

WCISA Awards – 1960 to Present

1960- Long Beach

Award of Merit Mrs. Brian O. Mulligan
Award of Merit Pear Chase
Award of Merit Dr. Walter Cotton
Award of Merit Gene Reid

1961- Vancouver

Award of Merit Max Watson
Award of Merit Valley Knudson

1962- San Francisco

Award of Merit Ralph D. Cornell
Award of Achievement William Hertlich
Award of Commendation W.B. Thompson

1963- Las Vegas

Award of Merit Keith L. Davey
Award of Achievement John Marasco
Award of Commendation Rufus Johnson
Award of Commendation Mrs. Symore Wells
Honorary Membership C. Elmer Lee

1964- Seattle

Award of Merit C. Elmer Lee
Award of Achievement H. Dana Bowers
Award of Commendation Millard F. Blair
Honorary Membership Max Watson
Honorary Membership Fred Roewekamp

1965- Santa Barbara

Award of Merit Maunsell Van Rensselaer
Award of Achievement Brian Fewer
Award of Achievement Kenneth Hadland
Award of Commendation Ed D. Price
Award of Commendation Madame Ganna Walska
Award of Commendation Herbert Warren
Award of Commendation Dr. Katherine K. Mueller

1966- Fresno

Award of Merit H.N. Bosworth
Award of Achievement W.H. Warren
Award of Commendation Audrey Lee

1967- San Diego

Award of Merit Percy C. Everett
Award of Achievement Roy L. Hudson
Award of Commendation George Hood, Jr.

1968- Phoenix

Award of Merit Allan H. Reid
Award of Achievement Sam Selencich
Award of Commendation Robert Svob

1969- Portland

Award of Merit Riley R. Stevens
Award of Achievement Dwight Long
Award of Commendation Mrs. Gerald R. Thompson
Award of Commendation W. Louis Le Valley

1970- Pasadena

Award of Merit Dr. Ira J. Condit
Award of Achievement Fredrick W. Sharp
Award of Commendation Michael Telefont
Honorary Membership George K. Freeman
Honorary Membership Jim Griffin

1971- San Francisco

Award of Merit George O. Rich
Award of Achievement Pasco A. Balzararini
Award of Commendation C. Elmer Lee

1972- Eugene

Award of Achievement Kenneth Schwartz
Award of Commendation L. Wayne Johnson

1973- Salt Lake City

Award of Merit Millard F. Blair
Award of Achievement James L. Degen
Award of Commendation Joan Hardie
Award of Commendation Joyce Harmon

1974- Monterey

Award of Merit Dr. Katherine Mueller
Award of Achievement Armand Thurnher
Award of Commendation Robert B. Townsend
Award of Commendation Allan W. Hammer
Honorary Membership Dr. Francis Ching
Honorary Membership Dr. Roy Sachs
Other Special Awards Keith Davey

1975- Palm Springs

Award of Merit Leslie S. Mayne
Award of Merit William J. Griffin
Other Special Awards Ronald B. Townsend

1976- San Jose

Award of Merit William J. Griffin
Award if Merit Roy Wells

1977- San Diego

Award of Merit Brian Fewer
Award of Achievement Roger Garrigue
Award of Achievement Austin Carroll
Award of Commendation Walter Barrows
Honorary Membership Millard F. Blair
Honorary Membership George Hood, Jr.
Other Special Awards Clark O. Eads
Other Special Awards Richard Hildreth

1978- Portland

Award of Merit Dr. Richard Harris
Award of Achievement Robert Mazani
Award of Commendation Richard Alvarez
Award of Commendation Robert N. Berlin
Honorary Membership Jack R. Rogers

1979- Long Beach

Award of Merit John C. Phillips
Award of Achievement Bailey Hudson
Award of Achievement James A. Shanahan
Award of Commendation Paul Dobbins
Award of Commendation Jane Hagedorn
President's Award Barry Konier

1980- Honolulu

Award of Merit Jack R. Rogers
Award of Achievement Doug Hamilton
Award of Achievement Orval Bond
Award of Commendation Mrs. Dorothy Hargraves
Award of Commendation The Outdoor Circle
President's Award Jack R. Rogers

1981- Sacramento

Award of Merit Robert Berlin
Award of Achievement George Hood, Jr.
Award of Achievement Bob Pletcher
Award of Commendation Mike Zohns
Award of Commendation Sam Noonan
Honorary Membership James Shanahan
President's Award Austin B. Carroll

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1982- Santa Barbara

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
President's Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Roger Garrigue
Richard Alvarez
Raymond Dortch
Daniel J. Condon
Gene Owings, ARCO
City of San Mateo

1983- Anaheim

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Austin B. Carroll
Barry Konier
Daniel J. Condon
James R. Geiger
Roger Garrigue
Alan Wagar
City of Burbank
City of San Luis Obispo
Friends of the Urban Forest

1984- Palo Alto

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
President's Award
Gold Leaf Award

Robert Berlin
Roger Garrigue
Monrovia Nursery
Donald F. Blair
Cal Arborist Association

1985- Universal City

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
President's Award

Denise Froehlich
Donald F. Blair
John Z. Duling
Barry Konier

1986- Palm Springs

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Robert L. Meyer
Jean Natter
Robert Qualls
Richard W. Harris
Henry Otani
E.C. Bundy
Leslie Mayne
Robert Meyer
Harry Banker
Nancy Inmon
Pasadena Beaut.

1987- Santa Cruz

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Sam Noonan
Michael Hutnick
ABC Nursery
Roger Garrigue
Donald F. Blair
Phillip Barker
Sacramento Tree Found
City of West Covina
Calif. Arborists Association

1988- Tuscon

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Award of Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

C.J. Pilkerton
James Gorham
George Fishbeck
Gene Owings
Charles Sacamano
Robert Qualls
Gary Hickman
Ed Perry
City of San Luis Obispo
City of Glendale

1989- Oakland

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Charles Mathias
Doreen Orist
Al Remy
Ray Yoshimura
Bob Yamane
Doug Hamilton
Kenneth Meyer
Greg McPherson
Barrie Coate
City of Phoenix
City of Visalia
St. Helena Beautification

1990 – Reno

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award

Donald F. Blair
Gordon Mann
Sacramento Tree Found
Doreen Orist
Gordon Mann
Dr. Lawrence Costello
City of Orange

1991 - Modesto

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Gold Leaf Award

John C. Britton
Mel Sease
Ed Brennan
Bonnie Abramson
Steve Burke
Mike Hutnik
Peter Cowles
City of Modesto

1992 - Newport Beach

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Special Award
Special Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Ed Brennan
Ken Meyer
Bob Fanno
Meg Burgin
Toma Talamantes
Barrie Coate
Barry Konier
Mel Sease
Ted Holderness
City of Salinas
City of Claremont
City of Arroyo Grande

1993 - Santa Clara

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
President's Award
Special Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Al Remy
Rose Epperson
Charles Mathias
Ted Stamen
Assemblyman Peter Chacon
Mel Sease
Jim Clark
Nelda Matheny
Denise Buffham
City of Santa Clarita, CA
Honolulu Parks
Bonita Parlor Native Daughters of the Golden West
Leisure World, Seal Beach
Reno Urban Forestry Comm
Meg Burgin, Live Oak, CA

Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

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1994 - Scottsdale

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Pat Mahoney
Bob Berlin
Bill Spiewak
Roger Garrigue
Mary Carroll
Don Beck
Doreen Orist
Pavel Svihra
City of Chico, CA
James P. Allen Tree Service
Friends of the Urban Forest
Reno Urban Forestry Comm
City of Santa Clarita, CA
Salt River Project, Phoe., AZ
Sugnet & Assoc Arborist Team, Roseville CA

1995 - Monterey

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Arboricultural Research
Honorary Life Member
President's Award
President's Awards
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Cindy McCall
Juan Barba
Brad Boyajian
Street Tree Seminar, Inc.
Richard Harris
Larry Costello
Ed Brennan
Denice Britton
City of Claremont, CA
Kaahumanu Median Comm Kahului, HI

1996 - Hawaii

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Steve Nimz
John O'Shea
Torrey Young
Doreen Orist
Ron Romatzke
Bruce Asakawa
Peter Cowles
Al Epperson
Dr. Timothy Paine
Martha Ozonoff, Davis, CA
Orange County BSA, CA
Pasadena Beautification Foundation
Reno Urban Forestry Commission
West Coast Arborists, Inc.

1997 - Anaheim

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Dan Condon
Al Epperson
Keith McCormick
City of Phoenix
Mike Neal
Nancy Hardesty Parker
Rose Epperson
Larry Costello
Ed Perry & Gary Hickman
Fallbrook Land Conservancy
Lompoc Beautification
Wilbur D. May Arboretum & Botanic Gardens

1998 - Yosemite

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Exec Director Award

Peter Cowles
Becky Duckles
Mike Mahoney
Genni Cross
Ken Ventura
Sonia Tamez
Bruce Hagen
Gil Mitchell
Torrey Young

1999 - Oxnard

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Arboricultural Research
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Al Epperson
Larry Abernathy
Bruce Hagen
Robert Phillips
Bill Arden
Marty Bidwell
Pat Felix, NAA
Greg McPherson
Meg Burgin
Bill Spiewak
City of Santa Clarita
City of Santa Cruz
Fallbrook Land Conservancy
San Juan WEL
La Mirada Wilderness Renewal Project

2000 - Maui

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Exec. Director's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Doreen Orist
Dr. James Clark
Dennis Swartzell
James Ross
Edward Brennan
Bill Spiewak
Teresa Trueman-Madriaga
Dr. Jimmy L. Tipton
City of Santa Clara
City of Fontana
Trees for Tucson
Pima County Parks & Rec
Walnut Creek Open Space Foundation
Fillmore Soroptomist Club

2001 - Modesto

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Honorary Membership
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Ken Meyer
Bruce Hagen
Jeff Spohn
Chuck Gilstrap
John Britton
Jim Downer
City of Santa Monica
City of Fontana
Disneyland Resort
Our City Forest
City of Modesto

2002 – San Pedro

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Award of Commendation
Honorary Life Member
President's Award
Special Award
Arboricultural Research
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Nelda Matheny & Jim Clark
Greg Monfette
Andy Trotter
Rob Gross
Al Remyn
Bob and Mayeve Tate
Carl Mellinger
Dave Dockter
City of Henderson, NV
Palisades Beautiful
City of Mission Viejo, CA

2003 – Las Vegas

Award of Merit
Award of Achievement
Award of Achievement
Award of Commendation
Honorary Life Member
President's Award
Arboricultural Research
R.W. Harris Award
Gold Leaf Award
Gold Leaf Award

Gil Mitchell
John Traverso
Russ Thompson
Frankie Sue Del Papa
Dr. James Clark
Helen Stone
Dr. Joe McBride
Dr. Fred Roth
Town of Gardnerville, NV
City of Fontana & IEUFC

WCISA Awards – 1960 to Present

2003 – Las Vegas - continued

Gold Leaf Award Washoe Cty Parks & Rec
Gold Leaf Award City of Mission Viejo

2004 - Clearlake

Award of Merit Dr. Alex Shigo
Award of Achievement Teresa Trueman-Madriaga
Award of Achievement Sam Noonan
Award of Commendation Helen Stone
Honorary Life Member Torrey Young
President's Award Joseph Schneider
Arboricultural Research Jim Downer
R.W. Harris Education Bruce Hagen
Gold Leaf Award Trees for Palo Alto
Gold Leaf Award Museum of Local History
Gold Leaf Award OpenSpace & LandPath of Sonoma Co.
Gold Leaf Award City Trees

2005 - Phoenix

Award of Merit Rose Epperson
Arboricultural Research Sharon Lilly
Award of Achievement William Gardner
Award of Commendation Katherine Jones
Honorary Life Member Rose Epperson
R.W. Harris Education Dr. Larry Costello
R.W. Harris Education Trees of the Rim
R.W. Harris Education Friends of the Urban Forest
President's Award Al Remyn
Special Award Jack Brazeal
Gold Leaf Award City of Paramount
Gold Leaf Award Salt River Project
Gold Leaf Award Keep Riverside Clean & Beautiful
Gold Leaf Award Atherton Tree Committee
Gold Leaf Award Huntington Beach Tree Society

2006 – Santa Monica

Award of Merit Nelda Matheny
Award of Achievement Burton & Stuart Sperber
Award of Achievement Jose Mercado
Award of Commendation Teri Knight
Award of Commendation Andy Trotter
Arboricultural Research Dr. Greg McPherson
R.W. Harris Education Helen Stone
Honorary Life Member Robert Tate
President's Award Keith McCormick
President's Award Walter Warriner
Gold Leaf Award BSA - Orange County Council
Gold Leaf Award UNLV – Student Chapter ASLA
Gold Leaf Award Sacramento Tree Foundation
Gold Leaf Award City of Mountain View, CA
Gold Leaf Award Kua o ka la Public Charter
Gold Leaf Award School, Pahoa, HI

2007 – Honolulu (ISA Host Chapter)

Award of Merit Kevin Eckert
Award of Achievement Gabe and Stacey Beeler
Award of Achievement Michael Kelley
Award of Commendation Linda Hagen
Award of Commendation Matt Koepnick
Arboricultural Research Ted Swiecki
Arboricultural Research James R. Simpson
R.W. Harris Education Jim Downer
Honorary Life Member Stephen Nimz
President's Award Dennis Swartzell
Executive Director's Award Al Remyn
Special Award Dr. Richard and Vera Harris
Gold Leaf Award City of Santa Clarita, CA
Gold Leaf Award Jean Nagy, Huntington Beach Tree Society
Gold Leaf Award HEC, Inc. Arbor Day Partnership
Gold Leaf Award Friends of the Urban Forest

2007 – Honolulu (ISA Host Chapter) -continued

Gold Leaf Award Our City Forest, San Jose, CA
Gold Leaf Award Surfrider Foundation, Maui, HI

2008 – San Jose

Award of Merit Andy Trotter
Arboricultural Research Dr. David Rizzo & Dr. Chris A. Martin
Award of Achievement Andy Trotter
Award of Commendation Teresa Trueman-Madriaga
R.W. Harris Education Selestino Mercado & Doug Anderson
Honorary Life Membership David Shaw
President's Award Kevin Eckert
Special Award Douglas Anderson
Gold Leaf Award The Sohner/Phillips Family
Gold Leaf Award City of Santa Rosa Parks
Gold Leaf Award Tom Mehlman with the City of Henderson & Gerry Miller with the Nevada Shade Tree Council
Gold Leaf Award Arizona Community Tree Council
Gold Leaf Award Mountain View Trees
Gold Leaf Award Northeast Trees

2009 – Reno

Award of Merit Carl Mellinger
Arboricultural Research Don Hodel
Arboricultural Research UC Berkeley Div of Ag & Natural Resources
Award of Achievement Carol Kwan
Award of Achievement Gil Mitchell
Award of Commendation Tony Dietz
Award of Commendation Tim Womick
Honorary Life Membership David W. Nelson
R.W. Harris Education James Allen
President's Award Jack Mc Cabe
Gold Leaf Award Boy Scouts of America
Gold Leaf Award City of Huntington Beach, CA
Gold Leaf Award City of San Luis Obispo, CA
Gold Leaf Award City of Santa Clara, CA
Gold Leaf Award Disneyland Resort Arboriculture
Gold Leaf Award Farallone Pacific Insurance
Gold Leaf Award Tree People
Gold Leaf Award City of Oakland, CA
Gold Leaf Award City of Whittier, CA
Gold Leaf Award Sonoma Land Trust
Gold Leaf Award Wild Places

2010 – Tucson

Award of Merit Douglas Anderson
Arboricultural Research Dr. Timothy Paine
Arboricultural Research Paula Peper
Award of Achievement Jared Abrojena
Award of Achievement Joseph McNeil
Award of Commendation California Arborists Association
Award of Commendation Ted Kipping
Honorary Life Membership Richard Alvarez
R.W. Harris Education Bruce Hagen
President's Award Torrey Young
Special Award Sharon Lilly
Gold Leaf Award City of Santa Clarita, CA
Gold Leaf Award Roger Boddaert
Gold Leaf Award Jacob Seabury
Gold Leaf Award Tree Doctors, Inc./ Tree Doctors North

2011 – San Diego

Award of Merit Brian Kempf
Arboricultural Research Dr. Jim Clark
Arboricultural Research Dennis Pittenger
Award of Achievement Chad Brey
Award of Achievement Tim Womick
Award of Commendation Tree Circus
Award of Commendation Tobie Sherrill
Honorary Life Membership Bailey Hudson

WCISA Awards – 1960 to Present

2011 – San Diego – continued

R.W. Harris Education	Kevin Smith
President's Award	Walter Warriner
Executive Director's Award	Mike Palat
Gold Leaf Award	California Oak Foundation
Gold Leaf Award	Disneyland Resort Arboriculture
Gold Leaf Award	City of Encinitas
Gold Leaf Award	Arizona Community Tree Council
Gold Leaf Award	Arizona Nursery Associations
Gold Leaf Award	Ojai Trees
Gold Leaf Award	Kern River Parkway Foundation