

GUIDELINES FOR NOMINATION APPROVAL, AND HOSTING THE PLENARY LECTURER

CORROSION 2020 PLENARY LECTURE NOMINATION

DEADLINE: JANUARY 14, 2019

The Plenary Lecture is sponsored each year during NACE International's Annual Conference by the Technical Coordination Committee (TCC). The purpose of the lecture is to provide a forum in which a lecturer can discuss freely how the fundamental concepts in corrosion technology can be used to resolve practical corrosion problems.

CRITERIA FOR LECTURER

The following criteria should be considered in nominating a candidate to be considered for the Plenary Lecturer:

- (a) Candidate must address the use of fundamental concepts in the resolution of practical corrosion problems confronting the industrial community.
- (b) Candidate must represent an area of corrosion expertise that would be of interest to a broad section of the NACE membership.
- (c) Candidate must be proficient in the use of the English language and be an effective speaker.
- (d) Candidate's lecture should provide information not readily available to the general NACE membership or should be an effective review of literature and/or information that would not normally be done by an individual in his study or survey of a specific corrosion work area. The lecture must be no longer than 30 minutes. A written paper is requested for publication by NACE. The paper should be submitted to NACE Headquarters within 30 days following the lecture.

NOMINATING PROCEDURE

Any committee of the Technical and Research Activities Committee (TRAC) may nominate a person to be considered as a Plenary Lecturer. The nomination must be submitted in writing to the chair of the Annual Conference Program Committee (ACPC) with a copy to papers@nace.org at NACE International Headquarters. Nominations are considered during the ACPC spring meeting for the Annual Conference the following year. A nominee should NOT be aware of his/her nomination before he/she is notified of his/her selection.

The written nomination must give the following information:

- (a) Name, address, and phone number of nominee.
- (b) Nominee's technical qualifications (background data) that make him/her an excellent candidate.
- (c) Proposed topic or area that candidate would be asked to cover.

At the spring meeting of the ACPC (approximately one year in advance), a minimum of three candidates will be named. If fewer than three nominations have been received from the TRAC, the ACPC should be prepared to nominate additional candidates. **The nominating committee is expected to have a representative at this ACPC meeting to discuss the qualifications of its nominee.** The ACPC shall select at this meeting its recommendations for the No. 1, No. 2, and No. 3 candidates for solicitation. The ACPC Chair shall report its selection to the TCC at its next meeting.

NOTIFICATION TO CANDIDATE

NACE Headquarters shall write the lecturer, over the TCC chair's signature, formally asking the lecturer to present the Plenary Lecture. The lecturer will be advised that NACE awards a \$1,000 honorarium with this honor. NACE Headquarters will be responsible for the Plenary Lecturer's receipt of the honorarium and will assist in hotel reservations.

The TCC chair's letter to the lecturer shall request that the title and a brief abstract of the proposed Plenary Lecture be submitted as quickly as possible so that advance publicity can be prepared. A recent photograph and biographical sketch of the lecturer will also be requested. The lecturer will be advised that a written paper is requested for publication, and this should be submitted to NACE Headquarters within 30 days after the conference.

PLENARY LECTURE PUBLICITY

NACE Headquarters shall be responsible for planning and following up on a promotional campaign covering the Plenary Lecture, using every appropriate media to promote the Plenary Lecture and the individual involved.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF HOST COMMITTEE

The vice chair of the STG or other committee from which the candidate was nominated is to act as host (or is responsible for naming a host) for the Plenary Lecturer during the conference.

The TCC chair will be responsible for introducing the lecture by explaining the purpose and history of the lecture and will then introduce the person who will actually introduce the Plenary Lecturer (host or other appropriate person from host committee). Introductions should be brief but effective. The person selected to introduce the lecturer (and to thank the speaker following the lecture) will be named by the committee that nominated the lecturer. This person should be familiar with the lecturer and with his/her work in the field of corrosion. NACE Headquarters will generate a letter of thanks to the lecturer.

NOMINATION FORM FOR PLENARY LECTURER **Deadline: January 14, 2019**

Please provide the information needed below and return to the ACPC Chair, Dharma Abayarathna, with a copy to NACE staff via e-mail papers@nace.org by January 14, 2019.

1. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ **Fax** _____

2. List the technical qualifications (background data) that make the nominee an excellent candidate as Plenary Lecturer:

3. Proposed topic or area that candidate would be asked to cover:

Nominating Committee: _____

Signature of Committee Chair

Date: _____