

# Awards Nominations Sought for 2010

The Board of Trustees of the Florida Society ACOFP would like to solicit your nominations for the following awards, which will be presented at our 2010 Florida Society Annual Convention on July 28 – August 1, 2010, at the Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress Resort in Orlando, Fla. The deadline for submission is March 25, 2010.

Please complete the attached form and send it with the CV of the nominee to:

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The specific awards are:

## 1. Family Physician of the Year Award

This nominee must be a physician in good standing with the national ACOFP and the Florida Society of the ACOFP.

## 2. Distinguished Service Award

This nominee must be an individual who has given of himself or herself to support the osteopathic profession above and beyond the call of duty. This nominee may be a physician or a non-physician.

## 3. Donald McBath, DO, Lifetime Achievement Award

This nominee must have been a member of FSACOFF for at least 10 consecutive years. He or she must have had an active teaching position or practiced for at least 10 consecutive years in Florida. He or she must have made a significant contribution in one or more of the following areas:

- Community service
- Hospital medical staff officer
- FSACOFF trustee, officer or committee chair
- Service in the osteopathic profession at the Florida state level

## 4. Eugene R. DeLucia, DO, Humanitarian Award

This nominee must be a resident of the state of Florida. He or she must have evidence of selfless service to his or her community or profession. The nominee's service should be to the benefit of others less fortunate. (This award is not given annually, but only when justified.)

## 5. Samuel J. Salman, DO, Award in Family Medicine

This award is presented to the student whose scholarship, patient empathy, dedication, concern and goals epitomize the osteopathic family physician as exemplified by the late Samuel J. Salman, DO. The award (plaque & \$500) is presented to the recipient by the chair of the NSU Department of Family Medicine at the NSUCOM graduation banquet.

## 6. Educator of the Year Award

This award honors an individual who has significantly enhanced the academic credibility of osteopathic family medicine in the state of Florida by a sustained, long-term commitment to osteopathic family medicine in academic settings. The nominee must have a sustained, long-term commitment to osteopathic family medicine in an academic setting and have made direct personal contributions to:

- Florida Society ACOFP
- Affiliated OPTI
- Organizations relating to osteopathic family medicine, such as AOA, AODME, ACOFP, NBOME, etc.
- Osteopathic medical school(s) or residency program(s)

## 7. Resident Teacher of the Year Award

This award is given to a third-year resident from an osteopathically accredited family medicine residency in Florida. The recipient will not necessarily be the chief resident or someone who is planning to do a fellowship or begin an academic career. The award should recognize a resident who has demonstrated exceptional skills and interests in teaching, as defined in the criteria below.

- Demonstrated interest in teaching/precepting medical students
- Participation in a patient education or residency education committee
- Peer teaching
- Consistent quality grand rounds and/or conferences presented
- Valued as teacher by patients and peers
- Evidence of community teaching
- Presentations given at regional or national family medicine meetings

While not all residency programs provide the full range of teaching opportunities enumerated, the resident recipient should fulfill as many of the criteria as possible to be considered an exemplary future teacher. Residency directors from osteopathic family medicine residencies in Florida may submit the name and CV of one candidate from each respective program for consideration.

### FSACOFF 2010 Awards Nomination

Name of nominee \_\_\_\_\_

Name of sponsor submitting this form \_\_\_\_\_

Award (*circle only one please*)

Family Physician of the Year Award

Samuel J. Salman, DO, Award in Family Medicine

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Resident Teacher of the Year Award

Eugene R. DeLucia, DO, Humanitarian Award

Briefly state the reason for your nomination.

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(You are encouraged to attach a letter if more space is needed for your nominee.)

Please attach an up-to-date curriculum vitae (CV) or resume for your nominee.