

### *Roger E. Pecoraro Award*

#### **Award Profile:**

Given in memory of Roger E. Pecoraro, MD, a pioneer in research on the causes and prevention of foot ulcers and amputations in diabetes, The Roger E. Pecoraro Lectureship Award recognizes a researcher who has made scientific contributions and demonstrates an untiring commitment to improving the understanding of detection, treatment and prevention of diabetic foot complications.

#### **Criteria for Selection:**

- Principal criteria for selection: recognizing significant and/or innovating scientific achievement in improving the understanding of detection, treatment and prevention of diabetic foot complications
- Nominee will be recognized for national and/or international contributions to the field of research on diabetes complications
- Nominee must be an active American Diabetes Association member.
- Impact as a teacher and mentor will also be taken into consideration.
- Eligible candidates hold an doctorate level clinical or research degree (MD, DO, DPM, PhD)
- Both US and non-US residents are eligible
- Contributions as an American Diabetes Association volunteer and to the broader diabetes community may also be taken into consideration.

#### **Lecture/Publication of Lecture:**

- Recipient will deliver the Norbert Freinkel Award Lecture at the 77th Scientific Sessions in San Diego, California; June 9-13, 2017.
- Offered the opportunity to publish lecture in an American Diabetes Association scientific journal.

#### **Honorarium/Travel/Registration:**

- The recipient receives a \$1,000 honorarium.
- Award includes complimentary hotel accommodations for up to 3-nights within an Association hotel block and one round-trip coach airfare.
- Includes one complimentary registration to Scientific Sessions.

#### **2017 Nomination/Submission Process:**

- 2017 Nominations must be submitted using the [new electronic nomination form](#). All submissions must be received on or before 8pm ET, August 26, 2016.
- Nominations are accepted from any professional member of the American Diabetes Association.
- Nominations from the membership of the ADA Interest Group on Foot Care are encouraged and will be solicited.

**All Roger Pecoraro Award nominations must have the following documents uploaded as one .pdf file:**

- Letter of nomination (no more than 400 words), signed by no more than 3 individuals, will be accepted. Letter of nomination should address criteria for selection.
- Nominee's biography
- Please include nominee's CV with career and publication highlights, as well as documentation of teaching and mentorship must also be included.

**Questions?** Contact Mary Merkin, Senior Manager, Scientific and Medical by email at [mmerkin@diabetes.org](mailto:mmerkin@diabetes.org) or call 703-549-1500, ext 1371.

**Selection:**

- Nominations are reviewed and scored by selected experts, past chairs and former Pecoraro Award recipients
- The selection process is reviewed and supported by the National Medicine, Science and Health Care Awards Committee. The nominee is approved by the Executive Committee of the American Diabetes Association.

**Previous Award Winners:**

2016	Nicolaas C. Schaper, MD, PhD	2004	Aristidis Veves
2015	Karel Bakker, MD, PhD	2003	Lawrence Harkless
2014	William J. Jeffcoate, MRCP	2002	Peter Cavanaugh
2013	Christopher E. Attinger, MD, FACS	2001	not awarded
2012	Benjamin A. Lipsky, MD, FACP, FIDSA, FRCP	2000	Gayle Reiber
2011	Robert G. Frykberg, DPM, MPH	1999	Michael Edmonds
2010	David G. Armstrong	1998	Jan Apelqvist
2009	James Birke	1997	Gary Gibbons
2008	David Sinacore	1996	Andrew Boulton
2007	Lawrence Lavery	1995	Paul Brand
2006	Michael J. Mueller	1994	
2005	Frank LoGerfo	1993	Jean-Philippe Assal
		1992	Michael Edmonds