

DISTINGUISHED AWARDEES

THE ACC DISTINGUISHED AWARDS WERE ESTABLISHED
TO RECOGNIZE OUTSTANDING INDIVIDUALS MAKING CONTRIBUTIONS
TO THE CARDIOVASCULAR PROFESSION.

On the pages that follow, you will find citations describing the contributions made by each of this year's awardees.

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