

LABORATORY ANALYST EXCELLENCE AWARD

This award was established by the WEF Board of Directors in 1993 to recognize individuals for outstanding performance, professionalism and contributions to the water quality analysis profession. The award is presented by a Federation representative at the Member Association Annual Meeting.

Criteria:

1. Must be a member of the Water Environment Federation.
2. Candidate must be employed at an educational facility laboratory, industrial, commercial or municipal laboratory which performs wastewater – related analysis and must have direct analytical responsibilities.
3. Candidates are eligible for this award only once.
4. Qualifying criteria may include:
 - a. Membership and involvement in professional association. Examples – Water Environment Federation Committees, Standard Methods Joint Task Force Groups, MA Committees and Conferences and conference activities.
 - b. Outstanding efforts in the area of wastewater and environmental aquatic analyses, including such items as innovative sampling techniques or solutions to a treatment, analytical or environmental problem.
 - c. Involvement in community activities or public relations.
 - d. Presentations at professional conferences, meetings, etc. relevant to water quality issues.
 - e. Professional certifications.
 - f. Continuing Education.
 - g. Contributions that have been beneficial to the nominee's facility.
 - h. Unusual initiative or performance "beyond the call of duty".