

ICNDT Recognition of Voluntary Effort 2024

Dear Colleagues,

The International Committee for Non-Destructive Testing (ICNDT) acknowledges all voluntary work carried out by members of NDT societies worldwide, furthermore at each World Conference, ICNDT selects certain individuals who are worthy of special recognition of voluntary effort.

If you are a nominator or society representative responsible for a nomination below, please notify them accordingly and advise regarding attendance at WCNDT (see below).

For 2024, nine people have been chosen for such recognition, several of which were nominated for ICNDT awards.

They are:

Gerhard Aufricht (OGfZP) for services to ICNDT as Treasurer for 20 years.

Prof Robert Smith (BINDT) for effort in BINDT and the UK NDT research community to promote NDT research and cooperation between academia and industry.

Prof Pavel Mazal (CNDT) for many years of service to the Czech NDT Society and EFNDT, including organising the European NDT & CM Research Days events in Prague and the ECNDT in 2014.

Jon Biddulph (BINDT) for service to the aerospace NDT community, especially the creation and operation of the UK NDT Aerospace Board and European Forum of NDT Aerospace Boards.

Florence Bey (COFREND) for service in education, training and certification to the railway sector in France since 2011.

Dickson Tan Beng Siew (NDTSS) for services and outstanding leadership as Chair of the Singapore NDT Certification Committee.

Abdur Rahman Mahomed (SAINT) for services dedicated to the training of the next generation in Africa and beyond.

Istvan Skopal (MAROVISZ) for 34 years of service to education and certification in Hungary.

Takeo Tsuchiya (JSNDI) for 30 years of service to ISO TC 135 committees.

Congratulations to all! These recognitions will be announced at the 1st ICNDT General Assembly meeting at the 20th WCNDT in Seoul, Korea, on Tuesday 28 May 2024. For conference information, visit: www.20thwcndt.com

It would be appreciated if recipients would confirm their attendance at the above meeting. If winners are unable to attend, please advise and, if possible, nominate someone to represent them. Otherwise, Letters of Recognition will be emailed.

Thank you and regards, Zoe

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