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**ACE Annual Awards & Honors Information  
Now accepting nominations for the 2018 awards!**

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## The 2018 Awards & Honors

The American College of Epidemiology invites nominations for:

### The Abraham Lilienfeld Award

#### ***Award Description***

The College's most prestigious award is given in honor of Abraham Lilienfeld, a founder of the American College of Epidemiology and a renowned teacher and scholar. The Lilienfeld Award is conferred each year at the Annual Meeting. The Lilienfeld Award recipient is invited to address Fellows and Members of the College during the Annual Meeting Award Luncheon. Lilienfeld Awardees are recognized as lifetime Honorary Fellows of the College and receive an honorarium. In addition, the costs of attending the Annual Meeting (transportation and accommodation) will be reimbursed and registration expenses will be waived.

#### ***Eligibility Criteria***

An eligible nominee should be a senior leader who has made extraordinary contributions to the field of epidemiology over the course of her/his career, through both teaching or mentoring and research or scholarship. Self-nominations are not accepted.

#### ***Nomination Procedure***

- Nominations must be made by an active ACE member (Associate, Member, Fellow, Honorary Fellow, or Emeritus)
- Nominations consist of a letter highlighting the nominee's achievements and/or contributions pertinent to the award, and a current curriculum vitae.
- The nominator may include up to two supporting letters.
- Please supply complete nomination packages only.
- Nominations for the 2018 Award will be accepted March 1 through May 14, 2018.

Please send nomination letters and candidate CVs as PDF files attached to an email to:

Steve Jacobsen, MD, PhD  
Awards Committee Chair  
American College of Epidemiology  
[steven.j.jacobsen@kp.org](mailto:steven.j.jacobsen@kp.org)

The American College of Epidemiology invites nominations for its:

## Annual Outstanding Contributions to Epidemiology Award

### ***Award Description***

This award recognizes an active epidemiologist for outstanding contributions to the field in one of three areas: 1) methods development; 2) etiologic research; or 3) applied epidemiology. The award is conferred each year at the Annual Meeting and the recipient is invited to deliver a platform talk to the College during the regular program. The Award includes an honorarium. In addition, the costs of attending the Annual Meeting (transportation and accommodation) will be reimbursed, and registration expenses will be waived.

### ***Eligibility Criteria***

The eligibility criteria for each award area are described below:

- **Methods Development:** An award for Outstanding Contribution in Methods Development recognizes one epidemiologist for exemplary work in theoretical or applied research methodology that has demonstrably advanced the practice of epidemiology. Eligible nominees should have a strong record of peer-reviewed publications on methods in epidemiology or related disciplines (e.g., statistics, social sciences, etc.).
- **Etiologic Research:** An award for Outstanding Contribution in Etiologic Research recognizes one epidemiologist for research that has led to advances in the general understanding of the etiology of a specific health condition or group of conditions of public health significance. Eligible nominees should have a strong record of peer-reviewed publications on etiologic research in epidemiology or related disciplines (e.g., clinical, basic science, etc.).
- **Applied Epidemiology:** An award for Outstanding Contribution in Applied Epidemiology recognizes one active epidemiologist for contributions that resulted in translating epidemiologic evidence to clinical, public health, or health policy applications. A strong record of peer-reviewed publications is not required to describe the impact of this translational work, but evidence of the meritorious contributions of the nominee should be documented. Documentation should be accessible or provided to the committee for review and may include unpublished reports or gray literature as well as traditional publications.

### ***Nomination Procedure***

Active ACE members (Associate, Member, Fellow, Honorary Fellow or Emeritus) are invited to nominate eligible candidates for this award. Nominations should include:

- A statement of the Award category: Methods Development, Etiologic Research, or Applied Epidemiology

- A narrative description of the particular contribution or collection of contributions prompting the nomination. For example, a single high-impact publication could be sufficient for a nomination, as could a collection of work. Regardless, this description should document how the contribution has influenced the field of epidemiology and/or related fields as well as any direct population health impact.
- Examples of work (e.g., papers, reports, etc.) do not need to be attached to the nomination letter, but a select list of relevant examples that can be accessed by the committee would be helpful.
- A copy of the nominee's curriculum vitae should be submitted with the nomination letter.
- Self-nominations are not accepted.

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## Annual Student Paper Prize

### ***Award Description***

Individuals are invited to submit samples of their unpublished, original research, completed during graduate epidemiology training, for consideration for the Student Paper prize. In addition to a cover letter from the applicant, the application package must include a letter from the student's advisor detailing the roles of the applicant and any co-authors in designing and carrying out the research under consideration. The research should be described in a standard scientific paper, formatted according to *Annals of Epidemiology* guidelines (<http://www.annalsofepidemiology.org/>). The award consists of financial support for attending the Annual Meeting (cost of travel and accommodations will be reimbursed, and meeting registration will be waived), the opportunity to present the paper during the Meeting, and expedited review of the paper for possible publication in the *Annals of Epidemiology*.

### ***Eligibility Criteria***

- The first author of the submitted paper must be eligible for ACE Associate Member status and enrolled in a master's or doctoral epidemiology training program, or have completed training no later than January of the calendar year of the annual meeting.
- Work must have been completed during the student's training program, contain original research, and be suitable for publication.

Applications for the 2018 Award will be accepted March 1 through May 14, 2018.

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# Applying Epidemiology Across the Lifespan to Improve Health Care, Inform Health Policy and Enhance Population Health

## 2018 Annual Meeting American College of Epidemiology

### Call for Nomination: Special Meeting Award

#### Critical and Sensitive Windows for Health Across the Lifespan

The 2018 *American College of Epidemiology* annual meeting theme is Applying Epidemiology Across the Lifespan to Improve Health Care, Inform Health Policy and Enhance Population Health. This year's Special Meeting Award recognizes the importance of early influences on lifelong health and disease. The College is seeking nominations for the 2018 Special Meeting Award to recognize an individual who has worked at the intersection of study design, exposure science, and epidemiology. Individuals nominated for this award should demonstrate impactful and sustained research in this field evidenced by publications and influence on guidelines or policy.

The recipient of this year's Special Meeting Award will have investigated exposures during critical and sensitive windows of human reproduction and development that may induce a cascade of changes with lifelong implications for health. Research questions will have focused on identifying acute, intermittent, or chronic exposures that may alter health states across the lifespan. Specialties may include genetic, environmental, molecular, reproductive, perinatal, or pediatric epidemiology. Quantitative methodologists involved in life course methods for analyzing complex hierarchical data structures and time-varying exposures may also be nominated.

The Award includes an honorarium, travel expenses and waiver of meeting registration. Self-nominations are not accepted.

#### Nomination Procedure

Active ACE members (Associate, Member, Fellow, Honorary Fellow or Emeritus) are invited to nominate eligible candidates for this award. Nominations should include:

- A letter highlighting the achievements and/or contributions of the nominee pertinent to the award.
- The nominee's current curriculum vitae.
- Two supporting letters as provided by the nominator.

All materials should be provided as a single pdf and emailed to Dr. Steven Jacobsen, Awards Committee Chair at: [steven.j.jacobsen@kp.org](mailto:steven.j.jacobsen@kp.org).

The deadline for receipt of nominations is May 14, 2018. Only complete packages will be considered.