



NITE Distinguished Member Award

The Distinguished Member Award is an honorary designation presented to members of NITE who have provided outstanding and significant contributions to NITE over a period of many years.

This award designation is intended to be the Section equivalent of MOVITE's Distinguished Member Award. Some requirements of the NITE award are different than the MOVITE award. It will be the nominator's responsibility to meet all District requirements if they choose to elevate the award to the District level.

AWARD

The award recipient will be presented a plaque commemorating and citing his or her achievement at the Annual Meeting.

ELIGIBILITY

All members in good standing are eligible for nomination, except student members. As a general guideline, candidates should normally be at least fifty (50) years of age and have been a member of ITE for at least ten (10) years.

Members of the NITE Board are not eligible for the award.

NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS

Any member of the NITE may nominate a member for consideration. No member may nominate himself/herself. Members should not be informed that they are under consideration.

The following documents must be included in each submission:

1. Current resume or CV that includes details outlining nominee's local and national ITE involvement as well as leadership and volunteer experience in any other professional organizations.
2. The nomination must be submitted in writing and must be at least one but not more than five double-spaced typewritten pages.
3. A headshot or cropped photo with the file title containing the nominee's name. Use jpg, png or gif format.
4. A shipping address in the event the award needs to be mailed to the award recipient.

DEADLINE

All materials must be submitted via email in PDF format to the NITE Board no later than **November 1**.



SELECTION

If nominations are provided, the NITE Board shall consider selecting one Distinguished Member who will be presented a plaque commemorating and citing his or her achievement at the Annual Meeting. The Board is not obligated to select a recipient each year as this award is intended to recognize exceptional accomplishments.

The Board shall have wide latitude when deliberating the selection of a Distinguished Member. The nominee must be a member of ITE member in good standing and the Board shall strongly consider the variety and extent of his or her participation in ITE activities over the years.

Examples of active participation include:

- Having served as a Chapter, Section and/or District officer or director.
- Active participation in Chapter, Section and/or District committees.
- Active participation in preparing for and hosting District and Section meetings.
- Having volunteered for special projects or tasks.
- Regular attendance at and/or participation in NITE and/or MOVITE Meetings.

The Board shall notify an award recipient after selection to encourage attendance by the individual at the Annual Meeting.

QUESTIONS

Contact the NITE Board for questions or clarifications.

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