Nominations for the 2024 Annual Conference awards are now being accepted. Anyone can make a nomination, however nominations from Division Executive Committees are especially solicited since ANS division leaders are often in an ideal position to evaluate the contributions of potential nominees. Self-nomination is not permitted.

We urge you to submit a nomination if you know a deserving professional who is eligible and qualified in one of the fields served by the Society. Your nomination of highly qualified individuals is the key step in recognizing their contributions and ensuring that the ANS Honors and Awards program is aware of their achievements.

We look forward to receiving your nominations for highly qualified colleagues. Please visit the ANS website to learn more about each award, download nomination forms, and review past recipients. If you have any questions about a specific award, please contact honors@ans.org.

Sincerely,

H.M. Hashemian, PhD
Chair, Honors and Awards Committee
For over 50 years, the ANS Honors and Awards Program has honored outstanding achievements and meritorious service in the various fields served by our Society. Through our program, ANS is proud to recognize the exceptional accomplishments of nuclear science and technology professionals.

Awards range from elevation of a member to Fellow grade to named awards honoring highly respected individuals in their field. Information on each of the awards offered, including past recipients and nomination forms, may be obtained at ans.org.

We encourage all members to review the descriptions and nomination requirements for the awards and consider nominating a qualified colleague. If you have any questions about a specific award, please contact Hash Hashemian, chair of the Honors and Awards Committee, at honors@ans.org.

Selection Process
Completeness of information is essential for consideration. Recipients will be selected by the Honors and Awards Committee comprised of representatives from the Society’s divisions. Because of the large number of nominations typically submitted, late nominations are not accepted. Please keep in mind that many of our awards are open to non-ANS members, and nominating colleagues who are not members is a unique way to cultivate new ANS relationships. Self-nominations are not accepted.

Presentation of Awards
The selected recipients, with the exception of the Nuclear Historic Landmark, will be honored at the Opening Plenary of the ANS Annual Conference on Monday, June 10, 2024. Honorees will be notified of their selection by May 2024.

Submit a Nomination for the ANS Annual Conference Awards
Deadline: March 1, 2024
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The following awards are presented at the ANS Annual Conference

Fellow of ANS
Distinguished Public Service Award
Milton Levenson Distinguished Service Award
Untermyer & Cisler Reactor Technology Medal (w/AESJ)
Landis Young Member Engineering Achievement Award
Leadership Award
Mishima Award
Special Award
Standards Service Award
Henry DeWolf Smyth Nuclear Statesman Award (w/NEI)
Walter H. Zinn Medal
ANS Annual Conference Award Descriptions

Fellow of ANS
Highest grade of membership. Fellow status can only be attained by professional accomplishments via nomination by peers and election by the Honors and Awards Committee and Board of Directors.

Distinguished Public Service Award
Presented to a public servant who has demonstrated leadership in energy policy formulation and public enlightenment and has made significant contributions for the betterment of mankind in the national and international sphere of public service.

Milton Levenson Distinguished Service Award
Presented to ANS members who have contributed in an outstanding manner to the development and understanding of the goals and policies of the Society, or who have made outstanding non-technical contributions to the fields of nuclear science and engineering. Must be an ANS Member.

Untermyer & Cisler Reactor Technology Medal (w/AESJ)
Presented to individuals who have made outstanding scientific, engineering, or management contributions to the advancement of nuclear reactor technology.

Landis Young Member Engineering Achievement Award
Presented to individuals (under 40 years old) to recognize outstanding achievement in which engineering knowledge has been effectively applied to yield an engineering concept, design, safety improvement, method of analysis, or product utilized in nuclear power research and development or commercial application.

Leadership Award
Presented to ANS members to recognize substantial contributions to the Society over a prolonged period of time.

Mishima Award
Presented to an individual in recognition of outstanding contributions in research and development work on nuclear fuel and materials.

Special Award
Presented to individuals for outstanding accomplishment in a different topical area each year. The area chosen for special recognition in 2024 is: On the 70th anniversary of the Atoms for Peace Speech and ANS inception: Achievements and contributions to advancing peaceful applications of nuclear technology and addressing future challenges.

Standards Service Award
Presented to individuals in recognition of outstanding achievement by individuals in the generation and use of ANS standards in the field of nuclear science and engineering.

Henry DeWolf Smyth Nuclear Statesman Award (w/NEI)
Presented to an individual in recognition of statesmanlike contributions in the many aspects of nuclear energy activities.

Walter H. Zinn Medal
One of three Top Tiered awards of the Society. Presented to an individual for outstanding contributions to the advancement or implementation of nuclear technology.

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