



IADD

UNSUNG ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Official Nomination Form

The IADD is currently soliciting nominations for this prestigious Award.

Over the past several decades many leaders within our Association and industry have gone unrewarded or unrecognized for their significant contributions to the diemaking, diecutting and converting industry. The purpose of the Unsung Achievement Award is to recognize those deceased individuals. The Award is only given sporadically to ensure that recipients meet the criteria and are truly deserving.

ELIGIBILITY

All employees of a previous member of the DDA, NADD or the IADD are eligible, provided the member company or individual was in good standing.

CRITERIA

Nominees for the Unsung Achievement Award:

- Should have made outstanding and ongoing accomplishments to the industry and/or to the IADD over a lengthy period of time in their professional lives.
- Must be deceased; if a team of people is nominated, at least one of the nominees must be deceased.
- Should be recognized as an exceptional industry member who has advanced the welfare of the industry.
- Should have openly shared valuable experience with other industry members.
- May have contributed significantly and consistently to the advancement or recognition of the industry through service to the IADD and/or related organizations.
- May have been frequent contributors or organizers for presentations, workshops, publications or related events geared to helping other industry members achieve business success.
- Cannot be a past recipient of the IADD Lifetime Achievement Award.

To nominate your choice for the IADD Unsung Achievement Award, simply complete the following form. *It is strongly encouraged to have additional written testimonials from others sent along with your nomination.*

Sufficient information must be given regarding the candidate and the reason for the nomination in order for the selection committee to make an informed decision. Lack of sufficient information reduces the chances of the candidate.

The IADD Awards Committee is composed of the appointed chair and up to five most recent recipients of IADD awards (three Cutting Edge Award winners, most recent Presidential Award winner and/or most recent Pillar Award winner). The Awards Committee makes recommendations to the Executive Committee, which makes the final selection(s). Based on the nature of this award, the committee may also solicit additional information from the nominee's peers.

All nominations will be considered equally, and decisions will be made on the basis of the information supplied from the nominator as well as additional solicited input from peers. This Award is only given sporadically to ensure that recipients meet the criteria and are truly deserving. Recipients of this award will be honored at the IADD Annual Meeting, or a similar appropriate venue.

Nominations are accepted on an ongoing basis, and the Awards Committee typically meets once per year around August.

Questions about the nomination process may be directed to IADD Headquarters at 1-815-455-7519.



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Nominee's Name(s): _____

Year _____ Company: _____
Deceased: _____

Please state your reasons for nominating this individual/team. Be as specific as possible, answering all 3 questions and giving dates and places where applicable. There is no limit on the length of your submission. Attach any endorsements that you feel will further explain why you think the above-named individual/team should receive the IADD Unsung Achievement Award.

1. List this person's outstanding and ongoing accomplishments to the industry and/or the IADD:

2. Describe how this person has advanced the welfare of the industry and/or openly shared valuable experience with other industry members:

3. Describe any significant contributions to the advancement or recognition of the industry through service to the IADD and/or related organizations. List any contributions to presentations, publications or related events:

Your Name: _____

Company: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

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