



Real Estate Educators Association

## 2015 Annual REEA Awards

**Awards will be given at the 2015 Annual REEA Conference in Storrs, CT June 18-22. 2015.**

*REEA Award Criteria and Submission Instructions:*

- **Educator of the Year**
- **The Jack Wiedemer Distinguished Career Award**
- **Education Program of the Year**
- **Judging the Awards**
- **Nomination Deadline**

*Only submissions by REEA Members will be considered.*

### **EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR:**

Recognizes the individual who has made the single greatest contribution in the field of real estate education for the last full calendar year, e.g., Your nomination must include the following:

1. **Educational Timelines:**  
Describe specifically the educator's single greatest contribution to real estate education this past year.
2. **Credentials, Recognition, and Leadership:**  
Describe specifically the nominee's credentials, including degrees, designations, licenses, etc. Describe nominee's reputation at the local, state, and national level as an expert or leader in the field.
3. **Impact on Students/Consumers:**  
Describe the impact of the educator's current contribution to students and/or consumers. How was the impact measured or determined?
4. **Professional Contributions:**  
Describe other specific contributions, such as research and/or publications (books, papers, and articles) of benefit to real estate or real estate education, made this year.
5. **Impact on Real Estate Industry/Real Estate Education Profession:**  
Describe the impact of this year's contributions on local, state, and national REEA goals and/or mission, and/or licensing agencies. Describe the nominee's participation in REEA. Describe contributions that have enhanced real estate education.
6. **Additional material/information**  
(ex. biographical information -- resume or vita; information regarding period of REEA membership; examples of print contributions; testimonials; etc.) should be attached to support this nomination.

### **THE JACK WIEDEMER DISTINGUISHED CAREER AWARD:**

Recognizes a notable educator who has devoted at least ten years to real estate education. Your nomination must include the following:

1. **History of Excellence:**  
Describe in general how the nominee (an individual who has devoted at least ten years to real estate education) has performed broad based real estate research, publication, service and teaching.
2. **Credentials, Recognition, and Leadership:**  
Describe specifically the nominee's credentials, including degrees, designations, licenses, etc. Describe nominee's reputation at the local, state, and national level as an expert or leader in the field.

3. **Importance of Work/Programs:**  
Describe specific contributions to the real estate industry and/or the real estate education profession by leadership roles at the local, state, and/or national level (for example, serving as officer or committee chair; serving on task forces or special governmental committees). Describe specific contributions to the real estate industry or real estate education by developing, providing and/or implementing programs, or by authoring course materials, article, pamphlets, and/or books.
4. **Publications and Research:**  
Describe specific research and/or publications (books, papers, articles) of benefit to real estate or real estate education.
5. **Promotion of Real Estate Education:**  
Describe in general how the nominee has furthered local, state, and national REEA goals and/or mission. Describe participation in REEA. Describe contributions that have developed or enhanced real estate education.
6. **Additional material/information:**  
(ex. biographical information -- resume or vita; information regarding period of REEA membership; examples of print contributions; testimonials; etc.) should be attached to support this nomination.

### **EDUCATION PROGRAM OF THE YEAR:**

Recognizes the educational program deemed the most successful effort of the last full calendar year .Your nomination must include the following:

1. **Subject Matter:**  
Explain how program topic/content is important to the field of real estate. Is it relevant and comprehensive? What are the program's instructional objectives?
2. **Format and Design:**  
How is the format designed to enhance learning? Who is the program's target audience? Does it maintain audience attention? What instructional strategies are employed? What learning technology or other educational innovation is used?
3. **Instructional Quality:**  
How are the instructors specifically qualified to teach this program? How are the instructors evaluated?
4. **Marketing/Program Delivery:**  
How is the program delivered? Marketed? How successful was marketing at reaching the target audience?
5. **Participation and Benefit:**  
How have participants benefited from the program? How were benefits objectively measured/determined?
6. **Additional material/information:**  
(ex. biographical information -- resume or vita; information regarding period of REEA membership; examples of print contributions; testimonials; etc.) should be attached to support this nomination.

### **JUDGING AWARDS**

Each submission will be reviewed and graded by every member of the Awards committee. In the event a committee member is nominated for an award, or is employed by a school, regulatory agency, or organization that is submitting in any award category, that committee member may not participate in the evaluation of the submissions in that particular category. In this case, the chairperson shall review and grade submissions in that category. A submission can receive a maximum of 50 points from each committee member eligible to evaluate in that category. Each of the criteria will be judged on a basis of 1-10 points. The points awarded by each committee member will be averaged to determine the award recipient. A minimum average of 35 points must be received to be considered award worthy. In the event there is a tie for the highest number of points received in a category, both submissions shall receive an award.

**2015 REEA Conference Awards Deadline: May 15, 2015**

Email a PDF and a Word Doc copy of your nomination to [Awards@reea.org](mailto:Awards@reea.org)