

# BC CSSE

## Achievement Recognition Awards Program

### RECOGNIZING EXCELLENCE, PROFESSIONALISM AND EXPERTISE IN OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

The Canadian Society of Safety Engineering (CSSE) is a non-profit organization of safety practitioners. Our objective is to promote the arts and sciences of loss prevention for the conservation of people, equipment, material and the environment, and to encourage the pursuit of excellence in the profession.

Now in its 21<sup>st</sup> year, the BC Yukon Region of the CSSE has recognized outstanding achievement by both individuals and organizations through the annual Achievement Recognition Awards program. Each year, after nominations are received, an awards committee selects the winners.

#### BC CSSE Awards – as easy as 1, 2, 3...

1. Choose the Award Category you wish to enter.
2. Nominate yourself, a colleague or company/organization.
3. Send in a completed Nomination Form by the deadline date.

#### Individual Awards:

Nominations are accepted for individuals who have demonstrated exceptional leadership in the profession which resulted in a significant contribution to the workplace. You may nominate yourself or someone else in one of three categories:

*Senior Safety Professional* — CSSE member with more than 5 years safety experience

*Novice Safety Professional* — CSSE member with less than 5 years safety experience

*Non-CSSE Safety Professional* — safety professional who is not a CSSE member

#### Organization Awards:

Nominations are accepted for organizations, unions, teams, etc., who have succeeded in making a significant contribution in the workplace. You may nominate your own organization or group, or one that you are familiar with, in one of four categories:

*1–50 employees or members*

*51–500 employees or members*

*Over 500 employees or members*

*Safety Specific Non Profit Organizations*

#### Special Awards:

*Best Training/Orientation Program for Young and New Workers* — to recognize an organization for their outstanding program tailored to meet the specific needs of young workers (ages 15-24) — sponsored by WorkSafeBC. There are two categories of awards for organizations with:

- 1 – 19 employees (small business)*
- 20 or more employees*

*Mar Sherwood Bursary (for students enrolled in full time studies of OH&S)* — this bursary will be given in recognition of academic achievement, participation in the CSSE and the overall need of the student

*Outstanding Achievement by a Safety Professional* — to recognize an outstanding achievement in the area of development of a safety tool, device or equipment, writing of a safety text, program or training course, or production of a safety video, computer program or similar audio-visual element



**Robert Wright Lifetime Achievement** — to recognize the lifetime achievements of a CSSE member with 20 years or more experience, based on their participation in CSSE and their overall contribution to the field of safety through participation, contribution and/or mentoring

**Special Projects (2 or more people)** — to recognize a project that will enhance occupational health & safety beyond the workplace

**TruckSafe Excellence Award** — to recognize an individual who, by his/her commitment to truck/workplace safety and leadership has made an outstanding contribution to the promotion of workplace safety in the trucking industry. Sponsored by WorkSafeBC

**TruckSafe Organizational Excellence Award** — to recognize a company, industry or labour organization/association, which by its commitment to truck/workplace safety, vision and leadership has made an outstanding contribution to the promotion of workplace safety in the trucking industry. Sponsored by WorkSafeBC

**Young and New Workers — Special Project** — to recognize an organization, union, team, etc. — for their innovative project(s) in relation to young and new worker injury prevention. Sponsored by WorkSafeBC

The awards will be presented at the **BC CSSE Achievement Recognition Awards and Safety & Health Week Forum and Awards Luncheon held on October 21<sup>st</sup>, 2010**. For further information, e-mail [naoshawards@worksafebc.com](mailto:naoshawards@worksafebc.com)

Nomination forms and further information on the awards is available at the CSSE website: [www.csse-lmc.org](http://www.csse-lmc.org) or contact Kathy Tull at 604 233-4024; e-mail [kathy.tull@worksafebc.com](mailto:kathy.tull@worksafebc.com)

**Deadline for submission is June 25, 2010.**

## Canadian Society of Safety Engineering — BC/Yukon Region

### Achievement Recognition Awards — 2009 Winners

#### Individual Awards:

*Non-CSSE Safety Professional* Larry DeGusseme

#### Organization Awards:

*Organization (51–500 employees)* Wallace & Carey Inc.

*Organization (500+ employees)* Capital Regional District

#### Special Awards:

*Mar Sherwood Bursary Award* Christine Merner, BCIT OHS Student

*Special Project* LTS Solutions Ltd. (Ledcor) for “DriveSafe”

*TruckSafe Excellence Award (sponsored by WorkSafeBC)* Bob Ballance, McRae’s Environmental Services Ltd.



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