



MEETING PROFESSIONALS INTERNATIONAL

# **Awards Nominations**

Awards of Distinction  
March 4, 2010

**Norm Neill Student Award**

**Recruiter of the Year Award**

**New Member of the Year  
Award**

**Outstanding Volunteer  
Award**

**Supplier of the Year Award**

**Planner of the Year Award**

**President's Award**

(nomination form on reverse)

Have you ever wanted to shake someone's hand and say, "thank-you" for a job well done, a great idea, inspiration or leadership? Here's your chance. You can recommend one person in each of the Supplier, Planner, Student, Outstanding Volunteer and New Member categories. Refer to the accompanying award criteria for further information.

Recommendations will be accepted until **December 7, 2009** and awards will be presented at a Gala Awards Dinner on March 4, 2010. So if you have someone in mind – do your part!

Supplier Nominee:

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Planner Nominee:

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Student Nominee:

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New Member Nominee:

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Outstanding Volunteer Nominee:

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Reasons:

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Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Submit your candidate form by mail or fax by  
December 7th. That's it!**

**Mail to:  
MPI Toronto Chapter  
6519-B Mississauga Rd  
Mississauga, ON L5N 1A6  
Fax to: (905) 567-9961  
or email office@mpitoronto.org**

**Questions?... Call 905-567-9591**



## MPI Toronto Chapter Awards Nominations

Do you know a colleague who deserves to be the spotlight? Well, then this is your chance to recognize that colleague for their outstanding contribution to the meetings industry. It's time to recommend an MPI member for a "job well done", for going that extra mile and for their continued support.

But don't stop at just one recommendation. Why not recommend someone in each of the five categories. Candidates should meet a majority of the following requirements:

### Planner of the Year:

- Planner who has made an outstanding contribution to MPI
- Member of an industry related association or organization
- Published word or public speaking engagements
- Awards and/or professional recognition
- MPI participation (International and/or Chapter)
- Accreditation in their field
- Continuing Education

### Supplier of the Year:

- Supplier who has made an outstanding contribution to MPI
- Member of an industry related association or organization
- Published work or public speaking engagements
- Awards and/or professional recognition
- MPI participation (International and/or Chapter)
- Accreditation in their field
- Continuing Education

### New Member of the Year:

- Member of MPI for a minimum of six months, but not more than two years as of March 4, 2010
- Demonstrated a keen dedication to MPI
- Open to both supplier and planner members

### Outstanding Volunteer of the Year:

- Member who has made an outstanding voluntary effort during 2009 to the MPI Toronto Chapter
- Active participation on one or more MPI Toronto Chapter committees
- Designed, organized, delivered or administered new and ongoing programs for the MPI Toronto Chapter
- Volunteers for other meeting industry or charitable organizations
- Demonstrates a keen and sustained commitment to volunteering for MPI
- Open to supplier, planner and student members, excluding the current MPI Toronto board members
- Embodies the spirit of volunteerism

### Norm Neill Student of the Year:

- Current full-time, post-secondary student in good standing of the MPI Toronto Chapter
- Cannot have previously won the award
- Community/Industry/School Service
- Awards and Professional Recognition
- Chapter Participation
- Scholastic Merit
- Placement/Co-op Experience
- References

Simply fill out the accompanying candidate form and return it by **December 7, 2009**. Then leave the rest up to us. Five minutes is all it takes to let an industry star know that their hard work has not gone unnoticed! For additional information, call the MPI Toronto Chapter office at 905-567-9591.

**NOTE:** The Award for Recruiter of the Year is based on the number of new members recruited as of June 30, 2009. The President's Award is determined by the President, supported by two members of the Toronto Chapter.