

2007 SEAOC / Nabih Youssef Young Engineers Awards *Call for Entries*

To: All Younger Structural Engineering Professionals interested in attending the 2007 SEAOC Convention near Lake Tahoe, CA

From: David Calia, P.E. – SEAOC Young Engineers Award Coordinator, SEAOC Younger Members Forum

The Structural Engineers Association of California (SEAOC), in conjunction with Mr. Nabih Youssef, is proud to announce that once again we will be hosting the Young Engineers Awards at the 2007 SEAOC Convention. This year we will be recognizing our younger engineering members by sponsoring the convention registration for the recipients of the Young Engineers Award.

We are inviting all of our younger members to participate in our call for poster boards. The boards will be judged based on the overall information presented for projects that are unique, interesting, innovative, or challenging. The winners will ultimately have their poster boards displayed at our annual convention.

The Younger Engineers Award Program was founded by a generous donation from Mr. Nabih Youssef at the 1999 SEAOC Convention. The original intent remains: To encourage young engineers to attend the annual SEAOC Convention by offering awards to help cover their costs.

The 2007 SEAOC Convention will be held at the Resort at Squaw Creek near Lake Tahoe, CA on September 26-29, 2007.

TOPIC: Any structural engineering project, which is interesting and informative. The projects may be in the design, construction, or completed stage.

ELIGIBILITY: All current members of SEAOC, age thirty-five (35) years and younger.

AWARDEES: One (1) representative from each regional association (North, South, Central, & San Diego), and up to five (5) at-large representatives, nine (9) total.

AWARD: Winners will be awarded full registration, granting them access to all events during the 4 days of convention. In addition, winners will be allowed to invite one guest, free of charge, to the Friday night dinner where their awards will be presented.

Interested parties should submit a brief abstract (300 words or less) describing the project, and an 8-1/2"x11" sketch of their poster board layout [via e-mail, fax, or standard mail] on or before August 1, 2007 to:

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The Young Engineers Award Committee will review the abstracts and sketches. Participants will be notified by August 17, 2007 regarding award acceptance. Detailed instructions for the completion and display of the poster boards at the convention will be sent to the winning participants at the time awards are announced.

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