Roger S. Goldberg Award – Request for Nominations

In preparation for the 2022 FSEMC, we are pleased to request nominations for the Roger S. Goldberg Award to be presented during the FSEMC Opening Session on October 17, 2022.

Roger Goldberg was an Embry Riddle Aeronautical University graduate who joined ARINC in 1987. He served as FSEMC Executive Secretary from the FSEMC’s inception in 1994. Roger was a man of great energy and passion, not only in life, but in his belief that the FSEMC was one of the greatest tools the flight simulation industry has to promote safety and integrity in the aviation business. To know Roger was to know that he “lived, ate, and breathed” all things FSEMC.

Essential character traits for the award:

Extraordinary Ideas – Outstanding Service – Endless Passion

Since 2006, the Roger S. Goldberg Award has been presented to an outstanding member of the flight simulator community.

To submit a nomination, please think about a person who has impressed you by exhibiting and exemplifying these characteristics—in the true spirit that would honor Roger’s memory.

Next, using the nomination form at http://www.aviation-ia.com/FSEMC/upcoming/index.html Please complete and submit your candidate prior to the July 10, 2019 deadline.

Mr. Nigel Sargent
Alaska Airlines
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Each year, ARINC Industry Activities encourages nominations for the award prior to the annual FSEMC. The inscription on the award simply states those characteristics which Roger offered to us all: Extraordinary Ideas, Outstanding Service, and Endless Passion. This award recognizes the individual in the FSEMC community who, like Roger, exhibits the same characteristics of outstanding personal service and exemplifies the true heart and soul of FSEMC—an FSEMC Most Valuable Player (MVP).

RSG AWARD CRITERIA

The Roger S. Goldberg award is intended to recognize an individual in the FSEMC community for the qualities that Roger possessed. The key phrase is “the spirit of the FSEMC”. This definition puts more emphasis on both attitude and contributions. This interpretation leads back to the terms:

Extraordinary Ideas – Problem focused or process focused, the ideas should positively affect others. They should be ideas that can and are adopted by others by positive influence derived from earned respect.

Outstanding Service – Selfless drive, team focus, and a genuine need to help others. Continuous process of seeking feedback, adjusting performance, and exceeding all expectations and standards.

Endless Passion – Related to the other criteria, this trait is a result of genuine dreams, hopes, and wishes for a successful industry. MVP: motives, values, and principles. Principles drive values, and values form the structure of motives. Positive motives drive emotion, and emotion drives motion.
Roger S. Goldberg Award Presented at FSEMC

2019 – Mike Johnson
Sim-Expert Group Utrecht, Netherlands

2018 – Nigel Sargent
Las Colinda, Texas

2017 – John Smith
Asian ATR Training Center
Memphis, Tennessee

2015 – Kip Caudrey
The Boeing Company
Miami, Florida

2014 – Shigeru Otomo
All Nippon Airways
Tulsa, Oklahoma

2013 – Alain Brault
Airbus
Tróia, Portugal

2012 – Sam Buckwalter
ARINC Industry Activities
Dallas, Texas

2010 – Dieter Bunge
Lufthansa Flight Training
Brighton, England

2009 – Ted Weiss
The Boeing Company
Cairo, Egypt
2008 – Lars Gran
Oxford Aviation Academy
Salt Lake City, Utah

2007 – Bob Glenn
The Boeing Company
Montreal, Quebec

2006 – Roger S. Goldberg
ARINC Industry Activities
(Awarded Posthumously)