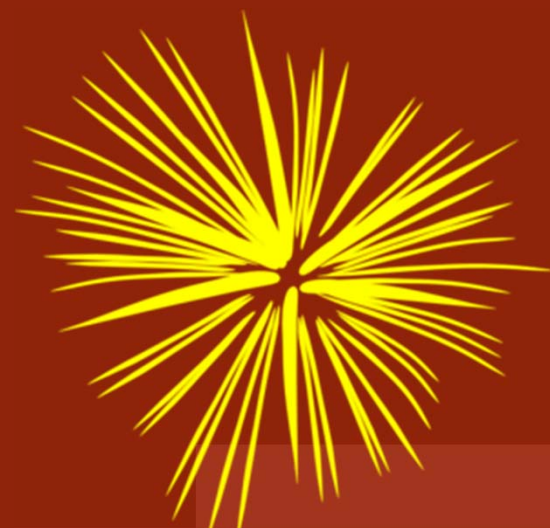




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The 2017 Volunteers of the Year





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Sarah Fahey





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Lori Lehner





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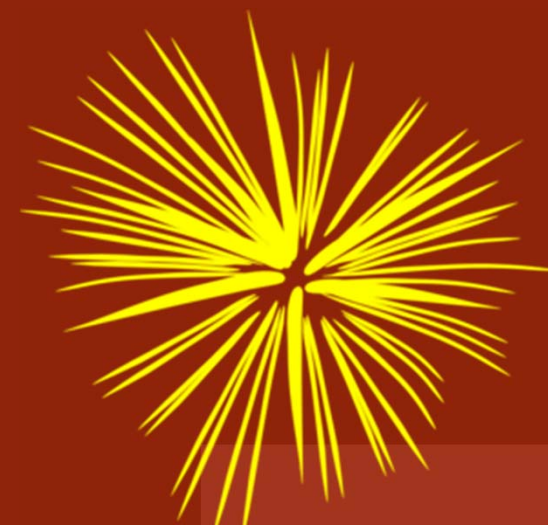
Wayne Scheck





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Emily Wise





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Cheryl Bell





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Padmanaban (Padu) Krishnan





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The 2017 President's Award



The 2017 Committee Members

Committee Members of The President's Award:

Mary K. Schmidl, Chair

Sharon Herzog

Gary Reineccius

Beth Ann Nylander



The President's Award History

Established in 1987



**So today we celebrate 30 years of
recognizing the outstanding
service of our volunteers!**

The President's Award: Purpose

Bylaws state:

“to recognize a member of the Section who has served the Section and the profession in an outstanding manner”.

The President's Award Consists of:

- Engraved plaque with the citation
- Honorarium of \$250
- Recognition at the first Dinner meeting of the MN Section of IFT with a brochure
- Recognition by the Minnesota IFT Newsletter, MN IFT Website and in *Food Technology*

The President's Award

- * All members are eligible for the award.**
- * Nominations may be made by any member of the Minnesota Section of IFT.**
- * The award recognizes many years to decades of service and dedication to our professional scientific society.**
- * A small way to say thank you.**

The President's Award: Past Recipients

1987 - Emily Anderson
1988 - Elwood Caldwell
1989 - John Ringstrom
1990 - Karen Dragon ★
1991 - Rusty Nelson
1992 - William Davidson
1993 - Lorraine Smith
1994 - Edmund Zottola
1995 - Gary Richter, John Hall, Alden Drew
1996 - Elizabeth Knight
1997 - Katherine Swanson
1998 - Larry Pearson
1999 - Purnendu Vasavada
2000 - Gary Geist ★
2001 - Anand Rao ★

2002 - Frank Busta ★
2003 2003- Joseph Warthesen
2004 - Robert Freemore
2005 - Michael Mensing
2006 - Daniel Kennedy ★
2007 - Cheryl Dienken
2008 - Award Not Given
2009 - Award Not Given
2010 - Award Not Given
2011 - Award Not Given
2012 - Award Not Given ★
2013 - Award Not Given
2014 - Cheryl Dienken
2015 - Tina Hacker
2016 - Brenda Knapp-Polzin

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**The 2017
President's Award
Minnesota
Section of IFT
Award Winner**



Dr. Lisa Pannell

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- **Senior Research and Development Manager, Product Design Accelerators**
- **General Mills, Inc.**



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- **BS Cornell University**
- **MS and Ph.D. University of Wisconsin-Madison**
- **Joined General Mills in 1992 where she has held numerous positions within research and development.**



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- Research focus on new product development including Frosted Cheerios and Go-Gurt and Yoplait.
- Has a number of publications which includes patents and a book chapter.



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Extremely Active for MN IFT:

- **Recording Secretary (95-98)**
- **Membership Secretary (99-02)**
- **Long Range Plan, Chair (02-03)**
- **Councilor/Director (02-06) and Director (15-17)**
- **President (Elect, Past) (04-07)**
- **Networking, Macy, Program, Scholarship Committees**



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Silent Auction!!!!

- *Since 2005*
- **Chaired/Co-Chaired**
- **Over \$72,000 raised**
- **Develop On line Auction and Silent Auction Enhancements**



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National Level

- **Joined as student 1984**
- **Chair: College Bowl and Finance Committees**
- **Chair: Midwest Caucus**
- **Active Member of International Division and served as Secretary**



Dr. Lisa Pannell

Passionate at Work and Play

Dr. Lis Pannell

