

Intermodal Association of North America

Chairman's Award

Definition

The Chairman's Award is intended to recognize exceptional contributions of an individual or individuals who have rendered meritorious service to the Association.

Frequency

The IANA Chairman and Board of Directors may choose not to offer this award in any given year, in the event that no appropriate candidates are identified. This is intended not to be an annual award but granted by the IANA Board of Directors based upon the Association's recognition of commendable contributions.

Candidate Criteria

This award is made to an individual or individuals based upon:

- Meritorious contribution to the Association.
- Exemplary staff service to the Association.
- Long-standing voluntary service to the Association.
- Past or present membership in IANA is required, or in the case of staff service, past or present employment by the Association.

Nomination/Selection Process

- 1. Any member of the IANA Board of Directors may nominate an individual or individuals for the Chairman's Award. All nominations must be submitted through the Chairman's Award Nomination Form and include the name of the nominating Board member, the nominated individual, and a description of the reasons for the nomination.
- 2. A call for nominations for the Chairman's Award will be distributed to the Board of Directors in advance of its Spring meeting. The Board will review and consider any nominations that have been submitted at the Spring IANA Board Meeting. Nominations can also be offered during the meeting.
- 3. The award recipient must receive a simple majority vote of the Board where a quorum is present.
- 4. The Chairman's Award will be presented at IANA's Intermodal EXPO. The Association will announce the award winner in advance of EXPO.