

Air Force Leaders

I am very proud to announce the winners of the 2010 A1 Awards Program. The competition was fierce, and it was a difficult decision across all of the categories. We appreciate the commanders and supervisors at all levels in taking the time and effort to nominate your people and programs, and thank you for your continued commitment to everyday excellence in serving our Total Force Airmen and their families. This year's winners are:

Installation Awards:

General Curtis E. LeMay Award	1st Special Operations Force Support Squadron (AFSOC), Hurlburt Field
Major General Eugene L. Eubank Award	9th Force Support Squadron (ACC), Beale AFB

Legacy Awards:

General Robert J. Dixon Award	Mr Dwight J. Bell, HQ ACC/A1, Langley AFB
Roger M. Blanchard Memorial Award	MSgt Belinda L. McCall, HQ AFPC, Randolph AFB
General Horace M. Wade Innovation Award	Mr Michael J. Teal, HQ USAF/A1, Pentagon
General Michael P.C. Carns Award	Mr Timothy G. Thomas, HQ AFPC, Randolph AFB
General Benjamin Oliver Davis Jr. Management Engineering Award	Mr Roger D. Brickley, HQ AETC/A1, Randolph AFB
Lieutenant General Norm Lezy Award	Mr Cory M. Larsen, AF Mortuary Affairs Operations, Dover AFB
Dr. Beverly L. Schmalzried Award	Mr George I. Price, 52 FSS (USAFE), Spangdahlem AB
Dr. Edwin C. Peterson Education and Training Manager (ETM) Award	MSgt Tammy Lafferty, HQ AFPC, Randolph AFB
Solomon Starks, Jr. EO Director of the Year Award	Ms Michlene E. Tucker, 22 ARW (AMC), McConnell AFB
CMSgt Billy R. Hunter SNCOA Instructor of the Year Award	MSgt Christopher B. Robinson, SNCOA, (AETC), Maxwell AFB
A1 Special Recognition Award	Mr Robert W. Newman, HQ AF/A1X, Pentagon

Officer Awards:

Staff Level:

Force Support Field Grade Officer of the Year	Lt Col Devin Statham, HQ AFSPC/A1, Peterson AFB
Force Support Reserve Component Field Grade Officer of the Year	Lt Col Gina M. Oliver, HQ PACAF/A1, JB Pearl Harbor-Hickam
Force Support Company Grade Officer of the Year	Capt December Garcia, 5 AF (PACAF), Yokota AB

Operational Level:

Force Support Field Grade Officer of the Year	Maj William H. Charlton III, HQ AFSVA, Lackland AFB
Force Support Reserve Component Field Grade Officer of the Year	Major Michael A. Ortiz, HQ ARPC, Denver, CO
Force Support Company Grade Officer of the Year	Capt Darren L. Hill, USAFA/A1, United States Air Force Academy
Force Support Reserve Component Company Grade Officer of the Year	Capt Colby B. Leathers, HQ ARPC, Denver, CO

Installation Level:

Force Support Field Grade Officer of the Year	Major Johnathan B. Zulauf, 377 FSS (AFMC), Kirtland AFB
Force Support Reserve Component Field Grade Officer of the Year	Lt Col Stephanie A. Welhouse, 910 FSS, Youngstown ARS (AFRC)
Force Support Company Grade Officer of the Year	Capt Michael L. Eide, 673 FSS (PACAF), JB Elmendorf-Richardson
Force Support Reserve Component Company Grade Officer of the Year	Capt Myla M. Abejuela, 926 FSS (AFRC), Nellis AFB

Enlisted Awards:

Staff Level

Force Support SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Melvin Rose, Jr., HQ AFSPC/IG, Peterson AFB
Force Support Reserve Component SNCO of the Year	SMSgt George A. Macaluso, HQ USAF/RE, Randolph AFB
Force Support NCO of the Year	TSgt Joshua D. Farrell, HQ AMC/A1, Scott AFB
Force Support Reserve Component Airman of the Year	SrA Nichole R. Link, HQ AMC/A1, Scott AFB

Operational Level

Force Support SNCO of the Year	MSgt Angela S. Barbre, HQ AFSVA, Lackland AFB
Force Support Reserve Component SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Jimmie D. Morris, HQ ARPC, Denver, CO
Force Support NCO of the Year	SSgt Shane A. Antrim, HQ USAFA/A1, US Air Force Academy
Force Support Reserve Component NCO of the Year	TSgt Manuel R. Zubia, HQ ARPC, Denver, CO
Force Support Airman of the Year	SrA Telesheia N. Ward, HQ AFPC, Randolph AFB

Enlisted Awards (con't):**Installation Level**

Manpower SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Steven J. Mandell, 51 FSS (PACAF), Osan AB
Manpower NCO of the Year	TSgt Dustin K. Barnes, 23 FSS (ACC), Moody AFB
Personnel SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Charles E. Mills, 802 FSS (AETC), JB San Antonio
Personnel Reserve Component SNCO of the Year	MSgt Brian J. Marr, 926 FSS (AFRC), Nellis AFB
Personnel NCO of the Year	SSgt Jacob W. Williams, 81 FSS (AETC), Kessler AFB
Personnel Reserve Component NCO of the Year	TSgt Rianna R. Newcomb, 459 FSS (AFRC), Andrews AFB
Personnel Airman of the Year	SrA Laura A. Garcia, 17 FSS (AETC), Goodfellow AFB
Personnel Reserve Component Airman of the Year	SrA Scott A. Gatewood, 420 FSS (AFRC), Hill AFB
Services SNCO of the Year	MSgt Turaeza B. Hose, 9 FSS (ACC), Beale AFB
Services Reserve Component SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Linda D. Becker, 122 FSS (ANG), Ft Wayne IAP
Services NCO of the Year	TSgt Robert I. Thomas, 96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
Services Reserve Component NCO of the Year	SSgt Natalie R. Sonner, 122 FSS (ANG), Ft Wayne IAP
Services Airman of the Year	SrA Jonathan Gasparetto, 321 MS (AFGSC), F.E. Warren AFB
Services Reserve Component Airman of the Year	SrA Nastasskia F. Gerald, 445 FSS (AFRC), Wright-Patterson AFB
Education and Training SNCO of the Year	SMSgt Debra A. Mosley, 437 MOS (AMC), Charleston AFB
Education and Training Air Reserve Component SNCO of the Year	MSgt Roderick O. Parker, 908 MSF (AFRC), Maxwell AFB
Education and Training NCO of the Year	TSgt Carrie L. Abernethy, 86 SFS, Ramstein AB
Education and Training Air Reserve Component NCO of the Year	TSgt Thip T. Andrus, 310 FSS (AFSPC), Schriever AFB
Airman and Family Readiness Center Enlisted Manager of the Year	MSgt Gabriel A. Moreno, 50 FSS (AFSPC), Schriever AFB
A&FRC Air Reserve Component Enlisted Manager	MSgt Pamela L. Silas, 349 FSS (AFRC), Travis AFB
Career Assistance Advisor of the Year	MSgt David J. Gridale, 509 FSS (AFGSC), Whiteman AFB
Career Assistance Air Reserve Component Advisor of the Year	MSgt Karineanne M. Machado, 419 FSS (AFRC), Hill AFB
Equal Opportunity Specialist of the Year	TSgt Darius D. Kersh, 501 CSW (USAFE), RAF Lakenheath
Equal Opportunity Air Reserve Component Specialist of the Year	SSgt Shane W. Buss, Ogden Air Logistics Center, Hill AFB
Enlisted Professional Military Education SNCO of the Year	MSgt Lisa M. Buckman, 96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
Enlisted Professional Military Education NCO of the Year	TSgt Andy T. Gilbert, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
First-Term Airmen Center NCOIC of the Year	TSgt Kenya L. Martin, 316 FSS (AFDW), Andrews AFB

Civilian Awards:**Staff Level**

Action Officer of the Year	Mr Kenneth A. Sargent, HQ AETC/A1, Randolph AFB
Technician Award of the Year	Ms Sylvia A. Moore, HQ AFMC/A1, Wright-Patterson AFB

Operational Level

Senior Manager of the Year	Mr David A. Burger, WRALC/DP, Robins AFB
Manager of the Year	Ms Jeanette Padilla, HQ AFNWC, Kirtland AFB
Specialist of the Year	Mr Richard W. Harris, Spaatz Center/Education Support Sq (AETC), Maxwell AFB
Technician of the Year	Ms Carol L. Jones, Spaatz Center/Education Support Sq (AETC), Maxwell AFB

Installation Level

Force Support Senior Civilian of the Year	Mr Woodrow M. Wilson, 52 FSS (USAFE), Spangdahlem AB
Force Support Manager of the Year	Mr Mark J. Tharp, 802 FSS (AETC), JB, San Antonio
Airman and Family Services Flight (FSF) Manager of the Year	Mr Anton D. Jadin, 96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
Airman and Family Services Flight (FSF) Specialist of the Year	Ms Sarah A. Williams, 52 FSS (PACAF), Spangdahlem AB
Airman and Family Services Flight (FSF) Technician of the Year	Ms Arndrea A. Thomas, 4 FSS (ACC), Seymour Johnson AFB
Community Services Flight (FSC) Manager of the Year	Mr Everett P. Hopkins, 27 SOFSS (AFSOC), Cannon AFB
Community Services Flight (FSC) Specialist of the Year	Mr Keith P. Quinn, 7 FSS (ACC), Dyess AFB
Community Services Flight (FSC) Technician of the Year	Mr Barney H. Mashburn, 4 FSS (ACC), Seymour Johnson AFB
Force Development Flight (FSD) Manager of the Year	Ms Vicky E. Stever, 1 SOFSS (AFSOC), Hurlburt Field
Force Development Flight (FSD) Specialist of the Year	Mr Louis T. Vance, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Force Development Flight (FSD) Technician of the Year	Ms Alisha L. Scanlon, 460 FSS (AFSPC), Buckley AFB
Manpower & Personnel Flight (FSM) Manager of the Year	Mr Larry R. Cruz, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Manpower & Personnel Flight (FSM) Specialist of the Year	Ms Amanda J. Jones, 5 FSS (AFGSC), Minot AFB
Manpower & Personnel Flight (FSM) Technician of the Year	Mr Aaron L. Angel, AAC/DP (AFMC), Eglin AFB

Civilian Awards (con't):

Sustainment Services Flight (FSV) Manager of the Year	Ms Maria Zander, 802 FSS (AETC), JB San Antonio
Sustainment Services Flight (FSV) Specialist of the Year	Mr Michael A. James, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Sustainment Services Flight (FSV) Technician of the Year	Ms Kelly R. Thomas, 75 FSS (AFMC), Hill AFB
FSS Command Staff Manager of the Year	Ms Cecelia H. Curtis, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
FSS Command Staff Specialist of the Year	Mr Donald W. Seastrunk, 96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
FSS Command Staff Technician of the Year	Ms Yasuyo Samuel, 374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
A1 in Wing Manager of the Year	Ms Janaee A. Stone, 75 ABW (AFMC), Hill AFB
A1 in Wing Specialist of the Year	Ms Rebecca Smith, 509 MDG (AFGSC), Whiteman AFB
A1 in Wing Technician of the Year	Mr Jerry P. Joyner, 552 AMXS (ACC), Tinker AFB

Team / Program Awards:

George Washington Award for Protocol Excellence	21 SW Protocol, 21st Space Wing (AFSPC), Peterson AFB
General Benjamin O. Davis Jr. Management Engineering Award	AFPC Knowledge Management Division, HQ AFPC, Randolph AFB
Nathan Altschuler Outstanding Education and Training Program	374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Col L. Joseph Brown Equal Opportunity Program	Tinker Equal Opportunity Office, Oklahoma City ALC, Tinker AFB
Gerrit D. Foster, Jr. Outstanding Military Personnel Program	96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
A1 Special Recognition Team / Program Award	87 FSS (AMC) Information Technology Program, JB McGuire-Dix-Lakehurst
Aero Club Program of the Year	96 FSS (AFMC), Eglin AFB
Airman and Family Readiness Program of the Year	45 FSS (AFSPC), Patrick AFB
Arts and Crafts Program of the Year	18 FSS (PACAF), Kadena AB
Bowling Program of the Year	902 FSS (AETC), JB San Antonio
Child Development Program of the Year	18 FSS (PACAF), Kadena AB
Civilian Personnel Program of the Year	52 FSS (USAFE), Spangdahlem AB
Club of the Year	18 FSS (PACAF), Kadena AB
Community Center Program of the Year	36 FSS (PACAF), Andersen AFB
Enlisted Professional Military Education Team of the Year	Kisling NCOA Kapuan AS, (USAFE), Kapaun AS
Family Child Care Program of the Year	375 FSS (AMC), Scott AFB
Fitness and Sports Program of the Year	7 FSS (ACC), Dyess AFB
Golf Program of the Year	7 FSS (ACC), Dyess AFB
Human Resources Program of the Year	633 FSS (ACC), Langley AFB
Library Program of the Year	48 FSS (USAFE), RAF Lakenheath
Manpower and Organization Program of the Year	18 FSS (PACAF), Kadena AB
Marketing Program of the Year	374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Outdoor Recreation Program of the Year	10 FSS (USAF), United States Air Force Academy
Operations Program of the Year	374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Professional Development Program of the Year	1 SOFSS (AFSOC), Hurlburt Field
Resource Management Program of the Year	374 FSS (PACAF), Yokota AB
Sexual Assault Prevention and Response Program of the Year	99 ABW (ACC), Nellis AFB
Youth Program of the Year	802 FSS (AETC), JB San Antonio

Again, congratulations to all of our winners. Further information on award presentations will follow. My Action Officer for the A1 Award Program is Mr Tim Wible, AF/A1XX, DSN 225-5990.

Best regards,

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