

American Institute of Chemical Engineers South Texas Section

Outstanding Young Professional Award

Purpose:

The “Outstanding Young Member Award” will be given each year to reward outstanding service to the local section and encourage future participation. This award was created by the STS Executive Committee in 1959 as the Young Chemical Engineer of the Year Award, and renamed the STS “Outstanding Young Professional Award” by the STS Executive Committee in February, 2006.

Qualifications and Requirements:

- The South Texas Section’s “Outstanding Young Professional Award” Award (OYP Award) will be given yearly if there is a qualified recipient and only one STS’ OYP Award may be given for each year.
- The recipient must not have reached or passed the age of 35 years before January 1 of the year for which the OYP Award is given.
- The OYP Award recipient must be an STS member in good standing.
- Nominations may be made by any South Texas Section member.
- The South Texas Section “Outstanding Young Professional Award” shall consist of an appropriate STS-AIChE Award Plaque with the award’s name, recipient’s name, & year of award inscribed on it.
- The following items are among the things that will be considered when selected an OYP Award recipient:
 - Service rendered to South Texas Section (*Heavily weighted*).
 - Service rendered to National AIChE.
 - AIChE Student Chapter Service.
 - Service to other technical and professional societies.
 - Service to society.
 - Technical accomplishments and/or Employment history.