



STARS OF THE INDUSTRY AWARD RECIPIENTS

Associate of the Year

- 2020 Connie Barbian, *Connect Hospitality Solutions*
- 2019 Dr. Lynea Lavoy, *Madison College*
- 2018 Shari Engstrom, *Sid Grinker Restoration*
- 2017 Jennifer Church, *Milmark Hotel/Motel Investments*
- 2016 Jim Laurino, *Charter Spectrum*
- 2015 David Jerrett, *Bay Towel*
- 2014 Barry Chaet; *Beck, Chaet, Bamberger & Polsky, SC, Milwaukee*
- 2013 Lisa Hogberg, *American Express Company*
- 2012 Jenny Craig, *Standard Textile*
- 2011 Keran Farrell, *Steinhafels Commercial Interiors*
- 2009 Professor Joseph Holland J.D., *University of Wisconsin-Stout, Menomonie*
- 2008 Doug Nysse, *Kahler Slater Architects, Inc; Milwaukee*
- 2007 Barry Chaet; *Beck, Chaet, Bamberger & Polsky, SC, Milwaukee*
- 2006 Keran Farrell, *Serta National*
- 2005 Ron McCord, *CHA, CHB, Milmark Hotel/Motel Investments, LLC, Oconomowoc*
- 2004 Tom Boyle, *Society Insurance, Fond du Lac*
- 2003 Arnie Labofsky, *Furniture Industries, Inc., Minneapolis, MN*
- 2002 Bob Caston, *Baymont Inns & Suites Franchises International, Inc., Milwaukee*
- 2001 Allan Walker, *Tel-Phone Resources, Waunakee*
- 2000 Ron McCord, *CHA, Courtesy Coffee, Brookfield*
- 1999 Barry Chaet, *Beck, Chaet, Molony & Bamberger, SC, Milwaukee*
- 1998 Kim Faith, *Furniture Industries, Minneapolis, MN*
- 1997 Jan Ruthenberg, *Ameritech Pay Phone Services, Waukesha*
- 1996 Ron McCord, *Milmark Hotel/Motel Investments, Brookfield*
- 1995 Perry Schaack, *Society Insurance, Fond du Lac*
- 1993 Roy Laurence, *H W. Baker Linen, Indian Head Park, IL*

Corporate Champion of the Year

- 2020 Jonathan Webster, *Geronimo Hospitality Group*
- 2019 Mehul Mike Patel, *MoveMent Hospitality*
- 2018 Greg Stillman, *Foremost Management Services, Inc*
- 2017 Becky Rogers, *IDM Hospitality Management*

- 2016 Amy Simchak, *North Central Group*
- 2015 Kevin Gallagher, *Marcus Hotels & Resorts*
- 2014 Connie Barbian, *IDM Hospitality Management*
- 2013 Todd Winkler, *Wisco Hotel Group*

Innkeeper of the Year

- 2020 Rory Madsen, *Gordon Lodge, Baileys Harbor*
- 2019 John Chastan, *Kalahari Resort, Wisconsin Dells*
- 2018 Jon Jossart, *Ambassador Hotel & Ambassador Inn, Milwaukee*
- 2017 Skip Harless, *Hilton Madison Monona Terrace, Madison*
- 2016 Charlie Eggen, *Holiday Inn Express & Suites Verona, Fairfield Inn & Suites, Madison*
- 2015 Jason Ilstrup, *HotelRed*
- 2014 Buck Drossart, *The Pointe Hotel & Suites and Conference Center*
- 2014 Scott Krause, *Heidel House Resort, Green Lake*
- 2013 Daniel Schetter, *The Best Western Premier Waterfront Hotel & Convention Center, Oshkosh*
- 2012 Lola Roeh, *The Osthoff Resort*
- 2011 Bob Dhir, *DHIR Group, LLC*
- 2010 Bob Dove, *Best Western Bridgewood, Neenah*
- 2009 Brian Brandstetter, *Cornerstone Hotel Management, De Forest*
- 2008 Kari Zambon, *Holiday Acres Resort, Rhinelander*
- 2007 Buck Drossart, *The Pointe Hotel & Suites and Conference Center*
- 2006 Kirk Drusch, *CHA, Brookfield Suites Hotel & Convention. Center*
- 2005 Scott Krause, *Heidel House Resort, Green Lake*
- 2004 Dan Dick, *Tundra Lodge Resort & Waterpark, Green Bay*
- 2003 Scott Smith, *Best Western East Town Suites, Madison*
- 2002 Lola Roeh, *The Osthoff Resort, Elkhart Lake*
- 2001 Scott Faulkner, *The Edgewater Inn, Madison*
- 2000 Gerda Safer, *Gypsy Villa Resort, Eagle River*
- 1999 Kimberly Seidl, *Victorian Treasures B & B, Lodi*
- 1998 Tim & Prudence Ross, *Ross' Teal Lake Lodge, Hayward*
- 1997 Kari Zambon, *Holiday Acres Resort, Rhinelander*
- 1996 Cheryl Zaug, *Country House Resort, Sister Bay*
- 1995 Cal Worrell, *Madison Concourse Hotel, Madison*