

# Awards & Recognition

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# Awards 2009

- Direct Regional Responsibility
  - Fellows Elevation
  - MGA Awards
  - IEEE-USA Awards
  
- Tangential Responsibilities
  - EAB
  - Society
  - All others

# 2009 Fellow Class Statistics

■ <b>Affiliation</b>	<b>Rec'd</b>	<b>Elevated</b>	<b>%</b>
■ Industry	182	78	42.9
■ Education	512	204	39.8
■ Government	48	15	31.3
■ Other	15	5	33.3
■ <b>Total</b>	<b>757</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>39.9</b>

# 2009 Fellow Class Statistics

Same as 2008

	Reg/Pop(k)	Rec'd	Elevated	%	
■	1	37	105	45	43
■	2	32	52	18	35
■	3	31	46	18	39
■	4	23	51	25	49
■	5	29	59	19	32
■	6	58	122	53	43
■	7	16	34	17	50
■	8	67	140	63	45
■	9	15	9	0	0
■	10	73	139	44	43

# MGA Awards

## ■ MGA Outstanding Large/Small Section Awards

### **Purpose**

The MGA Outstanding Large Section Award will be awarded to one Large Section to recognize the excellent work of the Section in the past year. The total membership of a Large Section (including Students) shall be 501 or greater as of 31 December of the prior year.

The MGA Outstanding Small Section Award will be awarded to one Small Section to recognize the excellent work of the Section in the past year. The total membership of a Small Section (including Students) shall be 500 or less as of 31 December of the prior year.

### **Schedule**

Nomination Deadline

15 May

Recipient endorsed by MGA ARC

15 June

Recipient notified

Following June MGA Board Meeting

# MGA Awards

## ■ Achievement Award

### – PURPOSE

To recognize individuals involved with MGA and/or the Regional network for singular achievement in the development and completion of a project(s) or activity(ies) which are directed to the fulfillment of one or more of the goals and objectives of MGA. This award is designed to recognize those substantive projects or achievements of a relatively short nature (one to three years) but which have left an undeniable imprint on the fabric of regional operations.

– Nomination Deadline 15 October

# MGA Awards

## ■ Innovation Award

### – PURPOSE

- To recognize the accomplishment judged to be the most innovative and effective in fulfilling one or more of the goals and objectives of MGA.
- The accomplishments of the candidate should be of "significant performance," and have made a distinguishing contribution to IEEE.
- Deadline **15 October**

# MGA Awards

## ■ Leadership Award

### – PURPOSE

To recognize those individuals who have exhibited exemplary and substantive leadership of an extraordinary nature in implementing activities which support MGA goals and objectives at the local, regional, national, and/or international level.

– Nomination Deadline      15 October



# MGA Awards

## ▣ **Larry K. Wilson Transnational Award**

### – **PURPOSE**

To recognize the accomplishment judged to be the most significant and effective in fulfilling one or more of the transnational goals and objectives of MGA as related to Transnational activities. This award is made in memory of Dr. Larry K. Wilson.

– **Nomination Deadline 15 October**

# MGA Awards

## ■ William W. Middleton Distinguished Service Award

### – PURPOSE

- To honor an individual, who over a long and sustained period of leadership contributed in an exemplary manner to the Member and Geographic Activities Board (MGA Board), its activities and achievements and the attainment of its goals and objectives.

# MGA Awards

## ■ William W. Middleton Distinguished Service Award

- The award is named for [William W. Middleton](#), who for over thirty years has been associated with and contributed to the growth and maturation of RAB through service on it and its various Committees and Task Forces and was chosen to be the first recipient.
- **SCHEDULE** Call for Nominations February MGA Board Meeting **Nomination Deadline 31 May**
- The late Bill Middleton Served on this Region 2 Committee for over 10 years

# MGA Awards

## ■ **GOLD ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**

- This award is designed to recognize those substantive projects or achievement of a relatively short nature (one to three years) but which have left an undeniable imprint on the fabric of GOLD operations.
- The award will be based on a selection that recognizes individuals involved with GOLD activities who are recognized for singular achievement in the development and completion of a project(s) or activity(ies) which are directed to the fulfillment of one or more of the GOLD goals and/or objectives.
- The individuals nominated must be GOLD members at the time of nomination.
- **Nomination Deadline 15 October**

# MGA Awards

- **Friend of IEEE Member and Geographic Activities Award**
- The Friend of IEEE Member and Geographic Activities Award was created to specifically recognize support provided to the IEEE and its members in support of its goals by firms, divisions of firms or individuals.
- There are two types of Friend of IEEE Member and Geographic Activities Awards: [Individual](#) and [Organizational](#). In addition, each award can be earned at two levels: [Supporting](#) and [Sustaining Friend](#).
- **AWARD DEADLINE**  
**Nominations may be submitted at any time during the year.** MGA ARC will vote on each nomination received during each of its periodic meetings.

# MGA Awards

## ■ How to submit a nomination?

- Find Award on line IEEE > Volunteers > Geographic Activities (MGA) > Awards and Recognition
- Use on-line form or download and submit to:
- **NOMINATIONS SUBMITTED TO**
- IEEE Member and Geographic Activities  
ATTN: MGA Awards  
445 Hoes Lane  
PO Box 1331  
Piscataway, NJ 08854 USA Telephone:  
Fax:  
e-mail: +1 732 562 5519  
+1 732 463 3657  
[mga-awards@ieee.org](mailto:mga-awards@ieee.org)

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## ■ Three Categories

- Professionalism
- Technical Achievement
- Literary
- New Award - Entrepreneur Award

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Professionalism

- [Robert S. Walleigh Distinguished Contributions to Engineering Professionalism Award](#) — To honor members of the engineering profession for long-term dedicated effort and outstanding accomplishments in advancing the aims of IEEE professional activities in the United States.
- [Award for Distinguished Public Service](#) — To honor individuals not currently in the practice of engineering for contributions to furthering the professional goals of IEEE in the United States. (These goals may be furthered by such means as promulgating laws or regulations benefiting the profession; influencing industrial environments to foster professionalism; creating curricula or publications designed to enhance professionalism; and other similar activities.)



# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Professionalism

- [Citation of Honor](#) — To honor members who have made exemplary contributions toward achieving the aims of professional activities in the United States.
- [Precollege Education Committee Teacher-Engineer Partnership Award](#) — To recognize collaborative activities between K-12 teachers and technical professionals who are IEEE members.

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Professionalism

- [Regional/Divisional Professional Leadership Award](#) — To recognize members for their outstanding leadership efforts in advancing the professional aims of IEEE within their Regional or Divisional entities.
- [Professional Achievement Award](#) — To recognize significant specific contributions, achievements and individual and organizational efforts in the development and implementation of professional activities in the United States.

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Technical Achievement

- [Harry Diamond Memorial Award](#) — To honor individuals for distinguished technical contributions in the field of electrotechnology while in U.S. Government Service.
- [Electrotechnology Transfer Award](#) — To honor individuals whose contributions in key government or civilian roles led efforts to effectively transfer/apply federal or state sponsored developments in advanced electrical, electronic and computer technologies to successful commercial sector opportunities

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Literary

- [Award for Distinguished Literary Contributions Furthering Public Understanding of the Profession](#) — To recognize outstanding journalistic or other efforts that contribute to the enhancement and expansion of the public understanding of the engineering profession in the United States.
- [Award for Distinguished Literary Contributions Furthering Engineering Professionalism](#) — To recognize those individuals who have made outstanding contributions through their literary efforts to the advancement of the U.S. professional objectives of IEEE.

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

## Entrepreneur Achievement Award –NEW!

- Exemplifies an IEEE member who embodies the spirit of an entrepreneur. The IEEE member has demonstrated this spirit -- “creative mindset” (Faltin, 2007) -- through perseverance by using their own visionary efforts to create a successful business that has commercialized technology products or services. The IEEE member and his or her successful business have advanced society through commerce and community improvement.

# IEEE-USA AWARDS

- Submit All IEEE-USA Awards Nominations:
  - IEEE-USA Site , Then to
  - Volunteers, Then to
  - Awards and Recognition
  - Pdf now – may be on-line submission
  
  - Deadline : July 31, 2009