



**2020  
Awards Luncheon**

**October 12, 2020  
Virtual Meeting**

# The Masonry Society Awards Presentation

Monday, October 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020  
11:30 AM ET

**Welcome**.....Christine A. Subasic, TMS President

**Recognition of Executive Committee and Current Board Members** .....  
..... Christine A. Subasic

Past President ..... Darrell W. McMillian  
Vice President ..... W. Mark McGinley  
Secretary/Treasurer ..... Jason J. Thompson  
TAC Chair..... Peter M. Babaian  
ACT Chair..... James A. Farny  
Zone 1 ..... James P. Mwangi and Thomas M. Corcoran  
Zone 2 ..... Manuel A. Diaz and Fernando Fonseca  
Zone 3 ..... Matthew T. Reiter and Robert C. Haukohl  
Zone 4 ..... Charles A. Haynes and Craig M. Bennett  
Zone 5 ..... Nebojsa Mojsilovic and David Stubbs  
At Large Member Representatives ..... Steve M. Dill, David L. Pierson,  
..... Diane B. Throop, David I. McLean, and Michael P. Schuller  
Affiliate/Sustaining Member Reps ..... Jamie L. Davis, Craig Finch,  
..... and Brian Trimble

**Recognition of Executive Committee and Board Members  
(Starting After Meetings)**..... Christine A. Subasic

President ..... Christine A. Subasic  
President Elect ..... W. Mark McGinley  
Vice President ..... Jason J. Thompson  
Secretary/Treasurer ..... Peter M. Babaian  
TAC Chair..... Paul G. Scott  
ACT Chair..... James A. Farny  
Zone 1 ..... Thomas M. Corcoran and John M. Hochwalt  
Zone 2 ..... Fernando Fonseca and Alireza Sayah  
Zone 3 ..... Robert C. Haukohl and Rachel L. Will  
Zone 4 ..... Craig M. Bennett and Charles J. Tucker  
Zone 5 ..... David Stubbs and Nebojsa Mojsilovic  
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**Administrative Committees – Recognitions** ..... James A. Farny

Outgoing ACT Chairs ..... W. Mark McGinley as Chair of Meetings Committee  
..... Jason J. Thompson as Chair of Bylaws Committee

Incoming ACT Chairs  
Meetings Committee ..... Jason J. Thompson  
Bylaws Committee ..... Peter M. Babaian

**Technical Committees – Recognitions** ..... Peter M. Babaian

Outgoing TAC Members ..... Gary Porter

Outgoing TAC Chairs  
Technical Activities Committee ..... Peter M. Babaian  
Existing Masonry Committee ..... Robert C. Haukohl  
BIM for Masonry Committee ..... Jamie L. Davis

Incoming TAC Chairs  
Technical Activities Committee ..... Paul G. Scott  
Existing Masonry Committee ..... Edward A. Gerns  
BIM for Masonry Committee ..... Phillippe J. Ledent

**Presentation of 2020 Outstanding Master’s Thesis Award**.....  
..... John J. Myers, Research Committee Chair

**Presentation of 2020 Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award** .....  
..... John J. Myers, Research Committee Chair

**Presentation of 2020 John B. Scalzi Award** .....  
..... John J. Myers, Research Committee Chair

**Presentation of 2020 Paul Haller Award**..... David G. Sommer  
Design Practices Committee Chair

**Presentation of 2020 TMS Service Awards** .....  
.....Mohamed ElGawady, Awards Committee Chair

**Presentation of 2020 President’s Award** ..... Christine A. Subasic  
..... TMS President

**Closing Remarks** ..... Christine A. Subasic

## **OUTSTANDING DOCTORAL DISSERTATION & MASTER'S THESIS AWARDS**

The Student Theses Awards are presented annually to honor a student and faculty advisor for outstanding Doctoral dissertations and Master theses on masonry.

The 2019 Best Master's Thesis Award was presented to Sarah Elizabeth Jemison, at Missouri Science & Technology for her paper titled: "Compressive Behavior of Masonry Columns Confined with Steel Reinforced Grout (SRG) Composite" under the direction of Dr. Lesley Sneed.

The 2019 Best Master's Thesis Award was presented to Amir Rezaeivahdati, at the University of Saskatchewan for his paper titled: "Towards the Reconciliation of the Empirical and Rational Design Provisions of CSA S304-14" under the direction of Dr. Lisa R. Feldman.

The 2019 Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award was presented to Daniele Malomo at the University of Pavia, Italy for his paper titled: "Discrete Element Models for the Seismic Assessment of Unreinforced Masonry Structures" under the direction of Dr. Andrea Penna.

The 2019 Outstanding Doctoral Dissertation Award was presented to Shady Hesham Abdel-Mohaimen Bakr Salem at McMaster University for his paper titled: "Resilience-Based Blast Design of Reinforced Concrete Masonry Systems " under the direction of Dr. Wael El-Dakhkhni.

A complete listing of past winners of these awards is available on TMS's Website at [www.masonrysociety.org](http://www.masonrysociety.org).  
(2020 winners to be announced)

### **CLAYFORD T. GRIMM, P.E. STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

This Scholarship is in memory of Tom Grimm, a Founding and Honorary Member of TMS, a noted author, teacher, researcher, and a friend and mentor to many. The Scholarship is awarded to a Master's degree student performing research in the field of masonry under the direction of a TMS Member professor. Past recipients of the Clayford T. Grimm, P.E. Student Scholarship are:

- 2012: Roanne Dawn Kelln, under Dr. Lisa Feldman at the University of Saskatchewan.
- 2011: Sarah E. Ebright, under the direction of Dr. Jennifer Tanner at the University of Wyoming.
- 2010: Jacob D. Sherman, under the direction of Dr. David I. McLean at Washington State University.
- 2009: Stephen A. (Alex) Crotty, under the direction of Dr. Lawrence F. Kahn at Georgia Institute of Technology.

No applications were received in 2020 for the scholarship.  
See the TMS website to submit an application for 2021

### **James L. Noland Student Fellowship**

Established in 1995 to honor the memory of James L. Noland, the Noland Scholarship is awarded every four years at the North American Masonry Conference to a graduate student who is doing research on masonry. This research can be in materials, structures, architecture, or construction and must be performed under the direction of a Member of The Masonry Society. The Masonry Society's Scholarship Committee presented the **2019** James L. Noland Student Fellowship to Samira Rizaei, E.I.T., MSc, PhD Candidate researching Manufactured Thin Stone Bond under the direction of Dr. Nigel Shrive at the University of Calgary at the 13NAMC in Salt Lake City, UT in June 2019.

## JOHN B. SCALZI RESEARCH AWARD

This award, named after the late Dr. John B. Scalzi of the National Science Foundation, is presented annually to honor an individual who has made an outstanding, lifetime contribution to masonry research. Past winners of the John B. Scalzi Research Award are:

John B. Scalzi (1990)	Nigel G. Shrive (2000)	Paulo B. Lourenco (2010)
James L. Noland (1991)	Adrian W. Page (2001)	Jason M. Ingham (2011)
Robert F. Drysdale (1992)	Luigia A. Binda (2002)	W. Mark McGinley (2012)
Clare B. Monk (1993)	John L. Dawe (2003)	Wolfram R. Jaeger (2013)
Arnold W. Hendry (1994)	Ahmad A. Hamid (2004)	Richard M. Bennett (2014)
Russell H. Brown (1995)	Miha Tomazevic (2005)	Michael P. Schuller (2015)
Richard H. Atkinson (1996)	Max L. Porter (2006)	Wael El-Dakhakhni (2016)
Daniel P. Abrams (1997)	Arturo E. Schultz (2007)	Amde M. Amde (2017)
Nigel M. J. Priestley (1998)	David I. McLean (2008)	Antonio Nanni (2018)
Richard E. Klingner (1999)	P. Benson Shing (2009)	Michael C. Griffith (2019)

(2020 winner to be announced)

## HALLER AWARD

The Haller Award is intended to recognize an individual engineer or engineering firm that has enhanced the knowledge of masonry in practice. This award recognizes the beauty, elegance, and economy of structural masonry. The award is named after Professor Paul Haller, a dynamic engineer who helped revolutionize the design of structural masonry.

Past Recipients of the Haller Award are:

- 1993: VSL Corporation - renovation of the Holy Cross Church, in Santa Cruz, CA
- 1996: James M. Cutts - design of the Korean War Memorial, Washington, DC
- 1999: Whitby Bird and Partners - restoration of Winterton House, London, United Kingdom
- 2011: Edwin T. Huston, Smith & Huston, Inc., Seattle, WA
- 2012: John G. Tawresey, KPFF, Seattle, WA
- 2013: David T. Biggs, Biggs Consulting Engineering, Saratoga Springs, NY
- 2014: Michael P. Schuller, Atkinson Noland & Associates, Boulder, CO
- 2015: Benchmark H. Harris, Huckabee, Inc., Fort Worth, TX
- 2016: Samuel M. Rubenzer, FORSE Consulting, Eau Claire, WI
- 2017: Chukwuma Ekwueme, Thornton Tomasetti, Los Angeles, CA
- 2018 Scott W. Walkowicz, Walkowicz Consulting Engineers, Lansing, MI
- 2019 Thomas A. Gangel, Wallace Engineering, Tulsa, OK

(2020 winner to be announced)

## SERVICE AWARD

The Masonry Society's Service Award is presented annually to individuals who volunteer in special, typically unseen ways, and who are not normally recognized for their efforts. The winner is selected by the Awards Committee based on recommendations from TMS Members and the Executive Director. Past honorees include:

Thomas Escobar (2006)	James A. Farny (2010)	Nicholas R. Lang (2014)
Jason J. Thompson (2006)	Thomas P. Samblanet (2010)	Russ Peterson (2015)
Linda K. Miller (2007)	Richard M. Bennett (2011)	Pamela C. Jergenson (2016)
Terence A. Weigel (2007)	Thomas C. Young (2011)	Jason J. Thompson (2016)
William A. Wood, (2007)	Janet L. Boyer (2012)	Diane B. Throop (2016)
Benchmark Harris (2008)	Raymond T. Miller (2012)	Charles A. Haynes (2017)
Paul D. Hoggatt (2008)	John E. Swink (2012)	Paul G. Scott (2017)
W. Mark McGinley (2008)	John Chrysler (2013)	Ronald J. Hunsicker (2018)
Edwin T. Huston (2009)	Dennis W. Graber (2013)	Julie McMillian (2019)
Richard E. Klingner (2009)	William C. McEwen (2013)	Kurtis K. Siggard (2019)
Christine A. Subasic (2009)	Atkinson-Noland Assoc. (2014)	
G. Andy Dalrymple (2010)	Luis A. Dominguez (2014)	

(2020 winner to be announced)

## PRESIDENT'S AWARD

This Award is presented annually by the TMS President to an individual who has made exceptional contributions to the success of the Society. Past winners include:

James L. Noland (1990)	Richard E. Klingner (2000)	Scott W. Walkowicz (2010)
John G. Tawresey (1991)	James Colville (2001)	Christine Subasic (2011)
James E. Amrhein (1992)	Stuart Beavers (2002)	Diane B. Throop (2012)
J. Gregg Borchelt (1993)	Russell H. Brown (2003)	John G. Tawresey (2013)
Gary C. Hart (1994)	John M. Melander (2004)	Rochelle C. Jaffe (2014)
Clayford T. Grimm (1995)	J. Patrick Rand (2005)	David I. McLean (2015)
William G. Bailey (1996)	Lawrence F. Kahn (2006)	Richard M. Bennett (2016)
Daniel P. Abrams (1997)	Raymond T. Miller (2007)	Jason J. Thompson (2017)
John H. Matthys (1998)	John Chrysler (2008)	Jerry M. Painter (2018)
Max L. Porter (1999)	Robert D. Thomas (2009)	Fernando Fonseca (2019)

(2020 winner to be announced)

## FELLOW AWARD

Being recognized as a Fellow Member is one of the two most prestigious honors given by the Society. Fellow Members are chosen by their peers from those persons who have been Members of the Society for at least ten years. Any Member may nominate a Member to this status. Nominees must be in good standing with the Society and have made notable contributions to the advancement of knowledge of masonry, to the improvement of the masonry industry, to education, or to service to the Society.

## TMS FELLOWS

Daniel P. Abrams	Ahmad A. Hamid	Adrian W. Page
Amde M. Amde	Gary C. Hart	Max L. Porter
William G. Bailey	Edwin T. Huston	J. Patrick Rand
Christine Beall	Rochelle C. Jaffe	Michael P. Schuller
Richard M. Bennett	Lawrence F. Kahn	Arturo E. Schultz
Luigia A. Binda	Richard E. Klingner	Nigel G. Shrive
J. Gregg Borchelt	Paulo B. Lourenco	Kurtis K. Siggard
Russell H. Brown	W. Mark McGinley	John G. Tawresey
John M. Bufford	David I. McLean	Robert D. Thomas
John Chrysler	John M. Melander	Jason J. Thompson
James Colville	Raymond T. Miller	Diane B. Throop
John L. Dawe	Vilas Mujumdar	Scott W. Walkowicz
Robert G. Drysdale	John J. Myers	Thomas C. Young

## HONORARY MEMBERSHIP AWARD

Honorary Membership is the highest honor that TMS can bestow on a Member. It recognizes individuals who have attained acknowledged eminence related to masonry research, design, or construction.

Daniel P. Abrams	Walter L. Dickey	Clarence B. Monk, Jr.
James E. Amrhein	Clayford T. Grimm	James L. Noland
Stuart R. Beavers	George C. Hanson	John G. Tawresey
David T. Biggs	Arnold H. Hendry	Donald A. Wakefield
J. Gregg Borchelt	Richard E. Klingner	H.W.H. West
Russell H. Brown	John H. Matthys	

## **TMS SUSTAINING MEMBERS**

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Seves Glass Block Inc.  
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