



Association of Old Crows (AOC) India Chapter, Bangalore

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Nomination Form for AOC India Chapter Third Annual Awards – 2014

(Please see instructions before filling)

A. Name of the Award:

B. Nominee's Information:

1. Name of the Nominee _____

2. Present Occupation _____

3. Office Address _____

4. Residential Address _____

5. Phone No. (O) _____ (R) _____ Mobile No. _____

Fax: _____ Email _____

6. Age and Date of Birth _____

7. Education and Professional Membership:

8. Professional Experience: (Please attach an Annexure)

9. Justification for the Award: (Please attach an Annexure)

10. Proposed Citation (Within 50 words) _____

11. Signature of the Nominee _____ Date: _____

C. Nominator's Information:

1. Name of the Nominator _____

2. Designation _____

3. Address _____

4. Phone No. (O) _____ (R) _____ Mobile No. _____

5. Signature of the Nominator _____ Date: _____

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Information and Instructions for filling of Nomination Form for

AOC India Chapter Third Annual Awards – 2014

1. Description of the Awards:

The AOC India Chapter has instituted the AOC India Chapter Annual Awards to recognise and honour the Outstanding Contributors in the field of Electronic Warfare, Information Operations and Related Fields. The first set of Annual Awards was presented to the following Eminent Contributors during the Chapter's Annual General Body Meeting (AGM) held on **7 May 2011** and the Second set of Annual Awards during the AGM held on **8 September 2012**.

Recipients of First Annual Awards:

1. **Mr T N Yadgiri Rao**, OS, DLRL (DRDO), Hyderabad
2. **Mr K B Venkataraman**, Scientist G, DARE, DRDO, Bangalore
3. **Wing Commander Nand Kumar Nair**, Directing Staff of EW Range, IAF
4. **Mr I V Sarma**, Director (R&D), BEL, Bangalore
5. **Mr Shirish J Bhole**, Chief Manager (Design), AURDC, HAL, Nasik
6. **Col (Retd) H S Shankar**, CMD, ADTL, Bangalore
7. **Mr S Bimalkhedkar**, Director, EWAS Technologies, Bangalore

Recipients of Second Annual Awards:

1. **Mr J Shanker Rao**, Scientist G, DLRL (DRDO), Hyderabad
2. **Mr R Rama Rao**, Scientist G, DLRL (DRDO), Hyderabad
3. **Colonel Vijay Khedekar**, Director (Communication), PMO SURAJ, IAF
4. **Wing Commander S Ramesh**, Joint Director (EW), Air Head Quarters, IAF
5. **Mr Sunil Kumar Sharma**, Director (Bangalore Complex), BEL, Bangalore
6. **Mr Abhishek Singh**, Chief Manager (Design), MSRDC, HAL, Bangalore
7. **Mr Keshav Bapat**, GM, Agilent Technologies, Bangalore
8. **Wing Commander V B Athmaram (Retd)**, CEO, AEDS & ED, ADTL, Bangalore

The Chapter is conferring Third Annual Awards – 2014 in the following Four Categories:

- a. **Best Contributor Award in EW from Defence Research and Development Organisation (DRDO), India**
- b. **Best Contributor Award in EW from Indian Armed Services**
- c. **Best Contributor Award in EW from Indian Public Sector Units (PSU)**
- d. **Best Contributor Award in EW from Indian Private Industry**

Two Persons will be awarded in each Category. Each Award carries a **Citation** and **Cash Prize** of **Rs 15,000**. The nominations are solicited from organisations working in the field of Electronic Warfare (EW), Information Operations (IO) and Related Fields. The competent authorities (Director, Director General, Associate Director, CMD, CEO, Proprietor, Chairman, General Manager and Managing Director) can Nominate any professional from their organisation working in the field of EW, IO and related technologies in the categories as mentioned above. Self Nomination will not be considered.

2. Name of the Award:

Fill in one of the Categories mentioned above for which Nomination is sought.

3. The Selection Criteria:

The President, AOC India Chapter, Bangalore, on behalf of AOC India Chapter Governing Body has constituted **AOC India Chapter Annual Awards Committee-2014** headed by the Chair of the Committee, for the purpose of selection of the Awardees. The main criteria of evaluation for the Awards are as follows:

The Award is open to Indian Nationals making Outstanding Contributions in the field of EW, IO, Electro Optic (EO) and Related Fields towards:

- Design and Development of EW/EO/IO Systems
- Strategic Planning, Operationalisation and Deployment of the EW and Related Sub-systems and Systems
- Excellence in Engineering the Product Development
- Manufacturing Process
- Evaluation of Technology and Software
- EW/EO Simulation
- Indigenisation and R&D Efforts in RF, Digital and Software Domains
- Outstanding Technical Management
- Optimum Utilisation of the State-of-the-art Technologies in Products Development

Active involvement in AOC India Chapter activities would also count. The decision of the Chair, Awards Committee is final in the selection of the Awardees.

4. Important Dates:

Last date for Submission of Nomination Form: **10 July 2014.**

The Intimation of Selection of the Nomination: **18 July 2014.**

Presentation of Awards: On Annual General Body Meeting Day (**AGM Day, 26th July 2014 Tentatively**)

5. The Nominations should be typed out in the prescribed format, downloadable from the AOC India Chapter Web Site- www.aoc-india.org or can be had from the Chapter's office (email your request to indiacrows@aoc-india.org).

The completed form with **Signed** Annexure may be sent to

The Secretary

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Alternatively, Completed Forms and Annexure in Microsoft Word or Pdf format can be emailed to indiacrows@aoc-india.org.

6. In the Education **Section 7** of the Nomination Form, Degree and other Qualifications and the Institute/University from which it is obtained, to be given. If the Nominee is a member of any professional society, Membership type also may be mentioned.
7. In **Section 8**, Nominee's professional experience, especially in the field of EW to be given. Technical achievements like acquiring patents, technical publications and Awards received may also be included.
8. In **Section 9**, the justification can be given in greater detail – of the order of 800-1000 Words. Note that the details given here are the main source of selecting the Award and hence should be verifiable. The most significant contribution towards design, development, testing, conducting field trials and technical management of the Nominee should be highlighted. The technical works that lead to completion of novel and innovative EW products may be included. The efforts in forging Technical Collaborations, achieving Technology Transfer, Efficient Manufacturing Practices and sharing of Technical Infrastructure for the common benefit of the technological growth in the field of EW and Information Operations in India may also be included.