



Call for 2026 Award Nominations



THE CWB ASSOCIATION FELLOW AWARD

The CWB Association has established an annual Fellow Award that honours one individual with an exemplary reputation and service to advancement of welding sciences, technology application, research, education, publication of papers, books, Journal articles and peer recognition.

The award consists of a CWBA plaque and a **\$1,000 cash prize**.

The 2026 Industry Awards will be presented on June 8th at the Welding Industry Day post-conference event in Milton, ON.

Congratulations to our previous winners:

2013	Patrício Mendez, University of Alberta
2014	John Goldak, Carleton University
2015	Barry Patchett, University of Alberta
2016	Leijun Li, University of Alberta
2017	Xinjin Cao, National Defence
2018	Mahyar Asadi, Applus Canada
2019	Priti Wanjara, NRC
2020	Not awarded
2021	Daolun Chen, Ryerson University
2022	Gentry Wood, Apollo Clad
2023	Adrian Gerlich, University of Waterloo
2024	Norman Zhou, University of Waterloo
2025	Jim Galloway, Conestoga College



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THE CWB ASSOCIATION FELLOW AWARD Nomination form

Nominator information:

Name: _____

Phone Number:

Company:

Nominee information:

Name: _____

Phone Number:

City:

Province:

Postal Code:

Reason for nomination (use additional space as appropriate):



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NOMINATE TODAY! All nominations must be received by Tuesday, April 6, 2026.
Complete the form and email nominations to dan.tadic@cwbgroup.org.
Visit www.cwbgroup.org/advocacy/conferences for more information about the awards and the conference.