

## Williston Petroleum Banquet and API Achievement Awards

October 30, 2018 Williston, ND - Williston API announces the seventh annual Williston Petroleum Banquet and Achievement Awards. As activity in the Williston Basin continues to improve, we take a night to celebrate the accomplishments of companies and individuals working to make our community great.

### **Williston Petroleum Banquet**

The Williston Petroleum Banquet celebrates the energy industry in the Williston Basin and highlights the achievements of industry participants. This event brings members of the energy industry together to enjoy fine dining, networking and entertainment. The evening includes a program featuring award presentations followed by a keynote address from Hang Nguyen who is the Manager of Development and Production International at Equinor.

### **Williston Petroleum Banquet and Achievement Awards**

November 16, 2018

Grand Williston Hotel and Convention Center

6:00 p.m. – Social

7:00 p.m. – Dinner

8:00 p.m. – Program

- Year in Review
- Achievement Awards
- Keynote Address: Hang Nguyen, Equinor
- Entertainment: John DeBoer, Comedian

### **Williston API Achievement Awards**

The Williston API Achievement Awards celebrate the many positive contributions and accomplishments of the oil and gas industry throughout the Williston Basin. The five awards to be presented include Industry Innovation, Community Service, Outstanding Achievement – Individual, Outstanding Achievement – Group, and Lifetime Achievement.

### **Industry Innovation Award**

The Industry Innovation Award recognizes significant achievement for advancements in technology, systems, processes and the application thereof in the oil and gas industry in the Williston Basin. The 2017 Industry Innovation Award winner was Flow Core Systems, Inc.

### **Community Service Award**

The Community Service Award seeks to recognize individuals and organizations for their commitment to their community and contributions to community service. Nominee's contributions of time and resources bolster community pride, enable local non-profit's to meet their missions, strengthen our community boards of directors, and help solve community challenges. The 2017 Community Service Award winner was Grainger Industrial Supply.

### **Outstanding Achievement**

The Outstanding Achievement Award identifies an individual and organization deserving of recognition for an activity or accomplishment that can be described as an outstanding achievement in the Williston

Basin. It may include an individual or company that has made a significant impact over a long period of time or it may include a single event that fundamentally changes the way something is done. The 2017 Outstanding Achievement Award winner for a company or organization was Energy Transfer Partners.

### **Lifetime Achievement**

The Lifetime Achievement Award identifies one individual to honor their lifelong service and commitment to the energy industry and community in the Williston Basin. The 2017 Lifetime Achievement Award was presented to Wayne Biberdorf.

### **Williston API**

The Williston Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute (API) is a nonprofit organization comprised of service-oriented individuals who serve the local oil and gas industry, as well as the surrounding community. More information about the Williston API is available at [www.WillistonAPI.com](http://www.WillistonAPI.com).

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