

HFTP International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame

Innovative developments and applications in technology have propelled the hospitality industry forward, enhancing guest services and improving management tools. These developments were the result of hard work and creative thinking by a few people who had the vision to see what technology could mean to the future of the hospitality industry. These pioneers knew that new tools could be developed that would change forever the way their industry responded to challenges.

In recognition of these visionaries and their impact on the hospitality industry, Hospitality Financial and Technology Professionals established the International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame in 1989.

The International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame is HFTP's highest level of recognition in the area of technology. Since 1989, 36 individuals have received this award as a reflection of their contributions to the hospitality industry. Hall of Fame members have been selected by their peers as representing the best in innovation and application and as leaders in their profession.

Nomination-at-a-Glance

Nomination Deadline: April 18, 2016

Supporting Material Deadline: April 29, 2016

Material Accepted: Nomination support materials may be submitted to HFTP as electronic files or hard copies. All items will be converted to PDFs for delivery to the Hall of Fame Selection Committee.

Eligibility

To be eligible for induction into the HFTP International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame, an individual must have made significant and lasting contributions to hospitality technology in any or all of the following areas:

- **Development**
Developed a product or service that has significantly improved the industry.
- **Application**
Through the successful application of technology, advanced the industry and improved guest service.
- **Promotion**
Through his or her promotional efforts, significantly expanded the role technology has played in the hospitality industry.

Nomination

You may nominate one individual for induction into the HFTP International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame by sending a nomination letter or the form to HFTP by April 18, 2016.

Selection

The Hall of Fame recipient is selected by a distinguished panel of technology experts and HFTP leaders.

Presentation

The honoree will be inducted at HITEC 2016 in New Orleans, La.

Supporting Nomination Material

Nominees are asked to submit a resumé or biographical sketch outlining their accomplishments in the hospitality technology field, along with two letters of recommendation from individuals who have a firsthand knowledge of the nominee's qualifications. The materials submitted must include:

- Examples of technology products or services the nominee has developed, enhanced or applied to advance the industry;
- Leadership roles the nominee has held in businesses, professional associations or other organizations that have promoted the use of technology in the industry;
- Specific examples of what the nominee's work has meant to the industry in terms of productivity, efficiency and lasting change;
- The period(s) of time in which the nominee made these contributions; and
- In the letters of reference, thoughts about the nominee's professional integrity, stature and leadership abilities above and beyond the specific contributions listed above.

Deadline: Support material will be accepted up to **April 27**, one week after the nomination deadline.

Format: Material must be submitted as an electronic file. All items will be converted to PDFs for delivery to the Selection Council.

For more information or questions, contact the HFTP Director of Communications at publications@hftp.org, +1 (512) 220-4026 or (800) 646-4387.

Submit material to: HFTP • 11709 Boulder Ln, Ste 110 • Austin, TX 78726 or by e-mail to publications@hftp.org.

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Nomination Form

Deadline: April 18, 2016

I wish to nominate the following individual to be considered for induction into the HFTP International Hospitality Technology Hall of Fame.

Along with this nomination form, the nominee should submit supporting material by April 29 (see page 1 of this form for details). All nomination materials must be nonreturnable since they are kept on record for three years.

Please send materials to:

HFTP

11709 Boulder Ln, Ste 110

Austin, TX 78726

-OR-

E-mail: publications@hftp.org

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Nominee's Name _____

Title _____

Firm _____

Address _____

City _____ State/Prov. _____

Zip/Postal _____ Country _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

E-mail _____

Nominated by: _____

Nominator's Phone and E-mail: _____

Signature _____ Date _____

Note: It is possible that in a given year none of the nominees will receive the number of votes required to be inducted into the Hall of Fame. No more than two individuals will be inducted into the Hall of Fame annually.

Nominations are valid for three years. Any nominations received after the deadline will be considered for next year's program.