

2020 NASHVILLE BRANCH ASCE AWARDS ANNOUNCEMENT

Each year the Nashville Branch ASCE recognizes outstanding individuals and engineering companies in the Nashville Branch area by presenting the following awards. Typically, each award consists of a wall plaque presented at the spring Nashville Branch Awards Dinner.

Awards will be presented for:

- Student Member Award
- Young Engineer Award
- Government Engineer Award
- Outstanding Engineering Educator Award
- Outstanding Engineering Project (Large)
- Outstanding Engineering Project (Small)
- Distinguished Service Award

Nominations for these awards must be submitted to the Branch Awards Committee by Friday, March 13, 2020. The Branch Awards Committee then works with a selection committee, made up of the Branch Officers and Past Award Winners, to select the proposed award winner. Once the selection committee determines each award winner, the names will be sent to the Nashville Branch Board for approval. Awards will be presented during the month of April 2020. Look for more information as to its location and date in upcoming Level Line newsletters. Nashville Branch Award winners will be forwarded to the Tennessee ASCE Section that same year for consideration of the Section Award. The following is a list of Branch and Section winners from our Nashville Branch. Copies of the nomination forms and more information on each category can be found on the Nashville Branch website: <http://branches.asce.org/nashville/home>.

STUDENT MEMBER AWARD

- I. The Award may be made annually to a student member of one of the ASCE student chapter/clubs supported by the Nashville Branch of ASCE. This member is one who has made definite contributions to the Society at the student chapter/club level. The Award consists of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to the ASCE student chapter/club and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award will be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented. Presentation of the Award shall be made at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2015	Michaela Kirk
2016	Justin Corbitt
2017	Nathan Grosser
2018	Taylor Sanders
2019	Lauren Kemper

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

2000	Jason T. Coleman – Tennessee Tech
2001	Steven Cotton – Tennessee Tech
2005	Amy Patricia Lenhardt – Vanderbilt
2010	Bethany Smith – Vanderbilt

YOUNG ENGINEER AWARD

- I. The Award may be made annually to a younger member of the Nashville Branch of ASCE who has made definite contributions to the Society at the National, Section, and/or Branch levels. A Young Engineer is one who is 35 years of age or less on February 1 in the year to the award. The Award consists of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award will be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2015	Ashley Smith
2016	John Brew
2017	Clint Camp
2018	Kyle McLemore
2019	Dustin Scruggs

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

1995	Todd Boatman
2000	Sam Huddleston
2001	Jon Perry
2003	Suzanne B. Herron
2006	Rose Rodriguez
2008	Brian Reynolds
2009	Nitaya Chayangkura
2011	Janey Camp
2012	Sara Hooper
2013	Monica Sartain
2014	Blake Turner
2015	Ashley Smith
2019	Dustin Scruggs

GOVERNMENT ENGINEER AWARD

- I. The Award may be made annually to a government engineer member of the Nashville Branch of ASCE who has made definite contributions to the Society at the National, Section, and/or Branch levels. Nominees must have at least 5 years of experience in the public or private arena. The Award consists of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award will be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2015	Mark Macy
2018	Jonathan Vest

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

2001	Emily Carr – Nashville
2002	Todd Boatman – Nashville
2003	Sam A. Huddleston – Nashville
2007	Doug Warden – Nashville
2008	Jerry Hatcher – Nashville
2009	Michael Zoccola – Nashville
2010	Vanessa Bateman – Nashville
2011	Eric Gardner – Nashville
2014	David Brewer – Nashville
2015	Mark Macy – Nashville

OUTSTANDING ENGINEERING EDUCATOR

- I. The Award may be made annually to an engineering educator member of the Nashville Branch of ASCE who has made definite contributions to the education process and to the Society at the National, Section, and/or Branch levels. The Award consists of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award will be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2013	Chris Gwaltney – Lipscomb University
2015	Dr. Gouranga Banik (TSU)
2016	Dr. Janey Camp (Vanderbilt)
2017	Matthew T. Yarnold

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

2004	Dr. Peter G. Hoadley – Vanderbilt
2009	Dr. Farouk Mishu – TSU
2010	Dr. Lori Troxel – Vanderbilt
2011	Dr. Ben Mohr – TTU
2014	Chris Gwaltney – Lipscomb University

OUTSTANDING ENGINEERING PROJECT (LARGE)

The Outstanding Engineering Project Award is given for overall achievement so that the many civil engineers and others who have worked on the project are recognized. The project must be located within the Nashville Branch Area with a final project cost of over \$2 Million. The owner of the project is the appropriate person/organization to accept the Award.

- I. The Award may be made annually to the engineering project that is considered to have made a definite contribution to the betterment of the citizens of Tennessee. The project must fall in the general category of civil engineering and must have been completed within the last two years prior to the year of the award and have a final project cost of over \$2 Million. The Award consists of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award shall be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2015	SR-254 / Otter Creek
2016	First Tennessee Park
2017	Fast Fix 8
2018	Division Street Bridge
2019	Main Library Parking Lot

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

1995	Natchez Trace Arch Bridge – Nashville
1996	Tennessee Bicentennial Capitol Mall – Nashville
1998	Nashville Arena – Nashville
1999	Opryland Hotel Phase IV – The Delta – Nashville
2000	Adelphia Coliseum – Nashville
2001	Nashville Super Speedway – Nashville
2003	Tennessee Engineering Center – Nashville
2004	Shelby Street Pedestrian Bridge over the Cumberland River – Nashville
2005	Gateway Boulevard Bridge over the Cumberland River – Nashville
2006	Shermerhorn Symphony Center – Nashville
2007	Demonbreun Street Viaduct – Nashville
2008	Nashville South Wal-Mart – Nashville
2010	Deaderick Streetscape – Nashville
2011	Nashville Flood Relief – Nashville
2012	Cumberland Park – Nashville

2014 Music City Center – Nashville
2017 Fast Fix 8

OUTSTANDING ENGINEERING PROJECT (SMALL) – INAUGURAL YEAR

The Outstanding Engineering Project Award is given for overall achievement so that the many civil engineers and others who have worked on the project are recognized. The project must be located within the Nashville Branch Area with a final project cost of less than \$2 Million. The owner of the project is the appropriate person/organization to accept the Award.

- I. The Award may be made annually to the engineering project that is considered to have made a definite contribution to the betterment of the citizens of Tennessee. The project must fall in the general category of civil engineering and must have been completed within the last two years prior to the year of the award and have a final project cost of less than \$2 Million. The Award shall consist of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award shall be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

- I. The Award may be made annually to an engineer member of the Nashville Branch of ASCE who has made definite contributions to the Society at the Society, Section, and/or Branch levels. The nominee should have been involved at the Branch, Section, or Society levels for a minimum of 10 years. The Award shall consist of a wall plaque.

- II. Recommendations for the recipient of the Award shall be submitted to the Awards Committee. The recommendations must be written and include appropriate biographical data. The recommendation package should highlight service to ASCE and should include a letter of recommendation. The nomination for the Award shall be approved by the Nashville Branch Board and presented at the Spring Awards Meeting.

Previous Nashville Branch Award Recipients

2015	Jeff Hooper
2016	Mike Kusch
2017	Suzanne Herron

Previous Section Award Recipients from the Nashville Branch

1988	Daniel B. Barge, Jr. - Nashville
1989	Peter G. Hoadley – Nashville
1997	Jack Wood – Nashville
2000	Michael Sullivan – Nashville
2001	Jay Martin - Nashville
2002	Garland Rose - Nashville
2005	Charles Lowe – Nashville
2007	Larry Ridlen – Nashville
2008	Ted Kniazewycz – Nashville
2014	George Welch – Nashville