



2009 AHPA Awards

The American Herbal Products Association (AHPA) is seeking nominations for its 2009 AHPA Awards. These annual awards, launched in 2006, acknowledge individuals and organizations who make substantive, positive contributions to the herbal products industry. The AHPA Awards will be presented at the annual AHPA Member Breakfast Meeting on March 5, 2009, in Anaheim, California.

The AHPA Award categories are:

AHPA Hero – Individuals who make outstanding contributions to AHPA committees or initiatives. Nominees must be employed by an AHPA member company.

Herbal Industry Leader – Companies that set an example of outstanding business practices or organizations that work to move the industry forward above and beyond normal business practices. Nominees must be members of AHPA.

Herbal Insight Award – Individuals or non-commercial organizations that have a significant impact on furthering knowledge and understanding of botanicals and their uses. Nominees need not be associated with an AHPA member company.

Nominations must be made by AHPA members, using the attached form (see page 2).

The nomination deadline is Thursday, January 8, 2009.

Nominations must be made by an outside party, preferably with an objective perspective on how the candidate has stood out in the community.

Previous AHPA Awards honorees are:

- Anthony Young, Esq. – 2008 Herbal Hero
- Beth Lambert – 2007 Herbal Hero
- Staci Eisner – 2006 Herbal Hero

- Herb Pharm – 2008 Herbal Industry Leader
- Traditional Medicinals – 2007 Herbal Industry Leader
- Nature's Way Products, Inc. – 2006 Herbal Industry Leader

- Steven Foster – 2008 Herbal Insight Award
- Stephen Straus, M.D. – 2008 Herbal Insight Award
- Joseph Betz, Ph.D. – 2007 Herbal Insight Award
- Norman R. Farnsworth, Ph.D. – 2006 Herbal Research Award

2009 AHPA Awards Nomination Form

Please fax to AHPA (301-588-1174) by Thursday, January 8, 2009

Select the Award Category:

AHPA Hero

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Information about the person making the nomination: (please print or type)

Your name, position _____

Your company name _____

Are you an AHPA Member? Yes No

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

The information provided in this nomination and support documents is true, to the best of my knowledge.

Nominator's signature and date _____

Information about the person/organization being nominated:

Individual's name _____

Organization name _____

Are they an AHPA Member? Yes No

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

I'm making this nomination because: (please provide a supporting description, documentation, and/or background material, using additional pages, as needed)