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Procedures

The primary nominator of a candidate should summarize the curriculum vitae highlighting those accomplishments that are relevant to the award.

Letters of support should be limited to ten consisting of the following: No more than three from former or current trainees, no more than three from colleagues or associates who work in the same institution or who practice in the same community, and no more than four "outside" letters from fellows of the College who do not fit into the two categories mentioned.

Supporting letters should cite specific examples of contributions that qualify the candidate for the award.

A candidate may be proposed for an award no more than three consecutive years. Listed are criteria for the various awards of the American College of Cardiology. Recent recipients are also listed.

Distinguished Fellow Award

This individual shall be a fellow of the College who is well recognized for his/her service to the College and whose activities are considered to qualify him/her as a role model for others. Effective with the 1997 awards, former College presidents are not eligible for this award.

The recipients of this award have been:

Philip Reichert, M.D., New York, New York, 1966	Dan G. McNamara, M.D., Houston, Texas, 1990
E. Grey Dimond, M.D., Kansas City, Missouri, 1967	William W. Parmley, M.D., San Francisco, California, 1991
Eliot Corday, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 1968	T. Joseph Reeves, M.D., Beaumont, Texas, 1992
Simon Dack, M.D., New York, New York, 1969	Francis J. Klocke, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 1993
George C. Griffith, M.D., La Canada, California, 1970	David B. Carmichael, M.D., La Jolla, California, 1994
William Likoff, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1971	Robert L. Frye, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, 1995
Dwight E. Harken, M.D., Cambridge, Massachusetts, 1972	John F. Williams, Jr., M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1996
Mariano M. Alimurung, M.D., Manila, Philippines, 1973	Gottlieb C. Friesinger, II, M.D., Nashville, Tennessee, 1997
Forrest H. Adams, M.D., La Jolla, California, 1974	Thomas J. Ryan, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 1998
William A. Sodeman, M.D., Tampa, Florida, 1975	Roman W. DeSanctis, M.D., Winchester, Massachusetts, 1999
B. L. Martz, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1976	Robert O. Bonow, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 2000
Samuel M. Fox, III, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland, 1977	Richard O. Russell, Jr., M.D., Birmingham, Alabama, 2001
Charles Fisch, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1978	Alfred A. Bove, M.D., Ph.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 2002
Donald A. Dupler, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1979	A. Jamil Tajik, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, 2003
Louis F. Bishop, M.D., New York, New York, 1980	Raymond J. Gibbons, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, 2004
Leonard S. Dreifus, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1981	Morton F. Arnsdorf, M.D., M.A.C.C., Chicago, Illinois, 2005
Henry D. McIntosh, M.D., Lakeland, Florida, 1982	John W. Hirshfeld, Jr., M.D., Philadelphia, PA, 2006
Arthur Selzer, M.D., San Francisco, California, 1983	Ralph G. Brindis, M.D., Ph.D., San Francisco, CA, 2007
George E. Burch, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana, 1984	Joseph V. Messer, M.D., Glencoe, IL, 2008
H.J.C. Swan, M.D., Ph.D., Los Angeles, California, 1985	Elliot Rapaport, M.D., San Francisco, CA, 2009
Suzanne B. Knoebel, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1986	
Dwight C. McGoon, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, 1987	
Robert O. Brandenburg, M.D., Green Valley, Arizona, 1988	

Distinguished Scientist Awards (Clinical Domain, Basic Domain and Translational Domain)

Translational Domain was approved by the BOT as a new award category in December 2008.

These individuals shall be fellows of the College who have made major scientific contributions to the advancement of scientific knowledge in the field of cardiovascular disease. Two individuals may be named.

Thomas N. James, M.D., Birmingham, Alabama, 1982
Dirk Durrer, M.D., Amsterdam, The Netherlands, 1983
Richard John Bing, M.D., Pasadena, California, 1984
Joseph C. Greenfield, Jr., M.D., Durham, North Carolina, 1985
Eugene Braunwald, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 1986
Burton E. Sobel, M.D., St. Louis, Missouri, 1987
Albert Starr, M.D., Portland, Oregon, 1988
Edmund H. Sonnenblick, M.D., Bronx, New York, 1989
John Ross, Jr., M.D., La Jolla, California, 1990
Edgar Haber, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 1991
William Ganz, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 1992
Valentin Fuster, MD, Ph.D., New York, New York, 1993
Norman E. Shumway, M.D., Stanford, California, 1994
Brian F. Hoffman, M.D., New York, New York, 1995
Seymour Furman, M.D., Bronx, New York, 1996
Douglas P. Zipes, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1996
Attilio Maseri, M.D., Rome, Italy, 1997
Robert Roberts, M.D., Houston, Texas, 1998
Jere H. Mitchell, M.D., Dallas, Texas, 1999
James T. Willerson, M.D., Houston, Texas, 2000
Jose Jalife, M.D., Syracuse, New York, 2001
Shahbudin Rahimtoola, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 2001
J. Thomas Bigger, Jr., M.D., New Rochelle, New York, 2002
Harold J. C. Swan, M.D., Ph.D., Pasadena, California, 2003
Francois M. Abboud, M.D., Iowa City, Iowa, 2004 (Basic Domain)
Robert M. Califf, M.D., Durham, North Carolina, 2004 (Clinical Domain)
Edward D. Frohlich, M.D., F.A.C.C., New Orleans, Louisiana, 2005 (Basic Domain)
Jay N. Cohn, M.D., F.A.C.C., Minneapolis, Minnesota, 2005 (Clinical Domain)
Peter Libby, M.D., F.A.C.C., Boston, MA, 2006 (Basic Domain)
David Holmes, Jr., M.D., F.A.C.C., Rochester, MN, 2006 (Clinical Domain)
Jeffrey A. Towbin, M.D., F.A.C.C., Houston, TX, 2007 (Basic Domain)
Jane W. Newburger, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.C., Boston, MA, 2007 (Clinical Domain)
Paul G. Yock, M.D., F.A.C.C., Palo Alto, CA, 2008 (Basic Domain)
Barry J. Maron, M.D., F.A.C.C., Minneapolis, MN, 2008 (Clinical Domain)
Blasé A. Carabello, M.D., F.A.C.C., Houston, TX (Basic)
Daniel B. Mark, M.D., F.A.C.C., Durham, NC (Clinical)
Albert L. Waldo, M.D., F.A.C.C., Cleveland, OH (Translational)

Distinguished Service Award

This award was established in 1967 by the Board of Trustees of the College to recognize certain individuals. This person shall be a physician, scientist, or layman who by his individual efforts has made profound contributions to medicine and/or the delivery of health care. Effective 1998, former College presidents are not eligible for this award.

Following is a list of the recipients of the Distinguished Service Award:
(No award given in 1969, 1970, 1977, 1982, 1984, 1991.)

Lyndon Baines Johnson, B.S., Johnson City, Texas, 1967
Lister Hill, LL.D., Montgomery, Alabama, 1968
Mrs. Albert D. Lasker, A.B., New York, New York, 1968
William B. Walsh, M.D., Washington, D.C., 1971
Warren G. Magnuson, LL.D., Seattle, Washington, 1972
Paul G. Rogers, LL.D., West Palm Beach, Florida, 1973
Professor MUDr. Zdenek Fejfar, Dr.Sc., Prague, Czechoslovakia, 1974
Theodore Cooper, M.D., Kalamazoo, Michigan, 1975
Daniel J. Flood, M.C., Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, 1976
Martin M. Cummings, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland, 1978
Richard E. Hurley, M.D., Dallas, Texas, 1979
Luther L. Terry, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1980
Frank H. Netter, M.D., Point Manalapan, Florida, 1981
Donald S. Fredrickson, M.D., District of Columbia, 1983
Jeremiah Stamler, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 1985
William D. Nelligan, CAE, Bethesda, Maryland, 1986
Arnold S. Relman, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 1987
William B. Kannel, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 1988
Mario R. Garcia-Palmieri, M.D., San Juan, Puerto Rico, 1989
Jerome G. Green, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland, 1990
Bernadine Healy, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland, 1992
Peter L. Frommer, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland, 1993
Eliot Corday, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 1994
Simon Dack, M.D., New York, New York, 1994
Eugene A. Stead, Jr., M.D., Durham, North Carolina, 1995
Henry D. McIntosh, M.D., Tampa, Florida, 1996
Rolf M. Gunnar, M.D., Riverside, Illinois, 1997
Harriet P. Dustan, M.D., Essex, Vermont, 1998
H.J.C. Swan, M.D., Ph.D., Pasadena, California, 1999
Valentin Fuster, M.D., Ph.D., New York, New York, 2000
L. Julian Haywood, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 2001
John Eisenberg, M.D., M.B.A., Rockville, Maryland, 2002
Douglas L. Wood, M.D., Rochester, MN, 2003
George A. Diamond, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 2004
Aldo R. Castaneda, M.D., Ph.D., F.A.C.C., Miami, Florida, 2005
Robert O. Bonow, M.D., F.A.C.C., Chicago, IL, 2006
Bernard J. Gersh, M.B., Ch.B., D.Phil, F.A.C.C., Rochester, MN, 2007
Linda D. Gilliam, M.D., F.A.C.C., Hamden, CT, 2008
Jane Somerville, M.D., London, England, 2009

Gifted Teacher Award

This individual shall be a fellow of the College who has demonstrated innovative, outstanding teaching characteristics and compassionate qualities and because of these attributes, has made major contributions to the field of cardiovascular medicine.

The presentation of this award was begun in 1965. (No award given in 1979.)

The recipients have been as follows:

Paul D. White, M.D., 1965	Roman W. De Sanctis, M.D., 1991
Samuel A. Levine, M.D., 1966	Rene G. Favaloro, M.D., 1992
George C. Griffith, M.D., 1967	Alexander S. Nadas, M.D., 1993
Dwight E. Harken, M.D., 1968	Charles Fisch, M.D., 1993
Abe Ravin, M.D., 1969	Robert A. O'Rourke, M.D., 1994
E. Grey Dimond, M.D., 1970	Melvin D. Cheitlin, M.D., 1995
Irvine H. Page, M.D., 1971	Michael S. Gordon, M.D., 1996
W. Proctor Harvey, M.D., 1972	Peter C. Gazes, M.D., 1997
Maurice Lev, M.D., 1973	Aldo R. Castaneda, M.D., 1998
J. Willis Hurst, M.D., 1974	R. Joe Noble, M.D., 1999
Richard Langendorf, M.D., 1975	Pravin M. Shah, M.D., 1999
Alfred Pick, M.D., 1975	Daniel Berman, M.D., 2000
Edward S. Orgain, M.D., 1976	Melvin M. Scheinman, M.D., 2001
Jesse E. Edwards, M.D., 1977	Arthur E. Weyman, M.D., 2001
William C. Roberts, M.D., 1978	C. Richard Conti, M.D., 2002
S. Gilbert Blount, Jr., M.D., 1980	Roberta G. Williams, M.D., 2002
Helen B. Taussig, M.D., 1981	Elliott M. Antman, M.D., 2003
Ernest Craige, M.D., 1982	Prediman K. Shah, M.D., 2003
John W. Kirklin, M.D., 1983	Joseph S. Alpert, M.D., 2004
Howard B. Burchell, M.D., 1984	Ezra Amsterdam, M.D., 2005
John F. Goodwin, Jr., M.D., 1985	Thomas P. Graham, Jr., M.D., 2006
Shahbudin H. Rahimtoola, M.D., 1986	Rick Nishimura, M.D., 2006
Denton A. Cooley, M.D., 1987	Gabriel Gregoratos, M.D., 2007
Harvey Feigenbaum, M.D., 1988	Ami Iskandrian, M.D., 2007
Charles E. Mullins, M.D., 1989	Mark E. Josephson, M.D., 2008
Kanu Chatterjee, M.D., 1990	Nasser Lakkis, M.D., 2008

Gifted Educator

Recognition to a Fellow of the College who has demonstrated innovative, outstanding teaching characteristics and compassionate qualities and because of these attributes has made major contributions to the field of cardiovascular medicine on a local or regional level.

The recipients have been as follows:

Howard F. Warner, M.D., 2009

Distinguished Teacher

Recognition to a Fellow of the College who has demonstrated innovative, outstanding teaching characteristics and compassionate qualities and because of these attributes has made major contributions to the field of cardiovascular medicine on a national or international level.

The recipients have been as follows:

Valentin Fuster, M.D., Ph.D., 2009

Honorary Fellowship Award

This individual shall be a distinguished physician or scientist who is not a member of the College and who would not otherwise have routinely had an opportunity to pursue fellowship in the College, but whose professional performance warrants recognition by the College. A list of Honorary Fellows follows:

Per-Olof Astrand, M.D., Stockholm, Sweden
Earl E. Bakken, Minneapolis, Minnesota
Frederic C. Bartter, M.D., San Antonio, Texas
Robert Bayley, M.D., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma
Claude S. Beck, M.D., Cleveland, Ohio
Robert M. Berne, M.D., Charlottesville, Virginia
Viking O. Bjork, M.D., Stockholm, Sweden
Sir James Black, F.R.S., F.R.C.P., United Kingdom
Alfred Blalock, M.D., Baltimore, Maryland
Hermann L. Blumgart, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts
Sir Brian Barratt Boyes, KBE, MB, Ch.M., Auckland, New Zealand
Edward N. Brandt, M.D., Ph.D., Baltimore, Maryland
Lord M.S. Brock, London, England
Howard B. Burchell, M.D., St. Paul, Minnesota
Alain F. Carpentier, M.D., Ph.D., Paris, France
Francis L. Chamberlain, M.D., D.Sc., San Francisco, California
Ignacio Chavez, Mexico, D.F., Mexico
Julius H. Comroe, Jr., M.D., San Francisco, California
Andre F. Cournand, M.D., New York, New York
Clarence Crafoord, M.D., Stockholm, Sweden
Martin M. Cummings, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland
Michael Ellis DeBakey, M.D., Houston, Texas
Katherine Detre, M.D., Dr. P.H., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
David Bruce Dill, Ph.D., Boulder City, Nevada
Lee A. DuBridge, Ph.D., Laguna Hills, California
Professor Pierre Duchosal, Geneva, Switzerland
Merlin K. DuVal, M.D., Tucson, Arizona
Inge Edler, M.D., Lund, Sweden
Roger O. Egeberg, M.D., Washington, D.C.
George E. Fahr, M.D., Minneapolis, Minnesota
David J. Feild, Bethesda, Maryland
Francis M. Fontan, M.D., Bordeaux, France
Professor MUDr. Zdenek Fejfar, Dr.Sc., Prague, Czechoslovakia
Professor Cesare Frugoni, Rome, Italy
W.E. Garrey, M.D., Lexington, Kentucky
John H. Gibbon, Jr., M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Harry Goldblatt, M.D., Cleveland, Ohio
Arthur C. Guyton, M.D., Jackson, Mississippi
William F. Hamilton, Ph.D., Augusta, Georgia
Peter C. Harris, M.D., Ph.D., London, England

Tinsley R. Harrison, M.D., Birmingham, Alabama
Charles H. Hennekens, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts
George Rudolph Herrmann, M.D., Galveston, Texas
Brian F. Hoffman, M.D., New York, New York
John R. Hogness, M.D., Washington, D.C.
Louis N. Katz, M.D., Chicago, Illinois
Ralph E. Knutti, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland
Charles Laubry, M.D., Paris, France
Aubrey G. Leatham, M.B., B.Chir., F.R.C.P., London, England
Claude Lenfant, M.D., Bethesda, Maryland
Samuel A. Levine, M.D., Brookline, Massachusetts
Otto Loewi, M.D., New York, New York
Rudolph Matas, M.D., New Orleans, Louisiana
James Roscoe Miller, M.D., Evanston, Illinois
John S. Millis, Ph.D., Cleveland, Ohio
Gordon K. Moe, M.D., Ph.D., Utica, New York
Howard C. Morgan, M.D., Hershey, Pennsylvania
Seeley G. Mudd, M.D., Los Angeles, California
Franklin D. Murphy, M.D., Los Angeles, California
Michael F. Oliver, M.D., Edinburgh, Scotland
Russell Burton Opitz, M.D., New York, New York
Irvine H. Page, M.D., Hyannis Port, Massachusetts
Walter C. Randall, Ph.D., Maywood, Illinois
Professor Donald D. Reid, M.D., Ph.D., Sc.D., London, England
Mauricio B. Rosenbaum, M.D., Buenos Aires, Argentina
Robert E. Rushmer, M.D., Maywood, Illinois
John J. Sampson, M.D., San Francisco, California
John T. Shepherd, M.D., D.Sc., Rochester, Minnesota
Maurice Sokolow, M.D., San Francisco, California
Issac Starr, M.D., Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Eugene A. Stead, Jr., M.D., Durham, North Carolina
Helen Brooke Taussig, M.D., Cotuit, Massachusetts
Chen-Lang Tung, A.B., M.D., Rochester, Minnesota
Donald D. Van Slyke, M.D., Upton, New York
Marc Verstraete, M.D., Ph.D., Leuven, Belgium
Paul D. White, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts
Carl J. Wiggers, M.D., Cleveland, Ohio
Frank N. Wilson, M.D., Ann Arbor, Michigan
Andrew L. Wit, Ph.D., New York, New York
Earl H. Wood, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota

Master American College of Cardiology, M.A.C.C.

This individual will have been a dedicated fellow of the College for more than fifteen years. No more than four Master designations will be awarded each year and one of these four awards will recognize the outgoing president of the College.

Officers and Trustees of the College as individuals will be invited annually to nominate candidates for Master designation to the Awards Committee, which will make its recommendations to the Board of Trustees at its Fall meeting. The Awards Committee will not offer its own nominations and members are not eligible for Master designation while serving on the committee. The first awards were given in March 1998.

Forrest H. Adams, M.D., Rancho Santa Fe, California, 1998
Morton F. Arnsdorf, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 2001
George A. Beller, M.D., Charlottesville, Virginia, 2001
Robert O. Brandenburg, M.D., Green Valley, Arizona, 1998
Don W. Chapman, M.D., Houston, Texas, 1998
David B. Carmichael, M.D., LaJolla, California, 2001
Melvin D. Cheitlin, M.D., San Francisco, California, 2000
C. Richard Conti, M.D., Gainesville, Florida, 1998
Eliot Corday, M.D., Los Angeles, California, 1998
Anthony N. DeMaria, M.D., San Diego, California, 1998
E. Greg Dimond, M.D., Kansas City, Missouri, 1998
Leonard S. Dreifus, M.D., Heathrow, Florida, 1998
Paul A. Ebert, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 1998
Charles Fisch, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1998
Samuel M. Fox, III, M.D., Mt. Desert, Maine, 1998
Gottlieb C. Friesinger, III, M.D., Nashville, Tennessee, 2000
Robert L. Frye, M.D., Rochester, Minnesota, 1998
Arthur Garson, Jr., M.D., M.P.H., Houston, Texas, 2000
W. Proctor Harvey, M.D., District of Columbia, 1998
Aldoph M. Hutter, Jr., M.D., Madison, Wisconsin, 1998
J. Ward Kennedy, M.D., Seattle, Washington, 1998
Spencer B. King, III, M.D., Atlanta, Georgia, 1999
Francis J. Klocke, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 1998
Suzanne B. Knoebel, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1998
Donald F. Leon, M.D., District of Columbia, 1999
Richard P. Lewis, M.D., Columbus, Ohio, 1998
C. Walton Lillehei, M.D., Ph.D., St. Paul, Minnesota, 1998
B.L. Martz, M.D., Brownsburg, Indiana, 1998
Dean T. Mason, M.D., El Macero, California, 1998
Henry D. McIntosh, M.D., Lakeland, Florida, 1998
Dan G. McNamara, M.D., Houston, Texas, 1998
Joseph V. Messer, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 2001
William W. Parmley, M.D., San Francisco, California, 1998
Carl J. Pepine, M.D., Gainesville, Florida, 1998
Richard L. Popp, M.D., Palo Alto, California, 1998
Shabudin H. Rahimtoola, M.D., Los Angeles, 1999
John Ross, Jr., M.D., La Jolla, California, 1998
Pravin M. Shah, M.D., Newport Beach, California, 2000

Borys Surawicz, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1998
H.J.C. Swan, M.D., Ph.D., Pasadena, California, 1998
Daniel J. Ulyot, M.D., Burlingame, California, 1998
John H. K. Vogel, M.D., Santa Barbara, California, 1998
Sylvan Lee Weinberg, M.D., Dayton, Ohio, 1998
John F. Williams, Jr., M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 1998
William L. Winters, M.D., Houston, Texas, 1998
Melvin D. Cheitlin, M.D., San Francisco, California, 2000
Pravin M. Shah, M.D., Newport Beach, California, 2000
George A. Beller, M.D., Charlottesville, Virginia, 2001
David B. Carmichael, M.D., La Jolla, California, 2001
Joseph V. Messer, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 2001
Morton F. Arnsdorf, M.D., Chicago, Illinois, 2002
Bruce H. Brundage, M.D., Bend, Oregon, 2002
Michael A. Nocero, Jr., M.D., Orlando, Florida, 2002
Douglas P. Zipes, M.D., Indianapolis, Indiana, 2002
Thomas J. Ryan, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 2003
Costas T. Lambrew, M.D., Portland, Maine, 2004
William Roberts, M.D., D.Sc., Dallas, Texas, 2004
David J. Sahn, M.D., Portland, Oregon, 2004
L. Samuel Wann, M.D., Milwaukee, Wisconsin, 2004
Bernard A. Boal, M.D., Manhasset, New York, 2005
Eugene Braunwald, M.D., Boston, Massachusetts, 2005
Robert A. O'Rourke, M.D., San Antonio, Texas, 2005
Carl Pepine, M.D., Gainesville, Florida, 2005
Robert M. Califf, M.D., Durham, NC, 2006
Ruth L. Collins-Nakai, M.D., Alberta, Canada, 2006
Ben McCallister, M.D., Kansas City, MO, 2006
Pamela Douglas, M.D., Durham, NC, 2006
Rolf Gunnar, M.D., Hinsdale, IL, 2007
Robert Roberts, M.D., Ontario, CA, 2007
Roberta G. Williams, M.D., Los Angeles, CA, 2007
Steven E. Nissen, M.D., Cleveland, OH, 2007
Robert Bonow, M.D., Chicago, IL, 2008
Ami Iskandrian, M.D., Birmingham, AL, 2008
Mario Ruben Garcia-Palmieri, M.D., Guaynabo, PR, 2008
James T. Dove, M.D., Springfield, IL, 2008
Kim A. Eagle, M.D., Ann Arbor, MI, 2009

International Service Award

Individual who has demonstrated a commitment to medically developing or underdeveloped countries, and, through his/her benevolent actions, has provided a specific service to enhance cardiovascular care and/or education in these countries. The award should recognize service and should not be tied to leadership in the international cardiovascular community. It should not necessarily be awarded yearly, but only on an 'as appropriate' basis.

The nominees will be solicited through the standard procedures followed by the Awards Committee. The final list of nominees obtained through this solicitation will be forwarded to the International Committee who will recommend the recipient to the Awards Committee/Board of Trustees.

Henry D. McIntosh, M.D., Lakeland, Florida, 2002
Keyur H. Parikh, M.D., Ahmedabad, India, 2004
Desmond Julian, M.D., F.A.C.C., London, Great Britain, 2005
Thabet Alsheikh, M.D., F.A.C.C., Pensacola, FL, 2006
Leszek Ceremuzynski, M.D., F.A.C.C., Warsaw, Poland, 2006
Alejandro Marcelo Gomez Monroy, M.D., Buenos Aires, Argentina, 2008
Shahryar A. Sheikh, M.B.B.S., Lahore, Pakistan, 2009

Lifetime Achievement Award

Recognizes an individual who has had a lifetime of outstanding achievements in the field of cardiovascular disease and has served as a role model through service, basic or clinical research and teaching.

The recipient of this award must have had a career spanning at least 30 years. Contributions should be recognized at local, national and international levels. The award is not open to former Presidents of the ACC and precedence should be given to senior Fellows who have not received any other award.

Joseph K. Perloff, M.D., Los Angeles, CA, 2008

James S. Forrester, M.D., Los Angeles, CA, 2009

Presidential Citation Award

This individual is selected by the President of the College when there are no nominations for the Honorary Fellowship Award. The nomination is approved by the Awards Committee and the Board of Trustees.

Anthony N. DeMaria, M.D., M.A.C.C., San Diego, CA, 2007

Mark B. McClellan, M.D., Ph.D., Washington, DC, 2008
