



Yvonne C. Brill Lectureship in Aerospace Engineering

The Yvonne C. Brill Lecture in Aerospace Engineering was established in 2013 in memory of Yvonne Brill, pioneering rocket scientist, AIAA Honorary Fellow and NAE member. She was a trailblazer at a time when women were not encouraged to enter the science and technology fields.

The Lecture emphasizes research or engineering issues for space travel and exploration, aerospace education of students and the public, and other aerospace issues such as ensuring a diverse and robust engineering community.

Nomination Instructions

Eligibility

1. Nominees are not required to be AIAA or NAE members.
2. Nominees from all countries are eligible.
3. Nominee may not be a member of the selection committee.
4. Past recipients may not apply for this award a second time.
5. Posthumous awards will not be made. If a nominee passes while the selection process is ongoing, the nomination will be withdrawn and will not be considered. If a nominee passes after being selected, the lecture will be cancelled and not delivered.

Who May Nominate?

1. Self-nominations are not permitted
2. Nominator is required to be a current AIAA or NAE Member
3. Nominator may not also serve as a reference or participate on the selection committee.

Who May Submit a Letter of Endorsement?

1. Endorsers are required to be either an AIAA or NAE Member in good standing.
2. Endorsers may not participate on the selection committee.
3. It is the nominator's responsibility to contact potential endorsers prior to submitting the nomination to AIAA.
4. At least 3 endorsers must submit their endorsement.

Nomination Process

1. The nominator must prepare and submit a complete nomination package on the [Award | AIAA / Lectureship Awards | AIAA](#) by COB nomination deadline.
2. A Nomination Package includes:
 - Candidate Information, including organization, job title, address, email.
 - Previous Distinguished Lecture or Speaking Experiences
 - Awards
 - Resume or Bio
 - Proposed Lecture Title and Abstract
 - Basis for Lectureship
 - Reference listing
3. The complete nomination package must be in English.
4. Incomplete nominations on file with AIAA at the submission deadline will not be considered.
5. The nominator must ensure that the nominee is eligible for the award. Contact AIAA Honors and Awards if assistance is needed. AIAA Honors and Awards will verify the eligibility of nominees.

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