

ICRI 2014 PERSONAL AWARDS

ICRI DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

The Distinguished Service Award was instituted 2 years ago to recognize significant actions or activities which, at the local chapter level or the national level, have generated a positive influence on the health and mission of the Institute. It recognizes anyone who provides “service above self” at any level of the organization. The Distinguished Service award nomination can be submitted by a local chapter or a national committee. Submissions are now being accepted for candidates for the 2015 Distinguished Service Award. For an application, contact ICRI headquarters.



DANIS LONGPRE

Danis Longpre was nominated by the Quebec Province Chapter for his dedication and service to ICRI Quebec Province Chapter over the past 5 years. Among many reasons the Chapter cites: Longpre is a doer and an organizer who has volunteered countless hours over the past 5 years as Treasurer of the Chapter during which time it grew from 45 to more than 100 members; he also handles all items associated with Chapter meetings from arranging the venues to collecting fees; Longpre promotes and manages the sale of technical guidelines as well as maintains an inventory of surface profile chips for the Chapter members; he has attended all local Board meetings in the past 5 years, often sitting in for an Officer in their absence; and he has been the chapter delegate at a national convention. In summary, Longpre is an invaluable member of the Quebec Province Chapter and he is committed to the mission and values of ICRI. He is a true volunteer and the type of member that any chapter would be lucky to have on their team.

FELLOWS

Being named an ICRI Fellow is recognition of an individual’s long-term, devoted, and enthusiastic service to ICRI. An ICRI Fellow is responsible for many noteworthy contributions to ICRI and the concrete repair industry in general. Criteria for nomination is based on the following: outstanding contributions to the production or use of concrete repair materials, products, or structures in the areas of education, research, development, design, construction, or management; an individual shall have been an ICRI member for 5 consecutive years. Nominations are currently being accepted for 2015. For an application, contact ICRI headquarters or visit the Awards section of the ICRI website.



H. PETER GOLTER

Peter Golter has been a tireless contributor for 20 years, committed to both technical and administrative committees. He has been a member of four different local ICRI chapters, being active wherever his job took him. He has volunteered on a number of ICRI committees including Committee 150, ICRI Notes on ACI 562 Code Requirements; 160, Sustainability; the Meetings and Convention Committee; and the Publications Committee. He served as Chair of Committee 170, Coatings and Waterproofing. Golter has also contributed countless technical presentations and articles on a variety of topics at ICRI events as well as other industry organizations. As a member of the ICRI Technical Activities Committee (TAC), Golter took his volunteerism to the next level. In addition to comprehensive and detailed technical reviews, he volunteered to develop the process to request and select technical session speakers when TAC was assigned the responsibility for technical sessions several years ago. Golter has done this so well, he has not been allowed to give up this task, even though he has moved off TAC. We now typically have more speakers than time will allow and the quality of presentations has improved under Golter’s leadership. Simply put, ICRI has benefited from Golter’s technical expertise, numerous contributions, and commitment to on-going improvement over many years.



BETH NEWBOLD

Beth Newbold has been a very active member of ICRI for 17 years, both in administrative and technical roles. At the Chapter level, she has been active in the Pittsburgh Chapter, where amongst many contributions she served as Chapter President. Nationally, her dedicated service has included time on the ICRI Board of Directors and several years on the ICRI Executive Committee as Treasurer of the Institute. During her time on the Executive Committee, Newbold was a key contributor and the driving force behind the updating of the ICRI By-Laws and Policy Manual. She served several years as the Chair of the ICRI Chapters Committee where she helped develop and update the ICRI Chapter Organization Guide and Policies, and create the same Guide for the new Student Chapters that began to develop during her term. In the technical arena she made substantial contributions in the production of 4 Technical Guidelines and 2 White Papers in the areas of surface preparation and safety. Through her many years of results-oriented and committed service, Newbold’s business acumen and communication skills have been crucial to the operational improvement and growth of ICRI.