



Nomination Process for the Jerome F. Lederer Award

This Award is one of the most significant honors an accident investigator can receive and is presented each year during the annual seminar to a recipient who is recognized for positive advancements in the art and science of air safety investigation.

ISASI members should thoughtfully review their association with professional investigators, and submit a nomination when they identify someone who has been outstanding in increasing the quality of accident investigation.

Who may put the nomination forward: Any member of ISASI may submit a nomination.

Who may be nominated: An individual, a group of individuals, or an organization. The nominee is *not* required to be an ISASI member in any category.

Criteria for nomination: The purpose of the Jerome F. Lederer Award is to recognize outstanding contributions to excellence in accident investigation. The nomination may be for a single event, a series of events, or a lifetime of achievement. The ISASI Awards Committee considers such traits as duration and persistence, standing amongst peers, manner and techniques of operating, and of course, achievements.

Nomination period: Nominations are accepted at anytime throughout the year. To be considered for the current year (with award presented in the fall) ***nominations close May 31st every year.***

Once nominated, the nominee is considered for the next three years and then removed from consideration. After an intervening year, the candidate may be re-nominated for another three years.

Nomination Format: A nomination takes the form of a letter, which should be limited to a single page. The nomination letter must contain the name and contact information for the nominee and the name and contact information of the nominator. The letter should include a brief summary of the activities that qualify the nominee for the award. The letter must be emailed to the ISASI office (ann.schull@isasi.org) for consideration by the ISASI Awards Committee.