

ITTF MERIT AWARDS
From 1989 to Present

The ITTF Merit Award is granted to those who have rendered distinguished service to table tennis. Nominations submitted by Associations are considered by a panel and proposed to the Executive Committee. The accepted candidates are presented with a medal on a suitable occasion.

The first medals were presented at the BGM in Dortmund, 1989, starting with Mr. A.K. Vint (ENG), former ITTF Honorary General Secretary.

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| Australia | Keith Bowler (1995) Neil Harwood (1995) | India | M. C. Chowhan (2003) |
| Bahrain | Sheikh Abdul-Rahman Bin Rashid (1989) | Iran | Shahrokh Shahnazi (2017) |
| Belgium | Georges Roland (1991) | Ireland | Joe Veselsky (1989) |
| Brazil | Gilson de Magalhaes Boscoli 1989 Ivam Passos Vinhas (2003) | Italy | Ms. Edith Santifaller H. (1999) |
| Canada | Dr. Chandra Madosingh (1993) Ms. Margaret Walden (1989) | Japan | Hisao Kido (1991) Koji Kimura (2016) Yasuomi Miyamoto (1991) Hajime Takagi (posth) (1991) Hiroshi Yaoita (1991) |
| China | Cheng Jiayan (1999) Chen Xian (1989) Hu Bingquan (2001) Liang Youneng (2001) Liang Zhuohui (1996) Ms. Qiu Zhonghui (1996) Song Zhong (1989) Sun Qilin (2008) Wang Chuanyao (1996) Wang Dayong (2002) Wu Huanqun (1999) Xu Shaofa (2001) Yao Zhenxu (2009) Zhang Jiafu (1999) Zhang Junhan (1989) Zhang Xielin (2008) | Jersey | Geoffrey Reed (2009) |
| | | Jordan | Dr. Ismat El Kurdi (1993) Fayez Yousef Nowar (1993) Fawzi Yousef Diya (1993) |
| | | Kenya | Ms. Jane Pinto (1997) Andrew Mudibo (2012) |
| | | Lebanon | Spiro Abourjaily (1993) Fouad Nicolas Habib (1997) George Michel Hani (2001) Michel Sbat (1990) |
| | | Mauritius | Philippe Hao Thyn Voon (2017) |
| | | Malaysia | Chan Foong Keong (2017) |
| | | Mexico | Dr. Helios Farrel Murga (1991) |
| | | Netherlands | Henk van Dilst (1993) Bas den Breejen (1992) Cor du Buy (2011) |
| | | Netherlands Ant | Franklin Mathilda (1999) |
| Cote-de-Ivoire | Berthe Bakhary (2009) | New Zealand | Ken Wilkinson (1989) |
| Croatia | Radivoj Hudetz (1995) Zdenko Uzorinac (1995) | Nigeria | Georg Segun (2016) Olabanji Oladapo (2017) |
| Cuba | Renato de Agüero Fernandez (year?) | Norway | Odd Gustavsen (1995) |
| Czechoslovakia | Ernest Demetrovic (1989) Pavol Hajek (1989) Ms. Marie Kettnerová (1991) Stanislav Kolár (1991) Frantisek Hanek Pivec (1989) Ms. Vlasta Vlkova-Depetrisová (1993) | Poland | Felix Przybylski (1989) Jerzy Dachowski (1989) |
| | | Portugal | José Manuel Antunes Amaro 1997 Mario de Costa Patricio (1989) Abilio Carvalho da Cruz (2014) |
| | | Qatar | Khalil Al-Mohannadi (2016) |
| | | Romania | Farkas Paneth (1993) |

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| Denmark | Henrik Pedersen (2003) | Russia | Yuri Posevin (2005) |
| Egypt | Amin Abou Heif (1989) Dr. E. T. Nakhla (1995) | Saudi Arabia | Soliman Al-Jabhan (1991) |
| England | Colin Clemett (2000) Ron Crayden (1989) Johnny Leach (1999) Alan Ransome (1999) A. K. « Bill » Vint, OBE (1989) Richard Yule (2013) | Scotland | Ben Dawson (1995) B. Denis George (1993) Zdenko Kriz (2016) |
| Estonia | Viljar Kasemaa (2015) | Slovakia | Ladoslav Stipek (1991) |
| France | Jean Mercier (1989) Ms. Claude Bergeret (2003) Jean-Francois Kahn (2016) | Spain | Jürg Vonaesch (1989) Werner Schnyder (1989) Hugo Urchetti (1996) |
| DR Germany | Werner Lüderitz (1989) | Switzerland | |
| Germany | Rudolf Gruber (1989) Ms. Diane Schöler (1993) Hans-Jürgen Haase (2007) | Tunisia | Chérif Hajem (1989) |
| Ghana | Patrick Chu (1995) | Turkey | Ali Abali (1989) Danyal Ciper (1989) |
| Gurnsey | Horace Mallet (1993) | USA | Tim Boggan (1995) J. Rufford Harrison (year?) Jimmy McClure (1991) Sol Schiff (1991) |
| Hong Kong | Chun Wing Kwong (1989) Yue Yun-Hing (1989) Tony Yue (2016) | USSR | Leonid Makarov (1991) |
| Hungary | Steve Boros (1989) Tibor Horvath (1989) György Lakatos (1989) Ferenc Sidó (1993) | Uruguay | Carlos Taranto (1997) Vittorio Zecchi (1989) |
| | | Wales | H. Roy Evans, OBE (year?) |
| | | Yugoslavia | Zarko Dolinar (1989) Slobodan Jeremic (1989) Misha Kapetanic (1989) Dusan Osmanagic (2001) Borivoje Popovic (1989) Nikola Uveric (2001) |

*** Some years are missing.***

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