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ACS Division of Chemical Technicians, Inc.

2009 National Chemical Technician Award

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

The Award The 2009 National Chemical Technician Award (NCTA) will be presented to a chemical technician demonstrating an extremely high degree of professionalism. The award will consist of a trip for the winner and a guest to the Spring American Chemical Society National Meeting; March 22-26, 2009, Salt Lake City, UT. Additionally, the awardee will receive a \$1000.00 honorarium and a dinner will be held in their honor in Salt Lake City.

Qualifications The nominee must be currently employed as a chemical technician, and must have worked as a chemical technician for a minimum of five years. Nominees do not need to be an ACS member. The ACS defines a chemical technician as a person whose training includes successful completion of a two-year post high school level chemistry curriculum leading to an Associate degree, or the equivalent course work in a Baccalaureate program, or the equivalent knowledge gained by experience. The primary work of a chemical technician is conducting experimentation and/or correlating information to help solve chemical problems and/or discover new chemical knowledge. Chemical Process technicians are also encouraged to participate.

Criteria Candidates will be evaluated using the following criteria:

1. TECHNICAL ACHIEVEMENTS (worth 60%)
2. OTHER (Considered together to make up the remaining 40%)
 - LEADERSHIP/MENTORING
 - PUBLICATIONS
 - EXTERNAL PUBLICATIONS, PRESENTATIONS, PATENTS
 - INTERNAL PRESENTATIONS, PUBLICATIONS
 - CONTRIBUTION TO QUALITY, SAFETY, AND OTHER INITIATIVES
 - AWARDS
 - PROFESSIONAL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Submissions A completed candidate form and at least one letter of nomination are required. Nomination packets, six pages or less, must be received by Tullienne Molaire, contact information below, no later than September 26th, 2008. If you need further information, also contact Tullienne.

Administration The NCTA award is administered by the Division of Chemical Technicians (TECH) of the American Chemical Society. TECH sincerely thanks Eastman Chemical Company for their sponsorship of this award.

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