



2007 Program Awards Information

The 2007 Laureate and Gala Awards Ceremonies promise to be among the largest and most diverse gatherings of information technology innovators in recent Program history. The number of Laureates in this year's class has grown significantly, thanks in large part to the hard work of our Program Search Directors, and the enthusiasm of 19 new Chairmen Committee members who have joined with us to identify and honor those who are leveraging technology to improve our world.

The Laureate Medal Ceremony and the Gala Awards Evening will occur on the same day, June 4, 2007, at the historic Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium on Constitution Avenue in Washington, D.C.

If you are among the elite to have received an invitation to these ceremonies, read on for information designed to make your planning process as easy as possible.

Laureate Medal Ceremony

Will begin promptly at noon at the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium. This is an approximately 90-minute agenda and medal ceremony where each 2007 Laureate will receive their Gold Medal formally on stage. You may invite guests to the Noon Laureate's Ceremony, but all guests will need to be pre-registered and approved prior to the event. Registration begins at 10:30am and closes at 11:30am. One representative from the organization is considered "the Laureate."

Gala Awards Evening

This is a black tie event starting at 6:00pm at the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium. The evening features a full program of presentations, announcement of the annual Leadership Awards, announcement of the 50 Finalists for 2007 (5 in each of 10 categories of nomination), and the finale of individual presentations to the Honoree in each category of the 21st Century Achievement Award. The evening program includes a cocktail reception, an elegant dinner, program and entertainment.

As a 2007 Laureate, you will receive one complimentary ticket for yourself for the evening program. Should you wish to have someone accompany you to the event, please contact our Program Director, Sandy Weill, for approval, sandy_weill@cwhonors.org.

Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium

This building is a masterpiece of American architecture, and a magnificent setting for the Program's 2007 ceremonies. Those attending should visit mellonauditorium.com to explore the building's history, photographs, and to find directions while staying in the Washington D.C. metro area. The address is 1301 Constitution Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20407

Washington D.C. Travel & Tourism Information

The closest airport to the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium is the Ronald Reagan National Airport. Visit metwashairports.com for more information on this airport and other D.C.-area airports.

Once you have arrived in Washington D.C., there are a number of public transportation options including the capital's Metro system. For schedules and maps go to www.wmata.com.

Other transportation options available at the historic Union Station can be explored at www.unionstationdc.com/transportation.asp.

And for ideas on what to see and do during your D.C. stay, visit the official Tourism Site at www.washington.org.

19th Annual Laureate Medal Ceremony and Gala Awards Evening

*Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium
Monday, June 4, 2007*

12:00pm Laureate Medal Ceremony

6:00pm Gala Awards Cocktails

7:00pm Gala Dinner

8:00pm Program begins



Outside the Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium

Hotels

We have compiled a list of suggested hotels; however, there is no "official" hotel of the Computerworld Honors Program. All attendees are responsible for making their own hotel and travel accommodations.

THE HAY ADAMS
16th and H Streets, N.W.
One Lafayette Square
Washington, D.C. 20006
Telephone: 202.638.6600
hayadams.com

JW MARRIOTT HOTEL
1331 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20004
Telephone: 202.393.2000
marriott.com/property/propertypage.mi?marshaCode=WASJW

THE HENLEY PARK HOTEL
926 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20001
Telephone: 202.414.0503/638.5200
henleypark.com

MORRISON-CLARK INN
Massachusetts Avenue and Eleventh Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20001
Telephone: 202.898.1200/800.332.7898
morrisonclark.com

HOTEL MONACO WASHINGTON DC
700 F Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20004
Telephone: 800.649.1202/202.628.7177
monaco-dc.com

MARRIOTT AT METRO CENTER
775 12th Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20005
Telephone: 1-202-737-2200
marriott.com/property/propertypage/WASMC

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Press Credentials

Media interested in receiving press credentials for The 2007 Computerworld Honors Laureate Medal Ceremony and Gala Awards Evening taking place on June 4, 2007 at The Andrew W. Mellon Auditorium in Washington, D.C., or honorees seeking public relations information about the program, please contact Topaz Partners' Bill Wrinn at 781-404-2417 or bwinn@topazpartners.com.