



PRESTIGIOUS SOCIETY AWARDS

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AWS COUNSELOR AWARD	June 1 st	<p>The American Welding Society, in 1999, established the honor of Counselor of the Society to recognize members for a career of distinguished organizational leadership that has enhanced the image and impact of the welding industry. Election as a Counselor of the Society is demonstrated as evidenced by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leadership of or within an organization that has made a substantial contribution to the welding industry. The individual's organization shall have shown an ongoing commitment to the industry, as evidenced by support of participation of its employees in industry activities• Leadership of or within an organization that has made a substantial contribution to training and vocational education in the welding industry. The individual's organization shall have shown an ongoing commitment to the industry, as evidenced by support of participation of its employees in industry activities	aws.org/About/Awards/Counselor-And-Fellow/
AWS FELLOW AWARD	August 1 st	<p>The American Welding Society, in 1990, established the honor of Fellow of the Society to recognize members for distinguished contributions to the field of welding science and technology, and for promoting and sustaining the professional stature of the field. Election as a Fellow of the Society is based on the reputation and outstanding accomplishment of the individual. Such accomplishments will have advanced the science, technology and application of welding in specific areas such as research and development, education, manufacturing, design, and other areas the Society may determine, as evidenced by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sustained service and performance in the advancement of welding science and technology• Publication of papers, articles, and books, which enhance knowledge of welding• Innovative development of welding technology• Society and Section contributions• Professional recognition	nationalawards@aws.org



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CWI LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD	July 1 st	<p>In 2018, the American Welding Society established the AWS Certified Welding Inspector Lifetime Achievement Award to recognize individual members for a career of distinguished service, leadership, outstanding accomplishments, and innovative contributions towards enhancing the image and technology of welding inspection. Individuals receiving the award may be currently working as a CWI or have worked as one in the past.</p> <p>Election as a CWI Lifetime Achievement Award recipient is demonstrated as evidenced by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Advancements in the field of welding inspection• Mentorship of individuals entering the field of welding inspection• Effective application of existing and new inspection technology• Evidence of participation in activities directly related to the recruitment, training, education and/or mentorship of individuals entering the field of welding inspection	nationalawards@aws.org