

Award Categories

Outstanding Member Awards

- **Community Service** – A member who is distinguished by outstanding commitment, service, and contribution to their community
- **Accounting Educator** – A member who is a full-time college or university professor, excels in the classroom, and is held in high regard within the CPA profession
- **Corporate Practice** – A member whose primary practice is in industry, including profit, nonprofit, and other nongovernmental entities. This practice area must not be affiliated with the public practice of accountancy
- **Government** – A member employed within the federal, state, or local government whose contributions to their entity are substantial and noteworthy
- **Public Practice** – A member whose primary practice is in the area of public accounting, demonstrating excellent client service and firm leadership
- **New Member** – A member who has been active within the Society for at least one year, has been a licensed CPA for five years or less, and whose involvement with the Society and their community are exceptional
- **Lifetime Achievement** – A member who has been a NMSCPA member for a substantial period of time. This award is given to someone who is considered to be at a culminating point in their career and has made substantial contributions to their community, firm, and profession

Women to Watch Awards

- **Experienced Leaders** – A member who has advanced to a higher level or leadership position within an organization. Titles include, but are not limited to: partner, owner, elected official or appointee, executive, etc.
- **Emerging Leaders** – A member who has made significant contributions to the profession and to her community, but who has not yet reached the highest levels of advancement