

CMLS Award Descriptions

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Peter Shuttleworth MLS Executive Award of Excellence

Description

The *Peter Shuttleworth Award of Excellence* will be presented each year to a Chief Executive Officer of a Multiple Listing Service in recognition of his or her contribution to the MLS Industry through dedication to excellence.

About Peter Shuttleworth

Peter Shuttleworth was the Executive Vice President of Metro MLS for 27 years. Under his leadership he built an effective Regional MLS by building on successful relationships between Brokers, Realtors, Realtor Associations and the idea that data should flow without boundaries. Under his leadership he partnered with Wisconsin MLSs to create a statewide data share, WIREX that continues to promote cooperation among all Real Estate practitioners throughout the state. Peter also saw the need to better serve Realtors by empowering them with the most accurate and up to date public records possible. As a result, Peter built WIREData to act as the collection agent of all public record data throughout the state of Wisconsin.

In addition to his many contributions in the Greater Milwaukee Area and Wisconsin, Peter was a trusted and consistent voice throughout the industry. Peter served on many NAR workgroups and committees in many capacities. He also served on the CMLS Board of Directors for many years, serving as both President and as a host for the CMLS 2003 conference. His ability to handle complex issues and manage the personalities that came with them is a rare commodity.

Peter's motto of, "You should always have a seat at the table to listen, participate and help shape ideas" is an ideal that all MLS Executives should desire. When Peter retired he left a legacy of integrity, professionalism and resoluteness to serve as the standard for any MLS Executive to aspire to be.

Eligibility and Criteria

The recipient will be someone who, through careful research and evaluation of the Award Committee, is known to have led his or her organization by dedication to the highest ideals of excellence and in addition, contributed to elevating the MLS industry as a whole.

The recipient must be an active member of the Council of Multiple Listing Services in the year of or the year immediate prior to nomination.

Nomination and Presentation

Nominations may be submitted by any person other than the candidate. A full explanation of the way in which the candidate has exhibited excellence in leadership and contribution to the MLS Industry must be received with the nomination. Nominations must be received prior to October 1st of each year.

The *Peter Shuttleworth Award of Excellence* will be presented at each year's MLS Executive Session of the National Association REALTORS Annual Convention.

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The Council of Multiple Listing Services or CMLS is the premier forum, advocate and resource for Multiple Listings Services across the United States. It was formed in 1957 to address a need in the MLS industry to share ideals, service models and management concepts. Since, CMLS has evolved into a volunteer-led organization that serves the MLS community in North America through leadership, education, and collaboration across the Real Estate industry. It is also responsible for the facilitation of best practices, industry standards, legal issues, and technological innovations in support of 178 MLS providers with over one million subscribers.