
NOMINATION FOR THE IES MEDAL

The IES Medal shall be awarded for the purpose of giving recognition to meritorious technical achievement that has conspicuously furthered the profession, art or knowledge of illuminating engineering. Accomplishments shall be in the field of engineering, design, applied illumination, optics, ophthalmology, optometry, lighting research or education.

Qualifications

Candidates need not be members of IES.

Procedures

1. All nominations must be submitted completely filled out on the IES Medal Nomination Form. All pertinent material must be submitted within the award nomination form; addenda or attachments will not be distributed to the Award committee.
2. Four letters from members supporting the nomination must be submitted. These letters should include details of the candidate's accomplishments relative to the criteria of the award. The Medal Award Committee evaluates a candidate on the information submitted.
3. The deadline for receipt of all material at the IES office is January 31. Nominations received after that date will be held for consideration the following year. Nominators will be advised on or about June 1 regarding the results of their nomination.

Date _____
Month/Day/Year

Name of Nominee _____
(Print Last Name, First Name)

Present occupation and/ or business title _____

Employer _____

Business Address _____

Home Address _____

Is nominee a member of IES? _____

If "yes" has nominee attained the Fellow grade? _____ Year _____

Number of supporting letters submitted? _____

SPECIAL NOTE: Proposers, and a minimum of four others supporting the nomination, should keep in mind that the IES Medal is awarded for outstanding technical achievement that has "conspicuously furthered the profession, art or knowledge of illuminating engineering." Meritorious service to the Society will neither add nor detract from the Medal nomination.

Nominees are not required to have made meritorious contributions in all of the fields mentioned in this form. For example, outstanding achievement, such as the development and improvement of the fluorescent lamp, was the basis of a previous, successful nomination.

A good way to identify the specific, major engineering or scientific achievements of your candidate is to draft a justification for award of the Medal as required in Section D of this form. In general, the justification should be prepared before starting sections A, B and C.

If the nominee is a member of the IES, it would be expected but not a prerequisite that he/she would previously have attained the IES Fellow grade or a similar status in a related field. Nominees, as stated above, need not be members of the IES.

Use additional space within the form if needed.

A. List the outstanding engineering or scientific achievements of the nominee which should be considered by the Medal Award Committee.

1. Patents (Please briefly describe subject, identify co-investors, and dates if known):

2. Innovative application technology originated by nominee:

3. IES Illumination Design Award and other examples of peer recognition of outstanding contributions to application technology:

- 4. Engineering or scientific papers and articles. Include names of journals and issue dates:

- 5. Wide-scale educational contributions in preparing and teaching lighting courses, seminars, workshops or lectures to other organizations that enhance the status of illuminating engineering:

- 6. Author of books, editor of reference manuals, etc.:

B. Contributions to the technical activities of the IES

- 1. Chairperson of Society level IES committees. See Society committees listed on the IES website at www.ies.org (The nominee does not have to currently be a member of such a committee)

- 2. Other major contributions as a member of an IES committee, such as editing or providing extensive sections of Recommended Practices, Committee Reports, Testing Procedures, Handbooks, etc.

C. Allied Organizations

- 1. Coordination of joint projects with other engineering and scientific societies:

- 2. Technical contributions to other organizations:
