# HALL OF FAME

# Revised Awards Criteria October 2022

The MSPE Hall of Fame was developed to recognize individual engineers or friends of the profession whose personal accomplishments, awards, and activities exemplify the goals and objectives of MSPE and positively promote the professional engineering community.

### **Qualifications/Method of Selection:**

### **Prerequisites**

- 1) Professional Engineer's license (20 years minimum)
- 2) Minimum age of 55.
- 3) MSPE member in good standing
- 4) Accumulation of "more than 1250 points" on the application form ... or
- 5) Substantial devotion to the goals & objectives of MSPE by a non-member over a period of years for Honorary Member consideration.

Posthumous nominations will be accepted as long as the prerequisites were met at the time of death.

# **Point Scoring System**

#### I. Education

Engineering Degree from ABET
accredited university
50 points each
Engineering master's
25 points each
Master's degree non engineering
Ph.D./Doctor's in engineering
25 points each
Ph.D./Doctor's non-engineering
5 points each

#### II. Years of service

P.E. Licensure 5 points for each year over 20 with PE

license (20 minimum)

MSPE Membership 10 points for each year of MSPE membership

## III. NSPE

A. Awards (including practice divisions)

National 30 points for each
State 20 points for each
Local/chapter 10 points each

B. Offices held

National 30 points each
State 20 points each
Board of Director XC Representative 15 points each
Local (includes state directors) 10 points each

C. Committee Chairs (including practice divisions)

National 15 points each State 10 points each Local (includes chapter directors) 5 points each

# IV. Other engineering organizations

A. Awards

National awards
State awards
Local/chapter awards

B. Offices held, national, state, local

15 points
5 points
2 points each
30 points total

V. Non engineering organizations

National offices 20 points maximum
State offices 20 points maximum
Local offices, awards 20 points maximum

VI. Publications 10 points each (Maximum 150 points)

VII. Patents 15 points each

VIII. Community service

A. National 50 points maximum
B. Statewide 50 points maximum
C. Regional/local 50 points maximum

IXI. Career highlights/accomplishments/projects

(four maximum) 400 points maximum

**X. Discretionary** 50 points maximum (includes completeness of award, additional comments, presentation, etc.)

**Evaluation:** For consistency, MSPE staff scores Sections I - VII. The scoring results are presented to the Executive Committee at their April meeting. The Executive Committee scores section VIII-X and reports their scores to the staff for final calculation

To be eligible for the Hall of Fame Awards, nominees must score over 1,250 points.

**Award:** Framed Certificate; Inscription on a perpetual plaque displayed within the MSPE Office

**Presentation:** The award is presented at the MSPE Annual Convention.

**Nomination Format:** Nominated by a local MSPE Chapter. One submittal allowed per chapter.

**Endorsement letters:** Three personalized, individually signed letters stating the author's relationship to the nominee and attesting to the nominee's qualifications, character and merit. **One** of the endorsements must be from the nominee's chapter president/state director(s) providing the chapter's reason for nomination. The remaining two letters must be from current MSPE Board Members or Past Presidents residing outside the nominee's chapter.

**Nomination Deadline:** March 31 unless specified otherwise. Nominee information, letters of endorsement and preliminary point evaluation must be completed for presentation to the Executive Committee at their March Meeting.