

Uno Lamm HVDC Award

Call for Nominations

Deadline: 30 November, 2008

The IEEE Power Engineering Society calls for the nomination of outstanding individuals to receive the Uno Lamm High-Voltage Direct-Current (HVDC) Award. This award recognizes outstanding contributions to HVDC technology. The technology has developed into an effective power system tool for long-distance energy transport, ac network interconnections, and system stability enhancement. These developments have come from the work of dedicated engineers and scientists in many countries throughout the world.

The Award: The award consists of a bronze medal, an engraved certificate, and an honorarium of \$1,000. The award is named for the man most responsible for the research and development that led to the first practical application of an HVDC connection between ac systems.

Eligibility and Selection: Persons in the electric power engineering international community who have been or are heavily involved in the development and advancement of HVDC technology shall be eligible to receive this Award. Membership in the IEEE or the Power Engineering Society is not a prerequisite. Selection factors include:

- Candidate's technical accomplishments relating to HVDC
- Originality or innovative nature of the contributions
- Impact of the contributions on HVDC technology and on energy transport in general
- Achievements in other fields
- Professional leadership.

Nomination: The Nomination Form is available on the PES web, click on Awards and go to Uno Lamm HVDC Award. A nomination (2 printed copies) written in English on behalf of each candidate along with not more than five reference letters must be received as a single complete package by the Uno Lamm High-Voltage Direct-Current Committee chair on or before 30 November 2005 to be considered for the 2006 award (to be made during the PES Annual Meeting). The selection factors should be carefully considered during the preparation of nominations and reference letters. They must be complete and provide sufficient information to establish the candidate's individual contributions and role in HVDC.

Send the nomination package to David E. Fletcher, Uno Lamm HVDC Award Committee Chair, 31 Stanford Bay, Winnipeg, Canada R3P 0T5, telephone (204) 888 6177, fax (204) 897 9823, e-mail davidfletcher@mts.net