



OREGON TRAVEL & TOURISM INDUSTRY ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Recipients of current awards presented at the
Annual Oregon Governor's Conference on Tourism*

The Oregon Governor's Tourism Award

1996	Larry Harvey Barry Hoffmann
1998	Suzanne Miller
1999	Melody Johnson
2000	Dave & Aleta Nissen, Wanderlust Tours
2001	Alice Trindle
2002	Sharyl Parker
2003	Sho Dozono, Azumano Travel
2004	Scott West, OLA
2005	Richard Kohnstamm
2008	Jan and Jack McGowan
2009	Bonnie Lippitt, US Forest Service & Bureau of Land Management
2010	Oregon Shakespeare Festival
2011	Kari Westlund
2012	The Oregon Wine Industry Founders
2013	Larry Campbell

Gene Leo Memorial Award

1995	Marine Discovery Tours
1996	Oregon Trail Trolley
1997	Whisky Creek Fish Hatchery
1998	Curry County
1999	Umpqua Fishery Enhancement Derby
2000	Bret & Doris Armacost, Hells Canyon Adventures
2001	Peggy Lalor, Subaru Gorge Games
2002	Doug & Becky Neuman, Lake of the Woods Mountain Lodge & Resort
2003	America's Wild Rivers Coast Consortium
2004	Dennis Oliphant, Sun Country Tours
2005	Marc Hinz, Tillamook Bay Community College's W.A.T.E.R. Program
2006	Wanderlust Tours
2007	Tillamook Forest Center, Oregon Department of Forestry
2008	Chuck Fleser, Minam Motel & Market Gordon Jones and Jeffrey Jones, Lake Creek Lodge
2009	Mt. Ashland Ski Area (Ashland)
2010	Jerry Norquist
2011	Baker County - Anthony Lakes Ski Area
2012	Oregon Scenic Bikeways Program, Oregon Parks & Recreation Department
2013	Mike Keiser, Bandon Dunes Golf Resort

International Marketing Award

2010	Woodburn Company Stores
2011	International Air Service Committee
2012	Greater Portland Tourism Region
2013	Oregon Brewers Guild

Oregon Heritage Tourism Award / Frank Branch Riley

1994	Oregon Trail Coordinating Council
1995	Ralph Friedman
1996	Linda Beauchamp
1997	Greta Brunschwyler
1998	Salemtowne Volunteers
1999	Gene Favell
2000	Umpqua Discovery Center
2009	Mission Mill Museum - Facing Statehood Curatorial Project
2010	Pendleton Woolen Mills
2011	The Pendleton Round-Up Association
2012	Astoria Bicentennial Committee & Celebration
2013	Historic Columbia River Highway Advisory Committee

Oregon Sustainable Tourism Leadership Award

2009	Full Sail Brewing Company
2010	Hank Hickox
2011	Executive Chef Kevin Graham
2012	Alex & Danielle Amarotico, Standing Stone Brewing Company
2013	Umpqua Fishery Enhancement Derby

Oregon Travel & Tourism Industry Exceptional Partnership Award

2005	Klamath Basin Birding Trail Working Group
2006	Hood River Winter Destination Marketing Program Willamette Valley Visitors Association
2007	Hells Canyon Scenic Byway Cooperative
2008	Michael Donovan, Southern Oregon Winery Association Carolyn Hill, Southern Oregon Visitors Association
2009	Coos Bay-North Bend-Charleston Olympic Trials Partnership
2010	Southern Oregon Coast Partnership
2011	Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area - 25th Anniversary Committee
2012	Full On Oregon - Southern Oregon, "A Docious Adventure"
2013	North Coast Marketing Coalition

Oregon Tourism & Hospitality Tourism Development Award

2005	The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs
2006	Clackamas Heritage Partners
2007	Oregon Crafted, Oregon Council for Business Education Oregon Chocolate Festival, Karolina Wyszynka, Ashland Springs Hotel
2008	Katherine Hoppe, Coos Bay-North Bend Visitors & Convention Bureau
2009	Corvallis Tourism Travel Salem
2010	Columbia Gorge Winegrowers
2011	Visit Bend - The Bend Ale Trail
2012	Portland Farmers Market: Chef in the Market Program
2013	Oregon Restaurant & Lodging Association Oregon State University – Cascades

Outstanding Oregon Tourism Volunteer Award

1996	Roseburg Rotary Club
1998	Friends of Shore Acres, Inc.
1999	Portland-Guadalajara Sister City Association
2001	City of Joseph
2002	Astoria Riverfront Trolley Association
2003	Susan Hangartner, Port of Portland
2005	Phyllis Thiemann
2006	Cyndi Mudge, Destination: The Pacific
2007	Marian and Mike Soderberg, Cruise Hosts Program (Astoria)
2008	The High Desert Museum's Volunteer Organization
2009	David and Shirley Bridgham, coordinators, Shore Acres State Park "Holiday Lights" event
2010	Jan Cupernall
2011	Del Stephens & Jim Pex, Oregon Tuna Classic
2012	Sue West, Wildlife Images

** Previously-presented awards, now "retired," are not included in this historical listing.*

Questions?

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