



SAFE ASSOCIATION

**Call for Nominations
for SAFE's 2008 Awards**

To be Awarded October 27, 2008



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Dear SAFE Member:

Each year we request our SAFE membership to submit nominations for SAFE Association awards. Our community requires members to take an active part in the recognition of noteworthy accomplishments and individuals. The process is a simple one and involves minimal time. These recognitions highlight the history our industry has for contributing to safety; a history that can only be authored by you. Without your nominations our industry's legacy would be incomplete.

Enclosed is the Association's 2008 Awards nomination package. It is also available on the SAFE website above. Make it a point to read each award description carefully and submit your nominee in the correct category for proper evaluation. Review the list of past winners – no doubt you will recognize a few names. It is impossible for a small awards committee to track all the accomplishments of the people in an industry of our size – so, as a responsible member we are seeking your assistance. Please take the small amount of time necessary to complete at least one nomination to show support and appreciation for the countless hours someone you know has dedicated to our community.

Those selected awardees will be recognized during the 46th Annual SAFE Symposium being held October 27-29 at the Grand Sierra Resort & Casino in Reno, Nevada. We hope to see you there as we recognize these nominees and announce the award recipients.

Do not let someone deserving of recognition slip away; make your nomination today! Make a note now of the August 8th submission deadline.

Sincerely,

Christy Cornette
2008 SAFE Awards Chair

2008 SAFE AWARDS PROGRAM

SAFE Association's 2008 Call for Nominations

To be awarded October 27th during the 46th Annual SAFE Symposium

Grand Sierra Resort & Casino – Reno, Nevada

The deadline for nominations is Friday, August 8th however we encourage, and appreciate, your nomination submittals as soon as possible. Late submittals will not be considered – no exceptions!

The following is a short description and a list of previous winners for each award.

SAFE AWARD FOR CAREER ACHIEVEMENT

Presented to a person who, throughout his or her career, has made significant contributions in the field of safety.

1993	Captain Harold T. Pheeny	2001	Homer D. (Sonny) Reihm
1994	Professor Guy Illich Severin	2002	B. M. "Bev" Brewer
1995	Basil Macnab	2003	Samuel W. Alderson
1996	Richard H. Frost	2003	John H. Starnes
1997	MCPO Larry Farmer	2004	Robert Billings
1997	Orland Wilcox	2004	Ronald W. Oates
1997	Robert J. Zimmerman	2005	Walter R. Peck
1998	William J. Sears, Ph.D.	2005	Ray E. Smith
1999	Dominic Spinosa	2006	Richard R. (Dick) Higgins
1999	J. A. "Tony" vanHaastert	2006	John Frazier
2000	E. R. Richard (Dick) Atkins	2007	William (Bill) Martell

SAFE AWARD FOR TEAM ACHIEVEMENT

Presented to a team which has made a recent outstanding contribution in the field of safety through an advancement in the knowledge, science, or engineering associated with a significant improvement in safety or survival

1993	NAWC CBR Team	2002	Aerospace Engineering Test Establishment
1993	Head/Neck Biodynamics Criteria Team	2002	Total Contact, Inc., Burn Mask Team
1994	K-36 International Test Team	2003	The Joint Strike Fighter (JSF) Head Case Research Team
1995	Finnish Air Force (FAF) Aircrew Equipment Evaluation Team	2003	The Aircrew Integrated Life Support System (AILSS) Team
1996	NAWCADWAR Advanced Technology Crew Station Team	2004	311 HSW – Aircrew Protection Division
1997	Carl Naab and Stan Wojdan	2005	Paul Helig, Program Manager for the Navy Aircrew Common Ejection Seat Pre-Planned Product Improvement (NACES P ³ I) Team
1998	Fourth Generation Escape System Technologies Team	2006	Multi-climate Protection (MCP) Systems Team
1999	Transportation Safety Board of Canada – Swiss Air 111 Team	2007	The AFRL Rotary Wing Brownout Integrated Solution Study Team
2000	Hurricane Mesa Test Team		
2001	U.S. Army Aeromedical Research Laboratory – Cockpit Air Bag Aeromedical Research Team		

SAFE AWARD FOR INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT

Presented to a person who has made a recent outstanding contribution in the field of safety. This may have been through leadership or through an advancement in the knowledge, science, or engineering associated with a significant improvement in safety or survival.

1993 Larry Specker 1994 Joseph L. Haley, Jr. 1995 H. Lee Task, Ph.D. 1996 Roy R. Rasmussen 1997 Danny Filipovich 1998 Curtis D. White 1999 James O. Lair 2000 John A. Plaga	2001 No Recipient 2002 No Recipient 2003 Gregory F. Zehner, Ph.D. 2004 Colonel Albert F. Burnett 2005 William B. Albery, Ph.D. 2006 Dawn McGarvey-Buchwalder 2006 Joseph P. Notaro 2007 Cecil "Tim" Moore
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MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

Presented to the person or persons who demonstrate a recent outstanding contribution to survival through courage or bravery.

1969 Lou Abraham 1970 Major James R. Yacobi 1971 Donald Lee 1972 Lt. Col. George C. Braue 1973 Michael R. Grost 1974 Lt. Col. Charles A. Lehman 1975 Capt. Charles Nowlin 1976 Gilbert A. Pelawook 1977 Anthony Martino 1978 Glen McDonald and John Kenney 1979 CMSGT Ronald Ziegler 1980 Richard Duran 1981 Capt. C. Thomas Lindemann and Lt. Col. Alfred Schneider 1982 Ms. Kelly Duncan 1983 Cal Crochet 1984 F-106 B Storm Hazards Research Flight Crew 1985 Jean Gueridon 1986 Bernard Lynch 1987 Lewis T. Vinson 1988 Harry W. Schmoll 1989 Gregory T. Robertson 1990 Captain Al C. Haynes 1991 Captain Tom Cooper	1992 SSGT Charles B. Wade 1993 Major M. Maccauley, MWO; J.A.E. Maccauley, MWO; F.J. Ritchie and crews 1994 No recipient 1995 24MEU Tactical Recovery of Aircraft and Personnel Team 1996 No recipient 1997 Federal Express Flight 1406 Flight Crew and Federal Express Training Organization 1998 No recipient 1999 Helicopter Composite Squadron Two (CDR Scott White and Crew) 2000 SSGT Richard D. Dixon and Captain Edward J. Lengel 2001 109 th Air Wing – New York Air National Guard 2002 No Recipient 2003 No Recipient 2004 No Recipient 2005 No Recipient 2006 Captain Chris B. Watson 2006 Crew of "Spear 47" 2007 Lt. Col. Peter J. Byrne 2007 Captain Jeffrey H. Buckland 2007 1 st Lt. Neil D. Lisowski
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MICHAEL R. GROST AWARD

Presented to the individual(s) who have made significant contributions to the life sciences area through leadership and evolutionary accident investigation using scientific mishap analysis, investigative study, and historical documentation, leading to system design improvements that enhance the life-saving potential of aircraft/spacecraft egress systems or life support systems.

2000 Bob Swaim 2001 John A. Goines III 2002 John Goglia 2003 Greg Feith 2004 311 HSW – Life Sciences Equipment Laboratory	2005 Mitch Mackenzie for the NAVAIR Mishap Investigation Support Team (MIST) 2006 Robert L. Campbell 2007 Intermountain Health Care Life Flight (IHC/LF) Maintenance Team
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GENERAL SPRUANCE AWARD

Presented for outstanding contribution to safety through education.

1969	General William W. Spruance	1991	Michael A. Acosta
1970	A. Howard Hasbrook	1992	Charles O. Miller
1971	SMSGT Thomas Linam	1993	Kent K. Gillingham, M.D., Ph.D.
1972	Stanley Pain	1993	Dr. James W. Turnbow
1973	John X. Stefanki	1994	Kevin Hiatt
1974	No recipient	1995	Captain Scott O'Grady, USAF
1975	Staff, Physiological Training Branch, USAFSAM	1996	Charles "Skip" Goodman
1976	Col. Giles W. Hall	1996	Ted Putnam, Ph.D.
1977	Joshua S. Mann	1997	Captain Alan Price
1978	Dr. Wayne Chesbro	1997	John H. Starnes
1979	U.S. Army Institute for Military Assistance, Military Free Fall Division	1998	RADM Frank M. "Skip" Dirren
1980	Col. Donald C. Choisser	1999	Captain B. J. Smith
1981	Gerald L. Johnson	2000	Richard F. Healing
1982	Dr. S. Harry Robertson	2001	Joseph Licina
1983	Dr. Ted S. Ferry	2002	No Recipient
1984	Division of Aviation Safety Management and Training (Department of the Interior)	2003	James B. Burin
1985	Robert McLaughlin	2004	Jeffrey Hogue
1986	TSGT Cecil Ginger	2005	Naval Air Systems Command FAILSAFE Program Team
1987	CMSGT William W. Wood	2005	Eric S. Doten
1988	Jimmy L. Whitley	2006	Denis Rioux
1989	No recipient	2007	Major Bernard (Barney) K. Hill
1990	Professor William D. Waldock		

M.P. KOCH AWARD

In recognition of those members of industry who have made significant contributions in the advancement of hardware for safety and survival applications.

1973	Ralph E. Darling, Sr.	1991	Walter R. Peck
1974	Kenneth A. Marks	1992	Brian L. Carnell
1975	John Tillman	1993	Francis Miller
1976	C. Donald Bateman	1994	Robert L. Cramer
1977	John C. Goodell	1995	No recipient
1978	Leslie Irvin	1996	Peter Zatezalo
1979	Bernard Mazelsky	1997	James W. Duncan
1980	Maurice W. Connell	1998	W. Harvey Jagoe
1981	Douglas Aircraft Co.	1999	Roy Spaulding
1982	Byron Solomonides	2000	John Henneman
1983	Clifford Bonn	2001	Samuel Levin
1984	Richard H. Frost	2002	Gary F. Bradley
1985	Homer D. Reihm	2003	Rick Stewart
1986	Harold G. Watson	2004	James Phlipot
1987	Donald G. Davis	2004	Alfonso S. Gonzalez
1988	Everett B. Skinner	2005	David E. Bryson
1989	Morry L. Schimmel	2006	Robert A. Denton
1990	David L. Heitman	2007	Joseph S. Jones

INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION REGARDING NOMINATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

- The person submitting the nomination (nominator) must be a current SAFE member or Corporate designee.
- Nominees need not be SAFE members.
- Nominations should be for specific awards, for which the nominee has not already been recognized (see list of prior awardees).
- A SAFE member may submit as many nominations as he/she feels appropriate.
- Extensive or elaborate justification is not necessary.
- The deadline for submittal of nominations is Friday, August 8th. **Late submissions will not be accepted – no exceptions.**
- Submissions made be made three (3) ways:
 1. Mail nominations to SAFE Association, Post Office Box 130, Creswell, OR 97426-0130.
 2. FAX nominations to (541) 895-3014.
 3. Submit the form electronically by going to www.safeassociation.com and entering the information. The form will be automatically sent to the SAFE office.

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2008 SAFE ASSOCIATION AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Nomination for _____ Award

Nominee's Name _____

Affiliation _____

Complete Address _____

E-mail _____

Narrative describing achievements for which nomination is submitted. **Not to exceed one (1) page.**

Nominated by _____

Complete Address including e-mail _____

Three ways to submit your nomination form: (1) Mail completed form to the SAFE Association, Post Office Box 130, Creswell, OR 97426-0130 (2) FAX the form to (541) 895-3014 (3) Submit the form electronically by going to www.safeassociation.com and entering the information. The form will be automatically sent to the SAFE office.

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