

## IEEE EMANUEL R. PIORE AWARD

### RECIPIENTS

2013 – NO AWARD

- 2012 - FRED B. SCHNEIDER  
Samuel B. Eckert Professor of  
Computer Science, Cornell  
University,  
Ithaca, NY, USA  
"For contributions to trustworthy computing through novel approaches to security, fault tolerance and formal methods for concurrent and distributed systems."
- 2011 - SHAFI GOLDWASSER  
Professor, MIT and Weizmann  
Institute of Science,  
Cambridge, MA, USA  
"For pioneering work in laying the foundations of modern cryptography and its relation to complexity theory."
- 2010 – NANCY ANN LYNCH  
NEC Professor of Software Science  
and Engineering  
Massachusetts Institute of  
Technology, Dept of EECS,  
Cambridge, MA, USA  
"For contributions of foundations of distributed and concurrent computing."
- 2009 – DAVID J. DEWITT  
John P. Morgridge Professor,  
University of Wisconsin,  
Madison, WI, USA  
"For fundamental contributions to the architecture, algorithms, and implementation of innovative database systems."
- 2008 - RICHARD F. RASHID  
Senior Vice President, Research,  
Microsoft Corporation,  
Redmond, WA, USA  
"For contributions to the design of modern operating systems, and for innovation and leadership in industrial research"
- 2007- RANDAL E. BRYANT  
School of Computer Science,  
Carnegie-Mellon University,  
Pittsburgh, PA, USA  
"For seminal contributions to the field of computer-aided circuit design and verification, including the development and promulgation of ordered binary decision diagrams."
- 2006- ROBERT K. BRAYTON  
Professor, Department of Electrical  
Engineering, University of California,  
Berkeley,  
Berkeley, CA, USA  
"For development of the field of logic synthesis from its early inception through industrial maturity."
- 2005 – JACOB A. ABRAHAM  
Professor  
University of Texas at Austin,  
Austin, TX, USA  
"For contributions to the development of reliable and testable computer hardware systems."

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- 2004 – LESLIE LAMPORT  
Senior Researcher, Microsoft  
Research,  
Mountain View, CA, USA  
"For seminal contributions to the theory and practice of concurrent programming and fault-tolerant computing."
- 2003 - GIOVANNI DeMICHELI  
Professor, Electrical Engineering  
Dept., Stanford University,  
Stanford, CA, USA  
"For contributions to computer-aided synthesis of digital systems."
- 2002 – BRIAN RANDELL  
Univ of Newcastle  
Newcastle on Tyne, UK  
"For seminal contributions to and leadership in computer system dependability research."
- 2001 - RAVISHANKAR K. IYER  
Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-  
Champaign  
Urbana, IL, USA  
"For fundamental contributions to measurement, evaluation, and design of reliable computing systems."
- 2000 - WILLIAM M. (VELVEL) KAHAN  
University of California at Berkley  
Berkeley, CA, USA  
"For contributions to numerical analysis and standardization of floating-point arithmetic."
- 1999 - NARENDRA AHUJA  
University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, IL  
"For contributions to computer vision and image processing."
- 1998 - JANAK H. PATEL  
University of Illinois,  
Urbana, IL, USA  
"For contributions to test generation and computer architecture."
- 1997 - SHUN-ICHI AMARI  
RIKEN  
Wakou-city, Japan  
"For pioneering contributions and leadership in neural networks and information geometry."
- 1996 - EDWARD J. McCLUSKEY  
Stanford University  
Stanford, CA, USA  
"For pioneering and fundamental contributions to design automation and fault tolerant computing."
- 1995 - YALE N. PATT  
University of Michigan  
Ann Arbor, MI, USA  
"For contributions to computer architecture leading to commercially viable high performance microprocessors."
- 1994 - JOHN L. HENNESSY  
Stanford University  
Stanford, CA, USA  
"For contributions to quantitative evaluation of computer architectures and the successful implementation of Reduced

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- Instruction-Set Computer (RISC) architecture."
- 1993 - MAKOTO NAGAO  
Kyoto University  
Kyoto, Japan  
"For leadership and contributions to natural language processing and computer vision areas."
- 1992 - HAROLD S. STONE  
IBM Corp.  
Hawthorne, NY, USA  
"For fundamental contributions to parallel computer technology, and to computer science education."
- 1991 - JOSEPH F. TRAUB  
Columbia University  
New York, NY, USA  
"For pioneering research in algorithm complexity, iteration theory and parallelism, and for leadership in computing education."
- 1990 - ALLEN NEWELL  
Carnegie Mellon University  
Pittsburgh, PA, USA  
"For seminal contributions to artificial intelligence."
- 1989 - PETER A. FRANASZEK  
IBM Corp.  
Hawthorne, NY, USA  
"For contributions to the theory and practice of coding for constrained channels in digital recording."
- 1988 - GRACE M. HOPPER (Deceased)  
Digital Equipment Corp.  
Washington, DC, USA  
"For pioneering contributions in information processing and programming language."
- 1987 - DAVID J. KUCK  
University of Illinois  
Urbana, IL, USA  
"For contributions to optimizing compilers for supercomputers."
- 1986 – DAVID C. EVANS  
Evans & Sutherland Computer Corp.  
Salt Lake City, UT, USA  
"For pioneering work in the development of interactive computer graphics systems and contributions to computer science education."
- AND  
IVAN E. SUTHERLAND  
Sutherland, Sproull, & Associates,  
Inc.  
Pittsburgh, PA, USA
- 1985 - AZRIEL ROSENFELD  
University of Maryland  
College Park, MD, USA  
"For fundamental contributions to digital image processing."
- 1984 - HARVEY GEORGE CRAGON  
Texas Instruments Inc.  
Dallas, TX, USA  
"For creative contributions and leadership in uniting computer architecture with the inherent capabilities of the integrated

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- circuit."
- 1983 - NIKLAUS WIRTH  
Swiss Fed. Inst. of Tech.  
Zurich, Switzerland  
"For creative contribution to programming language and design methodology as exemplified by his development of the Pascal language."
- 1982 - KENNETH L. THOMPSON  
DENNIS M. RITCHIE  
Bell Laboratories  
Murray Hill, NJ, USA  
"For the creation and development of an operating system of high utility, availability, and instructive value, as embodied in UNIX and its related facilities."
- 1981 - NO AWARD
- 1980 - LAWRENCE R. RABINER  
Bell Laboratories  
Murray Hill, NJ, USA  
AND  
RONALD W. SCHAFER  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
Atlanta, GA, USA  
"For their contributions to digital speech processing and digital filter design."
- 1979 - RICHARD W. HAMMING  
U.S. Naval Postgrad. School  
Monterey, CA, USA  
"For introduction of error correcting codes, pioneering work in operating systems and programming languages, and the advancement of numerical computation."
- 1978 - J. PRESPEER ECKERT, JR.  
JOHN W. MAUCHLY  
Dynatrend, Inc.,  
Springhouse, PA, USA  
"For the design and construction of electronic digital computers which stimulated the development of the computer industry."
- 1977 - GEORGE ROBERT STIBITZ  
Dartmouth Medical School  
Hanover, NH, USA  
"For pioneering contributions to the development of computers, utilizing binary and floating-point arithmetic, memory indexing, operation from a remote console, and program-controlled computations."