

Lifetime Achievement Award

Know someone who has devoted their career to giving outstanding service in maintenance and service of refrigeration, air conditioning or heat pump equipment? Nominate them now for the Institute of Refrigeration Lifetime Achievement Award. The winner will be an engineer or technician who can show substantial experience in the industry, a commitment to the future of the sector and continued excellent service.

The prize is £400 and a commemorative tankard and certificate.

Do you recognise
outstanding
service when you
see it?

diligent, professional and
technically astute.

"his knowledge of the industry,
his keenness and his
willingness to pass on his
experience to younger engineers

"he is held in such high regard
that he is always asked for first
on R&D systems"

"he just knows
everything about our
trade"

hardworking, committed and a
sheer inspiration to his colleagues
and fellow engineers

Nominate on line at www.ior.org.uk/service-engineers by 6th November 2017

- Nominations can be made by employers, clients or colleagues
- Candidates must have substantial experience as a Service Engineer or Technician and still be active in this role within the industry
- Winners will be invited to attend the Institute of Refrigeration Annual Dinner on 22nd February 2017 in London to collect their award as a guest of the Institute
- Further details of rules and past winners are available at www.ior.org.uk/service-engineers
- Shortlisted candidates will be invited to provide a cv, photo and personal statement.



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Name of person being Nominated	First Name
	Surname
Company	
Contact address	
Tel no if known	
Your name	First Name
	Surname
How do you know the candidate?	Employer Client Other (please describe):
Your email address	

IOR Service Engineers' Section

Lifetime Achievement Award

1. Aim of the Awards

To reward and recognise outstanding individual achievement and exceptional contribution to the industry by a Service Engineer.

2. Eligibility

Any engineer who is based in the UK and is still actively working in the service, maintenance or installation of refrigeration or air conditioning equipment.

3. Categories

This year there is only one category of award. Life Time Achievement Award (someone with 25 years + experience in the industry)

4. Sponsorship

Each award will be sponsored of which £400 will be given as prize fund to the winner, and a trophy/certificate will also be provided.

5. Judging Panel

The judging panel will be nominated by the Service Engineers' Section of the Institute and will meet to deliberate separately from Section Management Panel meetings. In order to avoid any conflict of interest, a judge would be expected to stand down if a candidate is known to them.

6. Presentation of Awards

Awards will be presented at the IOR Annual Dinner held in London in February each year. The winners will attend as guests of the Institute but may sit with their companies if requested. Candidates will be expected to cover their own travel or accommodation expenses.

7. PR

The Section will seek press coverage to promote nominations and to publicise the winners of the awards.

8. Nominations

Nominations may be made by employers, customers, colleagues, wholesalers or a representative organisation.

9. Submission by Nominated Person

The Service Engineers' Section will contact persons nominated to advise them that they are being considered for an award. They will be invited to provide a submission including the following information –

- *Background History* (eg, job title, summary of responsibilities/ area of work etc)
- *Details of achievements* (eg a statement from employers, clients or colleagues)
- *Information about exceptional contribution to the industry* (eg work for local branches or societies, assistance in recruiting or training young people, raising the profile of the industry or representation work etc)

10. Judging Criteria

The decision of the judges will be final. Awards will be to the person considered to have made the most outstanding practical achievement within the scope of their work based on the following criteria –

- *Uniqueness of their contribution.* What makes them stand out from other engineers?
- *Recognisable achievement.* Is there one crucial thing that this person has done or perhaps there is an exceptionally long term contribution?
- *Practical nature of the achievement.* What has been the outcome of their work, have they “made a difference” in some way?
- *Inspirational aspect.* Will this story inspire others to higher standards in their work or to raise the industry's perception of the Service Engineer?