CoPS 2021 Safety Professional of the Year Awards

Individual Community SPY

This award promotes excellence and service by Practice Specialty (PS) and Common Interest Group (CIG) members.

**Eligibility:** All individual PS/CIG members in good standing. Each PS/CIG is encouraged to have a recipient for this annual award. **Current PS/CIG Administrators are not eligible** to receive a SPY award from their respective community.

**Judging:** Each PS/CIG awards committee, will evaluate their candidates and identify the recipient for their community. When the recipient is selected, the community should use the online form (link below) to notify ASSP Communities Staff.

**Selection should be based on:**
- Demonstrated Knowledge and Expertise
- PS/CIG and/or ASSP Activities
- Professional Contributions
- Leadership/Management

[Individual PS or CIG SPY Recipient Notification Form](#)

Please note – this is NOT a nomination form. This form is to notify staff who you have selected to receive the SPY award from your community.

**Deadline:** March 15, 2021.

Nomination for the Council on Practices and Standards SPY Award

Each community is encouraged to nominate a member for the Council on Practices and Standards (CoPS) SPY Award. This award recognizes a safety professional’s achievement within CoPS and pays tribute to their outstanding accomplishments in these areas.

The recipient receives a $500 cash award and an appropriate memento. The Council will also consider nominating the recipient for the Society’s annual Edgar Monsanto Queeny Safety Professional of the Year Award the following year. The CoPS Awards and Honors Committee Chair must submit the appropriate application for the Council nominee to be considered for the annual Edgar Monsanto Queeny Safety Professional of the Year Award.

**Eligibility:** Any Practice Specialty or Common Interest Group member in good standing except for the current members of the CoPS Awards and Honors Committee.

**Rules:** Each PS/CIG is encouraged to nominate a single individual for the award each year. Nominations for the CoPS Council SPY Award shall be [submitted online](#).
Judging: The following categories will be evaluated:
- Demonstrated Knowledge and Expertise
- Practice Specialty/Common Interest Group/ASSP Activities
- Professional Contributions and Accomplishments
- Leadership/Management

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The CoPS Awards and Honors Committee will review the nominations and select the recipient no later than April 1st of each year. Notification to the CoPS Vice President and staff liaison will be made in writing by the CoPS Awards and Honors Committee Chair.

Individual Community SPY awards and the Council SPY award will be presented at the ASSP Awards and Honors presentation (date TBD).

You may also consider nominating a member for one of ASSP’s other awards including:

- Honor of Fellow
- Thomas F. Bresnahan Standards Medal
- Charles V. Culbertson Outstanding Volunteer Service Award
- Emerging Professional Award
- ASSP Safety Professional of the Year Award
- Outstanding Safety Educator Award

Details on all ASSP Awards can be found online.