

## Clyde McCarthy Spirit of NACE

The Clyde McCarthy Spirit of NACE Award recognizes a NACE Boston member whose commitment and compassion towards humanitarianism makes a profound and recognizable impact. This individual represents the "Spirit of NACE". This award is named in memory of NACE Boston member Clyde McCarthy, a founding member of the New England Chapter of NACE who served as Chapter President from 1987 to 1989, Chapter Secretary from 1992 to 1993 and Chapter Treasurer from 1993 to 1995. Clyde was named an honorary citizen by the Massachusetts House of Representatives in 1989 for his outstanding service and contributions to the catering industry. In 1996 he received an Honorable Lifetime NACE Membership. Clyde was the quintessential NACE member, dedicated to his chapter and the national organization through leadership.

### **Section 1:** Nominee's Contribution to NACE Boston and the catering and events industry - 70 points max

- How long has nominee been a member of NACE?
  - o 1-4 years – ineligible
  - o 5-8 years – 2 pts
  - o 8-12 years – 3 pts
  - o 12+ years – 5 pts
- Evidence of the nominee's involvement, volunteerism, and humanitarianism - 20 points; maximum 1,000 words
- Describe lifetime volunteerism and humanitarianism in nominee's community (industry and/or personal contributions) - 10 points
- Describe demonstrated mentoring and passion for the catering and events profession (speaking at non-NACE conferences, teaching classes, articles written, etc.) - 10 points
- Upload list of local NACE chapter and NACE national boards and committees, including position and year.
  - o Local Board committee chairs held, 1 point per year; maximum 10 points
  - o Local Elected Offices held, 1 point per year; maximum 5 points
  - o National Committee or Sub-Committee member: 1 point per position, per year; maximum 5 points
  - o National Board Member or Elected CLC Term: 1 point per year, maximum 5 points



*Note: CLC Chair gets credit for only one of the two, since service to the board is the function of that position.*

- Describe the candidate's impact on NACE
- Chapter Impact: A statement describing what way(s) the nominee has had significant impact on chapter success, in ways unrelated to holding office or committee positions. 5 points; maximum 1,000 words
- National Impact: A statement describing what way(s) the nominee has had significant impact on chapter success and/or NACE national success, in ways unrelated to holding national office or committee positions. 5 points, maximum 1,000 words
- Upload list of speaking engagements at leadership conferences and/or NACE national conferences. 1 point per instance, maximum 5 points
- Provide a testimonial from the nominee describing how NACE has personally and professionally impacted their life. 10 points; maximum 2,000 words

## **Section 2: Supporting Material - Total 30 points**

- List major local or national honors or awards received by year (business, industry, or community service, accepted). 10 points maximum, 2 points per instance
- Upload incidences of public press coverage including NACE newsletters, etc. 10 points maximum, 1 point per item
- Upload information supporting the nominee's activities. Include items such as letters of recommendation from industry professionals, letters of recommendation from letters from beneficiary or related parties, and photos 10 points maximum, 2 points per item

**Should you or this person win this award, please provide us with comments you would like to share with the audience about yourself or this person.**

**Please provide us with what information should be listed on the award plate.**

**Photo of the nominee (in a .jpeg format)**

**All applications for the Boston Chapter Awards are due on April 1st, 2021**

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