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WMS Program Advisory Committee (PAC) Award

WM Symposia has established the WMS Program Advisory Committee (PAC) Award to annually recognize an individual whose outstanding contributions have helped make and keep the annual Waste Management Conference the world's premier conference on the management and disposal of nuclear waste.

The first WMS PAC Award was given to Dr. Mort Wacks at WM2003, in recognition of his significant contributions in establishing and maintaining the Waste Management Conference. The WM2004 award was given to Dr. Harry Babad, WM2005 to Leif Eriksson, WM2006 to John Mathieson, WM2007 to Al Frietag, WM2008 to Jack McElroy, WM2009 to James G. McCray and WM2010 to Linda Ulland.

CRITERIA

The recipient should have been involved in the annual Waste Management Conference and made a significant contribution to the conference over a period of several years. They should be respected by the PAC members;

AND

Have organized one or more sessions (regular track, special or workshops) for the conference over that period of time including:

- Identifying and contacting appropriate speakers, arranging for session chairs, reviewing papers, and ensuring each presenter registers for and attends the conference;
- Met or spoke with session presenters in advance of the conference (including the Speaker's Breakfast) to ensure smooth conduct of the session; and
- Completed the session evaluation form following each session organized to ensure feedback was provided on that session and topic for consideration by the PAC. Also includes nominating a paper for the annual Best Paper Award (as appropriate).

OR

Promoted attendance/participation at the conference, such as:

- Arranging for conference sponsorship (such as grants or commercial sponsors) or encouraging attendance by members of their agency or corporation, including international participants;
- Arranging for embedded topical, side or parallel meetings to increase attendance at the conference; and
- Sponsoring special sessions made up of senior level participants whose attendance at the conference increase meeting attendance.

NOMINATIONS

Please send your nomination for the WMS PAC Award to Fred Sheil, WMS Chairman at fred.e.sheil@sellafieldsites.com no later than December 15, 2010. Or you may send your completed form by fax to 1-520-829-3550 or by mail to WM Symposia c/o 1628 E. Southern Ave, Ste 9 – 332, Tempe, AZ 85282 USA. Nominations should provide adequate supporting evidence for the criteria selected.



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WM2011 PAC Award Nomination Form

Name, mailing address and country, phone, email of Nominee:

Specific actions/accomplishments of Nominee:

Name, mailing address and country, phone, email of person making the nomination:

PLEASE NOTE:

The award will be presented at the WM2011 Awards Luncheon on Tuesday, March 1, 2011.

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Any questions, call Mary E. Young, CMP at +1 480-557-0263 or by email mary@wmarizona.org.