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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Annapoorna S. Kini, MBBS, FACC
New York, NY

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James A. de Lemos, MD, FACC
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Dhanunjaya R. Lakkireddy, MBBS, FACC
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INTERNATIONAL SERVICE AWARD
Jagat Narula, MD, DM, PhD, MACC
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Distinguished Scientist Award (Basic Domain)
Andrew L. Wit, PhD, FACC
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Distinguished Scientist Award (Clinical Domain)
Jeroen J. Bax, MD, PhD, FACC
Leiden, Netherlands

Distinguished Scientist Award (Translational Domain)
Benjamin D. Levine, MD, FACC
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Douglas P. Zipes
Distinguished Young Scientist Award
Carlo R. Bartoli, MD, PhD
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Leadership in Women’s CV Disease Award
Leslee J. Shaw, PhD, FACC
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Pamela S. Douglas
Distinguished Award for Leadership in Diversity & Inclusion
Pamela S. Douglas, MD, MACC
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Lifetime Achievement Award
Charles Antzelevitch, PhD, FACC
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