

Congratulations to all our 2018 nominees and winners!

Special Thanks

Field Reviewers*

Claudia Dant, Wabash County

Besty Glenn, Salvation Army Museum

Rebecca Herz, Peoria Children's Playhouse Museum

Alan Lowe, ALPLM

Kyle Mathers, First Division Museum

Lorna Shuman, Illinois State Museum

David Sokol, UIC

Douglas Stapleton, Illinois State Museum

Lance Tawzer, Naper Settlement

Keith Ulrich, Swedish American Museum

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Awards Committee

Jeanne Schultz Angel, Nineteenth Century Club

Claudia Dant, Wabash County Museum

Betsy Glenn, Salvation Army Museum

Alan Lowe, ALPLM

*We ask for your forgiveness in any
errors or omissions. Thanks!*

2018 Awards Presentation

NATURAL HISTORY
PLANETARIUMS
ARCHITECTURE
BLACK HISTORY
NATURE CENTERS
ETHNIC MUSEUMS
HISTORIC CEMETERIES
CONTEMPORARY ART
MILITARY MUSEUMS
HISTORIC THEATERS
PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARIES
CHILDREN'S MUSEUMS
HISTORIC LANDMARKS
CONSERVATION INSTITUTES
SCIENCE AND INDUSTRY
UNIVERSITY MUSEUMS
HISTORICAL SOCIETIES
CULTURAL CENTERS
SPORTS MUSEUMS
BOTANIC GARDENS
LIVING HISTORY
HISTORIC SITES
MODERN ART
ARBORETUMS
AQUARIUMS
FOLK ART
ARCHIVES
HISTORY
DESIGN
ZOOS
ART

October 4, 2018

IAM Annual Awards Presentation

Thursday, October 4, 2018

7:30pm

Welcome

7:45pm

Awards Presentation

Anniversary and Service

Best Practices

Distinction

8:45pm

Closing Remarks

**Special thanks goes to the Kidzeum of Health
and Science for the use of their space.**



Awards of Distinction

Volunteer of the Year

Patricia Poskocil

Lombard Historical Society

Graduate Student of the Year

Carmin Berchiolly

Northern Illinois University

Small Institution of the Year

The Historical Society of Oak Park
and River Forest

Large Institution of the Year

Chicago Zoological Society

Leader Institution of the Year

Illinois State Museum

EXHIBITS

Award of Merit

Batavia Depot Museum

Our Food is Fighting

(not present)

Jack Olson Gallery

Rise: Symbols of Protest

DuPage County Historical Museum

1917: Catalyst for the Modern Era

NIU Art Museum

Across Space and Time

Award of Excellence

DeKalb County History Center

Adventures To and From Sycamore

Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library & Museum

From Illinois to the White House

Geneva History Museum

Geneva's Architecture

Museum of the Grand Prairie

1968: A Time for Every Purpose

Krannert Art Museum, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

World on the Horizon

Superior Achievement

DuPage Children's Museum

Art Is Instrumental

Anniversary and Service Awards

Lifetime Volunteer Award

Jan Dressel

The Historical Society of Oak Park
and River Forest

Golden Anniversary of 50 Years

The Historical Society of Oak Park
and River Forest

Aurora Regional Fire Museum

Museum of the Grand Prairie

Platinum Anniversary of 75 Years

Geneva History Museum

Award of Best Practices

VIRTUAL MATERIALS

Award of Merit

The Historical Society of Oak Park and River Forest
The 24/7 Museum Website

Award of Excellence

Bartlett History Museum
March Matchness
(not present)

Superior Achievement

McLean County Museum of History
Social Justice Walking Tour

SPECIAL PROJECTS

Award of Excellence

St. Charles History Museum
January Shutdown

Elmhurst History Museum
Snoopypalooza

Elgin History Museum
Dairies to Prairies

CONSERVATION/COLLECTIONS

Award of Excellence

Bess Bower Dunn Museum of Lake County
Collections Care and Storage Facility

Lombard Historical Society/Sheldon Peck Homestead
Structural Foundation Project

PRINTED MATERIALS

Award of Merit

Jack Olson Gallery
Rise: Symbols of Protest

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING

Award of Merit

Jurica-Suchy Nature Museum at Benedictine University
Darwin Day
(not present)

McLean County Museum of History
Evergreen Memorial Cemetery Walk

Award of Excellence

Museum of the Grand Prairie
From Civil War to Civil Rights

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

Award of Merit

Illinois State Museum-Dickson Mounds
The Emiquon Partnership

Award of Excellence

Batavia Depot Museum
Preservation Week
(not present)

Superior Achievement

McLean County Museum of History
Futures in History Camp