honorary Member
2. Personal Awards Subcommittee: review May 1st award nominations (will be provided by staff)
3. Media Subcommittee: review H&A MOP and reference manual for any necessary updates

June

1. Chair and Vice Chair: host virtual H&A new member training
2. Personal Awards Subcommittee: meet to finalize recipient selections and submit report to staff by predetermined deadline
3. Vice Chair: prepare MBO and committee assignments for the following year
4. Annual Conference:
 - a. Pass Through Awards Subcommittee: review received recipient recommendations and present to full committee
 - b. Paper and Pass-Through Awards Subcommittee: review recipient recommendations from other committees and present to full committee

7. Voting

1. The following categories of committee members do not vote and do not count for a quorum unless specifically indicated: BOD ex-officio members on General Committees, Consultants, Staff Members.
 - A. ROB 520-102-003, (87-06-28-19)
2. More than 50 percent of the voting membership of the committee is required for a quorum.
 - A. H&A Committee BAR
3. BOD ex-officio members and consultants do not count for a quorum.
 - A. H&A Committee BAR
4. Voting may be conducted during meetings or by letter ballot. Votes taken at meetings shall be decided by a majority of those voting. Letter ballots require a majority of the committee's voting membership.
 - A. H&A Committee BAR
5. The committee shall record the number of votes, including abstentions, on all motions.
 - A. H&A Committee BAR

8. Operating Rules

1. All deliberations of the committee including all actions, discussions, voting, and correspondence shall be held in the strictest confidence by its members. All exchanges of correspondence concerning candidates for awards shall be marked "Confidential." All voting members of the committee shall sign a Confidential Information Agreement prior to entering into any discussions or voting upon any honors and awards. Minutes of this committee are confidential and shall be distributed as directed by the Chair.
2. A number of principles have evolved over the years for the guidance of the committee in its operation and in the selection of recipients of honors and awards for service or achievement.

3. Honors are highly treasured, and if they are to maintain their value and prestige, it is important that the qualifications of the individual be critically examined and evaluated before selection or recommendation for an honor. It is not appropriate to encourage negative comments concerning individuals under consideration for honors or awards. However, it is acceptable to encourage open communication concerning candidates for awards.
4. All award candidates should adhere to the ASHRAE Code of Ethics which recognizes, for example, that honesty, fairness, courtesy, competence and integrity characterize their conduct.
5. The following guidelines apply for new ASHRAE awards:
 - A. All requests or suggestions for new awards, revisions to current awards, or award deletions shall be forwarded to the Honors and Awards Committee for review and recommendation before being forwarded to the BOD for review and approval.
 - B. ASHRAE awards are grouped into the following categories, ~~each of which have their own form of award:~~
 1. Personal Honors ~~(plaque and medallion)~~
 2. Personal Awards for General Society Activities ~~(plaque and lapel pin)~~
 3. Personal Awards for Specific Society Activities ~~(plaque and lapel pin)~~
 4. Paper Awards ~~(plaque and honorarium)~~
 5. Society Awards to Groups or Chapters ~~(plaque)~~
 - C. Awards will normally carry the name of an ASHRAE activity (e.g., Distinguished Service Award, Fellow, Journal Paper Award). No business, product or other commercial name shall be used for an award. Only in very exceptional instances may consideration be given to naming the award after an individual.
 - D. Proposers of awards shall submit a detailed description including the name, suggested category, reason for establishment, and the selection and awarding process to the Honors and Awards Committee. Proposers shall also prepare suggested wording for the award.
 - E. Initial total funding for the award shall be described in the proposal, along with provisions for future funding and inflation considerations. Funding shall be self-perpetuating and supporting for the expected life of the award.
 - F. Proliferation of awards that would tend to detract from the worth of existing awards must be avoided. The award must first be considered as applying to an important field of ASHRAE related activity and the name given the award would then add prestige.
6. In general, an individual will receive only one honor in recognition of the same achievement. However, the recipient of an ASHRAE honor shall not be barred from receiving another ASHRAE honor, provided the candidate receives the honor for a different group of distinctive accomplishments or distinguished service. Nominees for pass through awards (those recommended by committees or groups other than H&A) may not be vetoed by the Honors and Awards Committee.
7. Members of the Honors and Awards Committee shall not be considered for any Society honor during the term for which they have been appointed. Exceptions will be made, however, for “pass through” awards (i.e., Lincoln Bouillon Award, William J. Collins Award, Homer Addams Award, etc.).

8. It is the policy of the Society not to consider for approval any Society honors or awards posthumously, other than the Hall of Fame.
 - A. If the nominee's death occurs after the nomination was submitted to the H&A Committee, it will be awarded posthumously if approved. The family of the deceased award recipient will be notified after the meeting at which the award would have been presented and the award will be sent to them.
 - B. If the nominee is known to be deceased before the nomination is submitted to the H&A Committee or if the H&A Committee learns that the nominee's death preceded the submission of the nomination prior to the Board and/or Members Council voting on the award, the nomination will be returned with an appropriate explanation of the reason in the notification to the nominee's sponsor.
 - C. If the H&A Committee learns of the nominee's death occurring before the nomination was submitted but after the Board and/or Members Council has voted approval, it will be awarded posthumously. The family of the deceased award recipient will be notified after the meeting at which the award would have been presented and the award will be sent to them.
9. The committee will report only affirmative actions taken on nominations or selections. Sponsors of nominations that are not recommended to Members Council will be so notified by the H&A Committee staff liaison.
10. Recipients of awards and members eligible for advancement are not to be notified, or announcement made of such action, until Members Council approval has been received; recognition and presentation are to be made at the following Society conference.
11. Transportation expenses will be reimbursed, if requested, to awardees not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend meetings to receive awards as referenced in Appendix A of the H&A Reference Manual.
12. Award nominees to be recommended to Members Council for the Hall of Fame must have been unanimously approved by the Honors and Awards Committee. For all other award nominees, only one negative vote will be allowed on any award recipient to be recommended to Members Council. Two or more negative votes by the H&A Committee will defeat a motion and that individual will not be recommended to Members Council.
13. A listing of all honors and awards, including their form, appears ~~in Appendix P of the H&A Reference Manual.~~ on the Honors & Awards webpage: www.ashrae.org/honors
14. All Society awards shall be reviewed every five (5) years considering, but not limited to: current prestige and appeal to the society, number of candidates on an annual basis, financial status of the award, and basis for original establishment of award. The awards to be reviewed each year shall be those in a specific group as listed in Appendix A of the H&A Reference Manual (Form of all Honors and Awards chart). The initial year of review of a group of awards shall include those in the "Personal Honors" group. Reviews in succeeding years shall include awards in "Personal Awards for General Society Activities," "Personal Awards for Specific Society Activities," "Paper Awards," and "Society Awards to Groups or Chapters." Review of award groups shall commence in 2000-01. Elimination of or revisions to awards are to be submitted to Members Council and the Board for approval.

2. To propose a change to a BAR: Present a two-column comparison showing the current BAR paragraph number and the wording and the proposed BAR wording. A proposed change, as a minimum, shall include the BAR name, the BAR paragraph number, the proposed change, and the reason for the change.

13. Selection Process for Personal Honors and Awards

1. ~~Immediately upon receiving biography, staff shall forward to Personal Awards Subcommittee Chair. Staff and Subcommittee Chair shall review biographies for completeness. If considered incomplete, staff shall forward back to nominee, requesting the necessary information.~~ Staff will receive and compile nominations leading up to each May 1 and December 1 nomination deadline. Qualified nominations will be sent to all Honors & Awards Committee voting members with the expectation that members of the Personal Awards Subcommittee will complete a thorough review and judging to be presented to the full committee.
2. Full and detailed data as to the accomplishments of the nominee for a personal award must be in the hands of the committee before a vote is taken.
3. The Staff Liaison shall supply the names of those eligible for awards based on point system or age ~~as revealed by computer output.~~
4. The committee should urge that nominations for personal honors and awards come from the membership through the Chapters and Directors serving as Regional Chair of the Society rather than from within the committee. Retiring officers, the Board of Directors, and committee chairs should be reviewed for consideration. Those making submittals should support their nominations with biographical data.
5. ~~Notice should be provided on an annual basis to Chapter Presidents and Regional Chair requesting that biographies be complete and advising that supporting letters from sponsors are welcome. Supporting letters should state how and why the qualifications of the nominee meet the requirements in the ASHRAE description of the award.~~
6. A unanimous vote is expected for all personal award recommendations. No recommendation shall pass that receives more than one (1) dissenting vote.
7. Candidates not selected to receive awards will not be automatically carried over, but may be re-nominated for consideration in future years by their sponsor. Proposed candidates may also be carried over for consideration as a result of H&A Committee action.

14. Schedule

1. Candidates for personal awards are considered by the Honors and Awards Committee six months before the award is presented.
2. ~~Deadline for proposed candidates to be submitted to the Honors and Awards Committee is 30 days preceding the Annual or Winter Conference.~~ Awards owned by the Honors and Awards Committee have a nomination deadline of either May 1 or December 1.
3. Nominations from the Honors and Awards Committee will be sent to Members Council. The nominees will be considered, and voted upon, by Members Council at the Annual or Winter Conference.
4. The calendar of the awards for which consideration is to be given at Annual and Winter Conference is listed in Appendix B of the H&A Reference Manual.

15. Pass-Through Award Recommendation Committees/Councils

This committee shall receive recommendations from the following committees and councils for awards, and recommend them to Members Council for approval:

Award	Recommending Committee / Council
ASHRAE Journal Paper Award	Publications
Dan Mills Chapter Programs Award	Chapter Technology Transfer
<u>Developing Leader Award</u>	<u>Young Engineers in ASHRAE</u>
Donald A. Siller Refrigeration Award	Chapter Technology Transfer
E.K. Campbell Award of Merit	Life Members Club
Energy Genius Award	Building EQ <u>Chapter Technology Transfer</u>
<u>Excellence in Chapter Communication Award</u>	<u>Communications</u>
Donald Bahnfleth Environmental Health Award	Environmental Health
George B. Hightower Technical Achievement Award	Technology Activities
Government Affairs Award	Government Affairs
Homer Addams Award	Research Administration
John F. James International Award	Members Council
Lincoln Bouillon Award	Membership Promotion
Lou Flagg Historical Award	Historical
Lower-GWP Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Innovation Award	UN Environment Liaison
Milton W. Garland Commemorative <u>Award for Refrigeration</u> Comfort Process Cold Chain <u>Award for Project Excellence</u>	Refrigeration
<u>Paper Awards: Crosby Field Award, Willis H. Carrier Award, Best Paper Award, Poster Presentation Award</u>	Conferences and Expositions
Ralph G. Nevins Physiology and Human Environment Award	TC 2.1
<u>Residential Buildings Service Award</u>	<u>Residential Buildings</u>
Science and Technology for the Built Environment Best Paper Award	Publications and Education Council
Service to ASHRAE Research Award	Research Administration
Standards Achievement Award	Standards

Student Activities Achievement Award	Student Activities
William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award	Research Promotion
YEA Award of Individual Excellence	Young Engineers in ASHRAE
YEA Inspirational Leader Award	Young Engineers in ASHRAE
Youth Outreach Award	Student Activities

16. Personal Honors

1. Honorary Member

- A. The purpose of this award is to recognize any person of preeminent professional distinction who is not a member of the Society.
- B. Any notable person of preeminent professional distinction may be elected an Honorary Member. Election of an Honorary Member shall be by Members Council.
 - 1. Society Bylaws 2.2
- C. Nomination for Honorary Member shall be made by the Honors and Awards Committee to Members Council. Election shall be by Members Council and two or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of any proposed candidate.
 - 1. H&A Committee BAR
- D. The grade of Honorary Member shall be conferred on no more than three persons in any calendar year.
 - 1. H&A Committee BAR

~~E. Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion.~~

2. Fellow Grade

- A. Requirements for eligibility for election to the grade of Fellow by Members Council:
 - 1. Good standing as a Full Member grade for at least ten (10) years.
 - 2. Participation or service to ASHRAE is not a metric to be evaluated.
 - 3. Attained distinction and made substantial contribution in HVAC&R and the built environment such as:
 - A. Education and/or research
 - B. Engineering design/consulting/forensics
 - C. Invention/original work
 - D. Engineering executive on projects of unusual or important scope.
 - E. Sharing knowledge and contribution through outreach activities such as mentoring, publications, oral presentations and involvement in industry activities.

- F. Other activities leading to advancement of the arts and sciences of HVAC&R and the built environment including that of contractors, manufacturers and their representatives
- 4. Distinction is interpreted to mean: seen by their peers in the industry as a person of excellence
- 5. Substantial contribution is interpreted to mean: one or more contributions to the industry which had a notable, unique, and positive impact in the advancement of the arts and/or sciences of HVAC&R, the built environment and a sustainable world.
- B. Nominations for Fellow shall be made by the Honors and Awards Committee to Members Council. Election shall be by Members Council by secret ballot, and four or more negative votes by Members Council shall defeat the proposal.
 - 1. H&A Committee BAR, (85-06-26-15)

~~C. Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion.~~

3. Louise and Bill Holladay Distinguished Fellow Award

- A. Members Council approves the establishment of the Louise and Bill Holladay Distinguished Fellow Award to recognize a Fellow of the Society who continues preeminence in engineering or research.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (79-01-31-05/87-07-21-21)
- B. The voting procedure for the Louise and Bill Holladay Distinguished Fellow Award is the same as for Fellow grade, i.e., four or more negative votes disqualify the candidate. Only one individual may be recommended per calendar year.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion stating under the individual's name "... who is distinguished as a Fellow grade member through continuing preeminence in engineering or research work."~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

4. F. Paul Anderson Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the F. Paul Anderson Award to honor a member for notable achievement, outstanding work or service in any field of the Society. This award is the highest ASHRAE award.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (61-02-01-25/88-05-21-18)
- B. To be awarded this honor, a member's accomplishments should exhibit exceptional distinction in the HVAC&R industry, ASHRAE, and in society. Broad-based activity of outstanding value to industry in the HVAC&R field such as consulting, contracting, engineering, design and outstanding work or service in any field of the Society are desirable qualifications.
- C. Nominations for the award shall be received by the Honors and Awards Committee for consideration, and the committee shall recommend to Members Council a candidate for approval. Approval of this award shall be by secret ballot of Members Council and two or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of any proposed candidate.

- D. ~~Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

5. ASHRAE Award for Distinguished Public Service

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the ASHRAE Award for Distinguished Public Service (formerly named ASHRAE-ALCO Medal for Distinguished Public Service) to recognize a member for outstanding public service.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (65-07-04-47)
- B. Nomination for the ASHRAE Award for Distinguished Public Service shall be made by the Honors and Awards Committee to Members Council. Election shall be by secret ballot of Members Council, and four or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of the proposed candidate.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

6. Andrew T. Boggs Service Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Andrew T. Boggs Service Award to recognize a past Exceptional Service Awardee for continued unselfish, dedicated and distinguished service to the Society.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (86-01-22-13)
- B. This award was established in honor of Andrew T. Boggs, ASHRAE Executive Vice President Emeritus, for his 30 years of outstanding service and leadership.
- C. The award shall be made to an ESA awardee of the Society in recognition of particularly notable service to ASHRAE continued beyond that which earned the ESA and may be given annually. In the case of Presidential Members considered for this award, the service to be considered would be that which continued beyond the normal duties of the President.
- D. The ESA point system shall not be used to determine recipients of this award.
- E. Nominations for the award shall be received by the Honors and Awards Committee for consideration, and the committee shall recommend to Members Council a candidate for approval. Approval of this award shall be by secret ballot of Members Council, and four or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of any proposed candidate.
- F. ~~Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

7. ASHRAE Hall of Fame

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the ASHRAE Hall of Fame to honor deceased members who have made milestone contributions to the growth of ASHRAE-related technology. Individuals inducted into the Hall of Fame must have been an ASHRAE member (any grade) or a member of a predecessor Society and must have shown evidence of distinction in the Society, either technically or academically.
 1. ROB 520-134-006, (90-06-14-26)
- B. The criteria for the Hall of Fame shall be:
 1. Must have been an ASHRAE member (any grade) or a member of a predecessor society.
 2. Must have made milestone contributions to the growth of ASHRAE-related technology and/or to the development of ASHRAE as a Society. A milestone contribution is an innovative technological advancement in the industry and/or service to ASHRAE resulting in improved stature and leadership in the Society. Evidence of distinction in these areas may be accomplished through invention, entrepreneurial activity, research, publishing, outstanding academics, Society or engineering leadership, or a combination thereof.
 3. Must be deceased.
 4. The personality and popularity of the candidate and evidence of Society awards earned shall be considered only in the context of evaluating the contribution which shaped the industry.
- C. Nominations for the ASHRAE Hall of Fame shall be received by the Honors and Awards Committee for consideration, and the committee shall unanimously recommend to Members Council for approval. Approval of this award shall be by secret ballot of Members Council and two or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of any proposed candidate.
- D. A maximum of two individuals may be inducted into the Hall of Fame annually. ~~Form of the award is a plaque.~~ In addition, a permanent listing with the recipient's accomplishments will be on display at Society headquarters, ~~on the ASHRAE Website, and in a permanent binder in the ASHRAE Headquarters Library.~~ Transportation expenses to the Society Conference and ~~one~~ two nights' lodging shall be reimbursed in accordance with the ASHRAE Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the family member or representative is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive the award.

9. E.K. Campbell Award of Merit

- A. This award is made by the Life Members Club to honor outstanding service and achievement in teaching.
- B. The Life Members Club will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Annual Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval.
- C. Presentation of the award is made at the Winter Conference.
- D. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and~~ The recipient receives a \$10,000 honorarium.

10. YEA Inspirational Leader Award

- A. This award is established to recognize a Young Engineer in ASHRAE (YEA) member who has gone above and beyond to make considerable contributions to the industry and community.
- B. The Young Engineers in ASHRAE (YEA) Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Annual Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval.
- C. Presentation of the award is made at the Plenary during the Winter Conference.
- ~~D. The form of the award is a plaque.~~

11. Eunice Foote Decarbonization Award

- A. This award is established to honor a member for their notable achievement, outstanding work, or service that is focused on the decarbonization of the built environment.
- B. This award is named in honor of Eunice Foote, who is the scientist attributed to being the first to conclude that certain gases warmed when exposed to sunlight and that rising carbon dioxide levels would change atmospheric temperature and impact climate change.
- C. Nominations for the Eunice Foote Decarbonization Award shall be made by the Honors and Awards Committee to Members Council. Election shall be by secret ballot of Members Council, and four or more negative votes shall cause the rejection of the proposed candidate.
- D. Presentation of the award is made at the Plenary during the Annual Conference.
- E. ~~The form of the award is a plaque and transportation to the Annual Conference.~~
Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

17. Personal Awards for General Society Activities

1. Distinguished Service Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Distinguished Service Award to recognize a member who has served ASHRAE faithfully as a member of committees or otherwise giving freely of their time and talent on behalf of the Society.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (62-06-24-30/69-01-30-20/71-01-28-15/77-02-13-03/81-07-02-17/85-06-26-15)
- B. Candidates can be recommended by members of the Society to the Honors and Awards Committee or selected by the committee from computer data.
- C. Candidates must score a minimum of 15 points in accordance with the point tally form.
- D. Candidates for the Distinguished Service Award shall be recommended to Members Council by the Honors and Awards Committee. Four or more negative votes by Members Council are required to defeat the election of a DSA candidate.
- ~~E. The form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~

2. Exceptional Service Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Exceptional Service Award to recognize members who have served the Society faithfully and with exemplary effort, in excess of that required for the Distinguished Service Award. The individual must have been Full Member or Associate Member ~~grade~~ for a minimum of ten years and a recipient of the Distinguished Service Award.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (96-06-27-34/97-01-30-36)
- B. Candidates must score a minimum of 45 points in accordance with the point tally form. If a candidate for the Distinguished Service Award also meets the requirements for the Exceptional Service Award, both honors will be awarded.
- C. The award is open to a maximum of 20 individuals per year.
- D. Nominations for the Exceptional Service Award shall be received by the Honors and Awards Committee for consideration, and the committee shall recommend them to Members Council for approval. Four or more negative votes by Members Council are required to defeat the election of an ESA candidate.

~~E. Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~

3. Distinguished 50-Year Member Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Distinguished 50-Year Member Award to recognize a member who has been a member for a minimum of 50 years, and is either a past Society President, a Fellow, has received the Distinguished Service Award or has performed outstanding service to the Society.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (70-06-27-15/82-01-27-08/88-05-21-19/95-06-28-22C/96-02-22-46)
- B. Candidates for the Distinguished 50-Year Member Award shall be recommended to Members Council by the Honors and Awards Committee. Four or more negative votes by Members Council shall defeat the nomination.

~~C. Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~

4. Distinguished 75-Year Member Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Distinguished 75-Year Member Award to recognize a member who has been a member for a minimum of 75 years, ~~and is either a past Society President, a Fellow, has received the Distinguished Service Award or has performed outstanding service to the Society.~~
- B. Candidates for the Distinguished 75-Year Member Award shall be recommended to Members Council by the Honors and Awards Committee. Four or more negative votes by Members Council shall defeat the nomination.

~~C. Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~

5. Developing Leader Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Developing Leader Award to recognize new members who have shown diverse involvement and commitment to ASHRAE within five years of graduating or becoming a member.
- B. The Young Engineers in ASHRAE (YEA) Committee will submit the names of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Annual Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval.
- C. Presentation of the award is made at the Plenary during the Winter Conference.
- D. The award plaque will be included in the YEA Committee budget.

18. Personal Awards for Specific Society Activities

1. Lincoln Bouillon Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Lincoln Bouillon ~~Membership~~ Award to recognize a member who performs the most outstanding work in increasing the membership of the Society.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (67-02-02-20)
- B. The Society shall commemorate Lincoln Bouillon perpetually in the following manner: By establishing a perpetual award which is presented annually to the individual who performs the most outstanding work in increasing the membership of the Society. This recipient shall be determined by a majority vote of the Society Membership Promotion Committee.
- C. The Membership Promotion Committee shall notify the Honors and Awards Committee of their selection by the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- D. ~~The form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

2. William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award to recognize the Chapter RP Chair who excels in all activities supporting the campaign, including raising funds for all Society programs and promoting research at the chapter level.
- B. An endowment fund will be established for the William J. Collins, Jr. RP Award, funded initially by Region VIII, for the purpose of providing transportation cost to the Annual Conference and a plaque ~~and medallion~~ for the recipients. The funds will be invested and controlled by the ASHRAE Foundation and monitored by the Research Promotion Committee. The initial funding by Region VIII will be at least \$10,000. No expense will be made that will reduce the endowment principal without approval of the Board of Directors.
- C. The award winner will be selected from a list of nominees submitted by the Research Promotion Regional Vice Chair.

- D. The Research Promotion Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- E. ~~Form of the award is a plaque with a medallion and a lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

3. Homer Addams Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Homer Addams Award to recognize a former or current graduate student who has been engaged in an ASHRAE research project at a university that has graduate programs in the areas of heating, ventilation, and air conditioning.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (59-06-21-14/64-06-28-44/71-08-25-14/83-06-29-AC/90-06-14-51/92-01-30-61)
- B. The purpose of the award is to:
 - 1. Encourage students involved in ASHRAE-sponsored research to strive for high standards of performance.
 - 2. Perpetuate the memory of Homer Addams, Charter Member of ASHVE.
- C. That ASHRAE replenish the original endowment of \$10,000 for the Homer Addams award from general funds and that staff be instructed not to invade the principal but to take annual awards from earnings. Should earnings not be adequate to fund the award, the difference shall be taken from the Society general fund.
- D. The endowment of the ASHRAE-ASHAE Homer Addams Award be increased from \$10,000 to \$25,000 and the award be changed from \$1500 to \$5000. The increased endowment would be covered by a transfer of ASHRAE Research Funds to the Endowment Fund.
- E. The procedure for processing the Homer Addams Award shall be as follows: The Research Administration Committee shall select a graduate student engaged in, or who has been engaged in, an ASHRAE research project, and make a recommendation to the H&A Committee for submittal to Members Council for final approval at the Winter Conference. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- F. ~~Form of the award is a plaque, lapel pin, and~~ The recipient will receive a \$5,000 honorarium. Funding for the award honorarium is provided by both the Honors and Awards Committee (\$1,500) and the Research Administration Committee (\$3,500).

4. John F. James International Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the John F. James International Award to recognize a member who has given freely of their time and talent to enhance the Society's international activities.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (83-06-30-32/86-06-25-16/96-06-26-31A)

- B. The purpose of this award is to recognize members of the Society, both international and domestic, who have done the most to enhance the Society's international presence or posture.
- C. The selection of the candidate shall be based upon any one or a combination of the following:
 - 1. Participation in international activities related to ASHRAE's interest
 - A. 03-01-27-15
 - 2. Exchange of information with international communities in the form of symposia, seminars, lectures, and ASHRAE ambassadorship
 - 3. Dissemination of ASHRAE technical information for the enhancement of international standards
 - 4. Adaptation or introduction of innovative international technology
 - 5. Recruitment of international members
- D. Members Council will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Winter Conference.
- E. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

5. Ralph G. Nevins Physiology and Human Environment Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Ralph G. Nevins Physiology and Human Environment Award to recognize the individual who has made the most significant accomplishment in the area of human response to the environment which includes thermal, moisture, visual, acoustical, toxic, allergic, olfactory, vibrational and microbiological effects on human health, comfort, and well-being.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (78-02-02-45)
- B. The award shall be made to a promising investigator, preferably under 40 years of age, whose accomplishments are represented by significant papers published by ASHRAE or by Journals of an ASHRAE International Associate over the five-year period previous to the award. The awardee should have an engineering degree or an advanced degree in allied sciences.
- C. TC 2.1, Physiology and Human Environment will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- D. ~~Form of the award is a plaque, lapel pin, and~~ The recipient will receive a \$500 honorarium.

6. Milton W. Garland Commemorative Award for Refrigeration Project Excellence

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Milton W. Garland Commemorative Award for Refrigeration Project Excellence to recognize the designer and owner of a commercial or industrial refrigeration application that demonstrates innovation and advancement in the field.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (90-02-15-23/02-06-26-13)
- B. Financing of at least \$2,000 has been provided by Region III and \$10,000 from the Frick Company for the purpose of establishing this award.
- C. The Refrigeration Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Annual Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Winter Conference.
- D. ~~The form of the award is a plaque with a medallion and a lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

7. Standards Achievement Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Standards Achievement Award to recognize excellence in volunteer service for developing ASHRAE standards/guidelines.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (95-01-29-09/95-02-02-41)
- B. The purpose of the award is to recognize excellence in volunteer service for developing ASHRAE standards/guidelines.
- C. The Standards Committee will submit the name of the recipient(s) to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name(s) of the candidate(s) to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- D. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient(s) is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

8. Student Activities Achievement Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Student Activities Achievement Award to recognize a chapter Student Activities Chair for service related to the goals and growth of student activities at all levels.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (98-06-24-17/99-01-27-49A)
- B. The Student Activities Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

9. Dan Mills Chapter Programs Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Dan Mills Chapter Programs Award to recognize a Chapter Technology Transfer Committee (CTTC) member (Chair or Vice-Chair) who excels in promoting technical, and energy activities of the CTT Committee.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (98-06-25-16/99-01-27-49A)
- B. The Chapter Technology Transfer Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

10. Lou Flagg Historical Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Lou Flagg Historical Award to recognize a Chapter Gold Ribbon Award winner for compiling information on outstanding historical projects or persons related to HVAC&R.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-005, (00-06-28-12/01-02-01-35/03-07-02-15)
- B. The Historical Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque and lapel pin.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

11. George B. Hightower Technical Achievement Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the George B. Hightower Technical Achievement Award to recognize excellence in service in the area of Technical Committee, Technical Group, or Technical Research Group leadership and contribution, which includes all TC, TG and TRG activities except research and standards.
- B. Technical Activities Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. The award plaque will be donated by the ASHRAE Atlanta Chapter.

12. Service to ASHRAE Research Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Service to ASHRAE Research Award to recognize excellence in excellence in volunteer service to the area of Society research. The award will serve to heighten general membership awareness of, and interest in, research activities at the Technical Committee/Technical Group level.

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Youth Outreach Award to recognize the outstanding effort of a member who actively engages a youth audience in their country, region, or local community through science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) activities.
- B. The Student Activities Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. The award plaque will be included in the Student Activities Committee budget. Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

18. Government Affairs Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Government Affairs Award to recognize an individual who demonstrates outstanding efforts at the state, provincial, and local government level on technical issues important to ASHRAE.
- B. The Government Affairs Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. ~~Form of the award is a plaque.~~ Transportation expenses will be reimbursed in accordance with ASHRAE's Travel Reimbursement Policy, if the award recipient is not otherwise reimbursed by the Society, to attend the meeting to receive their award.

19. Lower-GWP Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Innovation Award

- A. The Lower-GWP Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Innovation Award was established to recognize individuals who have developed or practiced innovative technological concepts applied in developing countries to minimize global warming potential (GWP) through refrigeration and air-conditioning management.
- B. Presentation of the award will be at a UN event with UN Environment and/or the Annual Conference. UN Environment shall be responsible for the form of the award and its preparation. Recognition of First Place and Honorable Mention winners will be made at the ASHRAE Conference immediately following the chosen UN event through a vehicle determined by the ASHRAE – UN Environment Liaison Committee.
- C. ~~Form of the award will be a certificate and travel reimbursement.~~ UN Environment is responsible for the cost of the award.

20. Energy Genius Award

- A. The Energy Genius Award assesses building energy performance through the use of the ASHRAE Building EQ Portal program and Building EQ assessment process.
- B. The ~~Building EQ~~ Chapter Technology Transfer Committee will submit the name of the recipient to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Journal Paper Award to recognize the best article published in the ASHRAE Journal for the year.
- B. The Publications Committee will submit the name(s) of the recipient(s) to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name(s) of the candidate(s) to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. Recipients will split a \$500 honorarium, to be divided equally among co-authors.

6. Poster Presentation Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Poster Presentation Award to recognize the best poster from the Annual and Winter Conferences.
 - 1. ROB 520-134-006, (97-01-30-44/99-01-27-49A)
- B. The Conferences and Expositions Committee will submit the best poster presentations from each of the previous Annual and Winter Conferences (based on the PRSP) to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name(s) of the candidate(s) to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented at the Annual Conference.
- C. A \$250 honorarium will be awarded to the individual who presenter each winning poster.

7. Science and Technology for the Built Environment Best Paper Award

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Science and Technology for the Built Environment Best Paper Award to recognize the best referred paper published in the volume year of Science and Technology for the Built Environment, the ASHRAE research journal, preceding the ASHRAE Winter Conference.
- B. The Research Journal Subcommittee will submit the name(s) of the recipient(s) to the Honors and Awards Committee at the Winter Conference. The Honors and Awards Committee shall forward the name of the candidate to Members Council for final approval by majority vote. The award will be presented during the Annual Conference.
- C. The award plaque will be included in the Publishing and Education Council budget.

20. Society Awards to Groups or Chapters

1. Student Design Project Competition

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Student Design Project Competition to recognize undergraduate students who have completed design projects based on the topics prescribed in the current year's competition information. Design teams compete in one or more of the available ~~following~~ categories: ~~HVAC system selection, HVAC system design, or Integrated Sustainable Building Design.~~
- B. First place teams members receive a plaque to be presented during the Student Program at the Winter Conference. ~~In addition, each first place team receives \$2,000 plus a team representative receives transportation to the ASHRAE Winter Conference, two nights' lodging, and up to \$100 for expenses. A representative from each second place, third place and rising star team receives transportation to the ASHRAE Winter Conference.~~

2. Technology Awards / Award of Engineering Excellence

- A. The Board approves the establishment of the Technology Awards and Award of Engineering Excellence to recognize, on an international scale, successful application of innovative design which incorporate ASHRAE standards for effective energy management, indoor air Quality, and mechanical design management technology.
- B. ~~Form of the award is a plaque.~~ First place team members receive a plaque to be presented ~~The award will be presented~~ at the Winter Conference.

21. Honors and Awards Referencing and Appendices

- 1. All Honors and Awards Appendices shall reside in a separate document.
- 2. Honors and Awards Appendices shall become a reference document to the Honors and Awards Manual of Procedures document as if therein written.
- 3. Honors and Awards Appendices shall be modified as the Honors and Awards Committee deems necessary.

MBO #	Description	Measurable Metric	Completion % /Date	MBO Comments
1	Work with Chapters and Regions to ensure that there is at least one nominee for each personal award. Tasks for this goal would include reviewing and improving training and presentations at Chapter Regional Conferences (CRC).	Receipt of an application for each personal award	Complete Annual Meeting 2026	In progress. We received at least one nomination for all awards, except the Pioneers of the Industry Award.
2	Conduct a review of what is given to the recipients for each award and develop new appropriate awards as necessary to properly recognize the achievement.	Approval of the design of any recommended new awards and presentation of that award at the Plenary sessions	In progress Annual Meeting 2026	In progress. Researching sustainable and dual purpose plaque options.
3	Review current materials and revise as necessary to provide appropriate information about the requirements to become a Fellow. This information should be concise, easy to understand, and readily available. A review of this information should be a requirement for any person that nominates someone to be a Fellow.	Information about Fellow requirements is distributed, particularly to Chapters and Regions, and procedures are in place to ensure that Nominators understand these requirements.	Complete Annual Meeting 2026	Complete. Reviewed current H&A Fellow PPT and COF PPT - all information aligns and is up-to-date. H&A PPT link added to CRC email. Annual email to all Full Members who hit ten years of membership to let them know about Fellow.
4	Investigate the use of a web based software application to streamline the award application process.	Staff will investigate options and costs and present at the Winter Meeting.	In progress Annual Meeting 2026	Staff is reviewing and testing award management software options.

**26-27 Honors & Awards Committee
Subcommittee Assignments**

Personal Awards

Andy Reilman, Chair
Ronald Gagnon
Sheila Hayter
Daniel Redmond
Daniel Pettway

Paper and Pass-Through Awards

Janice Peterson, Chair
Daniel Pettway

Media

Bruno Martinez, Chair
Andy Reilman
Thursten Simonsen

Planning

Scott Martin, Chair
Janice Peterson
Richie Mittal

New Member Mentors

New Member	Mentor
Daniel Pettway	Scott Martin
Thursten Simonsen	Andy Reilman

MBO #	Description	Measurable Metric	Completion % /Date	MBO Comments
1	Assign an H&A Chair for every Chapter	100% of Chapters have an assigned H&A Chair with name and email collected	Winter Meeting 2027	Contact each Chapter President and maintain a master contact list.
2	Assign an H&A representative for every Region	100% of Regions have an assigned H&A representative with contact information	Winter Meeting 2027	Coordinate with each DRC to identify their representative.
3	Establish quarterly communication with all H&A leaders	Four newsletters or email updates sent annually	Quarterly	Share deadlines, best practices, reminders, success stories and resources.
4	Develop and deliver annual H&A Chair Training	One Train-the-Trainer workshop completed annually with presentation materials available online	Annual Meeting 2027	Standardize training for Chapter and Regional H&A Chairs.
5	Promote awards through recipient testimonials	Record testimonial videos after each Plenary and publish one each month	Monthly	Capture videos at Annual and Winter Conferences.
6	Increase visibility of award recipients	Group photo taken and published after each Plenary	Annual & Winter Conference	Use for social media, website and Annual Report.
7	Transition all nominations to the web-based system	100% of award nominations submitted electronically	Annual Meeting 2027	Eliminate manual submissions.
8	Improve the H&A website resources	Clickable award process flowchart and updated award resources available online	Winter Meeting 2027	Simplify navigation and improve user experience.
9	Develop an Award Chair Toolkit	Complete reference guide listing every award, eligibility, nominator, approver, deadlines and status	Winter Meeting 2027	Excel or online dashboard for easier award management.
10	Recognize H&A Committee volunteers	Committee members listed in Plenary program annually	Annual Meeting	Increase volunteer recognition.
11	Enhance Fellow recognition	Provide citation or accomplishment summary for every new Fellow during Plenary and to COF	Annual Meeting	Similar to Distinguished Lecturer introductions.
12	Recognize Chapters during award presentations	Display Chapter affiliation for each award recipient during the Plenary	Annual Meeting	Highlights local chapter involvement.
13	Review and streamline the awards portfolio	Recommendations submitted to reduce duplication and improve award hierarchy	Winter Meeting 2028	Maintain prestige while simplifying the program.
14	Present awards promotional video during Plenary	Awards video shown at every Annual and Winter Conference	Ongoing	Inspire future nominees.
15	Review RAC awards	Complete review with RAC leadership and determine opportunities to retire or combine awards	Winter Meeting 2028	Reduce overlap.
16	Increase transparency of the awards process	Publish a simple guide explaining nomination, review and selection process	Winter Meeting 2027	Improve understanding and trust.
17	Establish an Annual Presidential Award	Develop criteria and approval process for a discretionary President's Award	Annual Meeting 2028	New award aligned with each President's annual theme.
18	Implement medals or enhanced recognition items	Select and approve new medal or recognition design	Annual Meeting 2028	Modernize recipient recognition.