

Awards Committee Report November 2013

These awards will be presented at the 2013 Awards Banquet in Sarasota, Florida.

National Awards:

J. Allen Alexander Award Presented each year for recognition of a member with outstanding contributions in furthering the aims and ideals of the ASGS.

2013 winner: Jack Korfhage

Helmut Drecshel Achievement Award is presented to a member for recognition of their tireless efforts promoting and promulgating the ASGS and the field of Scientific Glassblowing. 2013 winner: Georges Kopp

Memorial Award is presented to a junior member who shows early interest in participating in ASGS activities. 2013 winner: Matthew J. McDonald

2012 Symposium Award Winners:

Dennis Courtney Award for best technical paper: Joseph S. Gregar for his paper "Construction of a 200mm Glass Vacuum Chamber for a Specialized Vacuum Deposition Process"

Wale Award for best technical poster: Tracy Owen Drier for his poster "Color Changing Glass – A Trick of the Light"

Wilt Award for best technical demonstration: David Daenzer for his demonstration "Hand Grinding: Ball Check Valve & Rod O.D."

These awards will be presented at the Business meeting in Sarasota, Florida

2012 Regional Section Awards

Delaware Valley: 2013 winner, Michael Schiaffino

Exhibitors: 2013 winner, Sabrina Belanger

Midwest: 2013 winner, Michael J. Souza

Karl F. Walther Award: Presented by the North East Section:

2013 winner, James Hodgson

Dana Sampson: Presented each year by the Southeastern Section:

2013 winner, Earl Morris

Randy Searle: Presented by the Southeastern Section:

2013 winner, Stephanie Hitchcock

2013 Expenses:

J. Allen Alexander Award	300.00
Helmut E. Drechsel Achievement Award	200.00
Plaque Purchases	<u>628.70</u>
	\$1128.70

Memorial Scroll:

Please remember our deceased members by nominating them for the Memorial Scroll, so that their contributions to the ASGS and the field of scientific glassblowing can be honored in remembrance of them. Names may be submitted to the Awards Committee via email, phone or letter. The following additions were made to the Memorial Scroll in 2013: Gary Farlow

The Deadline for National Award Nominations is February 15, 2014

Please take time to nominate any members that deserve recognition for their contributions to the ASGS and the field of scientific glassblowing.

Respectfully Submitted
Steven M. Anderson, Awards Committee Chair.

Awards Committee

Reports:

Submit a quarterly report for Fusion

Submit a report for the Board of Directors at the Symposium and November meetings.

National Awards:

Encourage Directors and members to nominate deserving members for National Awards (Alexander, Drechsel & Memorial). The Fall meetings are a good place to collect the ten signatures needed for nomination. Nominations must be submitted by February 15th.

Go through the nominations making sure the nominees and each person that has signed the nomination form is a National member.

Prepare ballots and e-mail or mail to directors and the executive committee.

Notify Home Office and President who the winners are, so a congratulatory letter of recognition can be sent to each winner and their employer.

Notify the winners ASAP so they can make arraignments to attend the Symposium Awards Banquet.

Make arraignments for plaques with Scott Bankroff. Find out how the recipients would prefer their names are spelled on the plaques. Scott will arrange for mailing the plaques to the Symposium.

Symposium Awards:

Contact people in charge of Papers, Posters & Technical Demonstrations find out who the presenters are, and what their presentations will be titled. Prepare judging forms for Papers, Posters & Technical Work shops.

Arrange for five judges to attend each Paper, Poster and Technical Demonstration. Judges must attend each presentation and cannot judge a category they are presenting in. I try to include one Junior member as a judge for each category. The remainder should be experienced glassblowers. Collect the ballots from each judge after the final presentation of each category.

Notify Award winners and sponsors as soon as possible so that they can make arrangements for the next Awards banquet.

Maintain and make updates to the Memorial Scroll. Ship the Scroll to the Symposium Hotel or a Member in the area.

Upon arrival at the Symposium make sure the award plaques and Memorial Scroll have arrived and make sure the Scroll is displayed prominently near the registration area.
(Save packaging)

On the last day of the Symposium when the registration area closes repackage the Memorial Scroll and make arrangements to have it shipped to your self.

If needed present the National Awards at the Awards banquet.

Sectional Awards:

Document recipients and report to members through Fusion and BOD reports.

American Scientific Glassblowers Society

PETITION OF NOMINATION FOR NATIONAL AWARD

To: A.S.G.S. Awards Committee

Date: _____

The undersigned national members in good standing of the ASGS

wish to nominate: _____

for *one* of these categories listed:

- J. Allen Alexander Award
- Helmut E. Drechsel Award
- Memorial Award

Please attach biographical sketch and/or recommendations.

Include

Date of birth: _____

Place of birth: _____

Education and Awards: _____

Positions held (Society and business), papers presented, and efforts to promote the ASGS and scientific glassblowing: _____

	Signature	Print Name	Address
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