



ASHRAE Pioneers of the Industry Nomination Form

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Nominations are due to ASHRAE Headquarters by May 1.

All nominations must be submitted as a PDF to HonorsandAwards@ashrae.org.

Criteria for ASHRAE Pioneers of the Industry

- Was not an ASHRAE member (any grade) or a member of a predecessor society.
- Must have made milestone contributions to the growth of heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and/or refrigeration. A milestone contribution is an innovative technological advancement in the industry. Evidence of distinction may be accomplished through invention, entrepreneurial activity, research, publishing, outstanding academic, or engineering leadership, or a combination thereof.
- Must be deceased.
- The personality and popularity of the candidate and evidence of awards shall be considered only in the context of evaluating the contribution which shaped the industry.

Instructions for Nomination

- Complete nomination forms must be submitted to HonorsandAwards@ashrae.org by May 1.
- Please be sure to attach the following with your nomination:
 - A biography
 - Optional – any supporting documentation
- If your email attachments exceed 10MB, please email HonorsandAwards@ashrae.org and request a link to the ASHRAE FTP site so you can securely upload the documents without exceeding ASHRAE's email file size limit.

Nomination

Name of Nominee: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Date of Death: _____

Most Recent Occupation or Profession: _____

Significant Positions Held:

List outstanding contributions of the nominee which have advanced the heating, ventilation, air conditioning, and refrigeration industry. Include other pertinent information that clearly indicates the nominee's outstanding contributions in order of significance. Attach additional documentation if necessary.

Honors and/or Recognitions:

Publications:

Professional Memberships (include offices held and committee involvement):

Nomination submitted by:

Name: _____

Email: _____