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To: ASNR *Senior* Members

**SUBJECT: Call for ASNR Gold Medal Nominations**

The Gold Medal Award Committee is currently requesting nominations from *Senior* members, for the award to be presented at the 2010 ASNR Annual Meeting in Boston, Massachusetts. The ASNR Gold Medal Award was established in 1995 to recognize individuals who have made exceptional contributions to the field of Neuroradiology. Following are the past recipients:

1995 – Drs. Hans Newton and Juan Taveras  
1996 – Drs. Sadek Hilal and Giovanni Di Chiro  
1997 – Dr. Derek Harwood-Nash  
1998 – Drs. Irvin Kricheff and Gordon Potts  
1999 – Drs. Michael Huckman and Grant Hieshima  
2000 – Dr. Hillier L. “Bud” Baker, Jr.  
2001 – Drs. O. Wayne Houser and J. Arliss Pollock  
2002 – Drs. David O. Davis and R. Thomas Bergeron  
2003 – Drs. Norman E. Leeds and Anne G. Osborn  
2004 – Drs. Stephen A. Kieffer and E. Ralph Heinz  
2005 – Dr. Samuel M. Wolpert  
2006 – Drs. R. Nick Bryan and Charles Kerber  
2007 – Dr. Robert M. Quencer  
2008 – Dr. Robert R. Lukin  
2009 – Dr. Glenn S. Forbes

Please review the criteria on the following page, and forward your nomination to the Gold Medal Award Committee via the Awards Coordinator, Bonnie Mack, as an e-mail attachment ([bmack@asnr.org](mailto:bmack@asnr.org)). **The deadline for nominations is *October 23, 2009*.** We prefer that candidates are not aware of their nomination, but it is helpful if a copy of the candidate’s C/V accompanies the nomination.

Sincerely,

John R. Hesselink, M.D., FACR  
*President, ASNR*

James M. Provenzale, M.D.  
*Chair, Gold Medal Award Committee*

(See the following page for *Criteria*)



## ***ASNR Gold Medal Award Criteria***

**PURPOSE:** The Gold Medal is intended to foster the highest standards of the American Society of Neuroradiology, recognizing exceptional service and achievement. The Medal is awarded on the basis of both professional and personal excellence, honoring individuals who are superb neuroradiologists, scientists, and/or physicians, and who also are truly outstanding people. Recipients will have consistently extended themselves beyond self-interest to make contributions that have benefited our entire field.

**CANDIDATES:** Individuals who are clinicians, researchers, teachers, or neuroradiological statesmen and stateswomen may be considered for the Gold Medal. Candidates are *not* required to be members of the American Society of Neuroradiology. Nominees should have made extra-ordinary contributions to enhance the development and/or stature of neuroradiology, including service to the Society.

**NOMINATIONS:** any *Senior* member of the Society may submit nominations, as follows:

- ◆ Nominations *must* be sent by e-mail to the Gold Medal Award Committee via Bonnie Mack, Awards Coordinator, at [bmack@asnr.org](mailto:bmack@asnr.org). On the subject line of the e-mail, indicate: Gold Medal Award Nomination. Attach your nomination letter (and CV, if available) as a Word or pdf document. Be sure to provide the qualifications of the candidate *in detail*. **The deadline for nominations is *October 23, 2009*.**
- ◆ Confidentiality is *essential*. If possible, the candidate should *not* be aware of his/her nomination.

**EXCLUSIONS:** Current Officers of the Society, members of the Executive Committee, and members of the Gold Medal Award Committee are ineligible for nomination. The Medal will *not* be awarded posthumously, unless a candidate dies after having been selected.

The Gold Medal Award Committee will recommend up to two candidates to the Executive Committee, which will determine any Gold Medal Award by majority vote.

**PRESENTATION OF THE AWARD:** ASNR's President, John R. Hesselink, M.D. FACR, will award the Gold Medal(s) at the Annual Scientific Meeting in Boston, May 15-20, 2010.